



**"Stop TB Before It Starts -
Take Preventive
Treatment!"**
*If you live with a TB patient, ask for
free preventive medicines today.*
Contact: TB Helpline: 1800-11-6666

Since 1920s the Oldest Daily...

**The
Daily Telegrams**

...the Largest Circulating Daily of the Islands

Partially cloudy sky with very light to light rain likely at one or two places in Sri Vijaya Puram. Maximum and Minimum temperature will be around 31.0°C and 25.0°C respectively on Wednesday 15/10/2025.
Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date: 31.3
Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 24.8
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 081
Sunrise time on 15/10/2025 (in IST): 0509
Sunset time on 15/10/2025 (in IST): 1701
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs)-in mm: 003.3
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 000.1
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 2025 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm: 3172.1

**Weather Report**

Hon'ble Lt. Governor participates in Tourism Conclave at Udaipur, Rajasthan

Highlights core strategic initiative for Heritage Tourism Circuit encompassing National Memorial sites in Isles



Udaipur, Oct. 14

Admiral D K Joshi, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, NM, VSM, (Retd.), Hon'ble Lt. Governor, A&N Islands and Vice-Chairman, Islands Development Agency participated in the Tourism Conclave chaired by Shri Gajendra Singh Shekhawat, Hon'ble Minister of Culture and Minister of Tourism at Udaipur, Rajasthan under the vision of 'One State One Global Destination'.

Hon'ble Lt. Governor, highlighted the post-COVID tourism resurgence in A&N Islands, with domestic arrivals rising nearly 200% and international tourists up 157% since 2022. To position the A&N Islands as an Iconic Diving destination, Andaman & Nicobar Administration is poised to setup three Guinness World Records in diving to position the A&N Islands as a premier Scuba Diving Hub in the Indian Ocean Region and in the Indo-Pacific. Unique diving circuits

will be developed around the Button Islands (North/South/Middle), Barren Island (South Asia's only active volcano), and the pristine beaches of Swaraj Dweep.

Hon'ble Lt. Governor also apprised about the core strategic initiative for Heritage Tourism Circuit encompassing National Memorial sites viz. Cellular Jail & Netaji Subash Chandra Bose Dweep, in addition Viper Island, Chatham Island, Manipur Parvat with

global benchmarks and PPP mode with support from the Ministry for funding and globally recognized consultancies. Flagship infrastructure projects viz. five-star eco-resorts, Greenfield Airports at Great Nicobar and Sri Vijaya Puram, seaplane operations, cruise tourism, modernized helicopter fleet, and new ship acquisitions will usher in a new era of sustainable World Class Tourism, a press release from Raj Niwas said.

ANSLSA organizes Legal Awareness Programme on 'POCSO, Prohibition of Child Marriage Act & Mental Health' at GSSS Wimberlygunj



Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The Andaman and Nicobar State Legal Services Authority (ANSLSA) organized a Legal Awareness Programme on 'POCSO, Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, and Mental Health' today at Government Senior Secondary School, Wimberlygunj.

Before commencement of programme, His

Lordship Hon'ble Justice Sabyasachi Bhattacharyya, Judge, High Court at Calcutta, Zonal Judge for the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Hon'ble Executive Chairman, ANSLSA planted a sapling within the premises of the School to create awareness on preservation of nature.

The awareness programme was graced by Hon'ble Justice Sabyasachi Bhattacharyya, Judge,

High Court at Calcutta, Zonal Judge for the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Hon'ble Executive Chairman, ANSLSA. His Lordship shared his valuable views on the importance of safeguarding the rights of children and promoting mental well-being among the youth.

Shri Rashid Alam, Registrar, Circuit Bench of the Calcutta High Court at

Port Blair and Member Secretary, ANSLSA, delivered the welcome address, setting the tone for the day's proceedings. The programme commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp.

During the awareness sessions, Ms. Tasneem, Learned Special Public Prosecutor (POCSO), District Court, Port Blair,

(Contd. on last page)

Chief Secretary virtually inaugurates ANIIDCO's first-ever Milk Carts at Marina Park, Bathu Basti & new Milk Parlour at Swaraj Dweep

Interacts with SHG members who will operate the newly introduced Milk Carts and urged them to maintain hygiene & quality



Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The Milk Division of the A&N Islands Integrated Development Corporation Limited (ANIIDCO) has introduced its first-ever Milk Carts at Marina Park and Bathubasti, along with a new Milk Parlour at Swaraj Dweep.

The facilities were virtually inaugurated

today by Dr. Chandra Bhushan Kumar, IAS, Chief Secretary, A&N Administration & Chairman, ANIIDCO in the presence of Ms. Chanchal Yadav, IAS, Managing Director, Smt. Pallavi Sarkar, IAS, Executive Director (Milk Plant), Shri Mohd. Pervaiz, General Manager, I/C (Milk Plant), Shri Basuki

Nath, Company Secretary-cum-General Manager (P&A), and other officials of ANIIDCO and A&N Administration.

After the inauguration, Chief Secretary interacted

(Contd. on last page)

12 companies shown interest in building luxury resorts in Andamans

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct 14 (PTI)

The Andaman and Nicobar Islands Integrated Development Corporation Limited (ANIIDCO) has received a good response from leading hospitality developers and investors to design, build, finance, operate, transfer (DBFOT) of 5-star eco-tourism resorts on PPP basis at exotic locations in the archipelago, an official said.

The locations which the Andaman and Nicobar administration invited DBFOT are: Shaheed Dweep, Megapode Resort in Sri Vijaya Puram, Aves Island, Long Island in North and Middle Andaman.

Managing Director of ANIIDCO, Ms. Chanchal Yadav told PTI that, "We have received a good response so far, which includes five bids for the Shaheed Dweep project, four bids for the

Megapode Resort redevelopment, two bids for Aves Island and one bid for Long Island."

The union territory administration has received 12 bids. The last date for submission of bids was October 6. She said, "These bids are currently under technical evaluation, and the work will be awarded to the highest bidder after completion of both technical and financial evaluations. The

Megapode Resort redevelopment is expected to be completed within three years, while the island projects have an estimated four-year completion timeline.

Out of these locations, Aves Island is an uninhabited Island, and this is probably the first time that the local administration has decided to open such an uninhabited Island to promote tourism. The

(Contd. on last page)

Secretary (RD/PRI) chairs preparatory meeting for upcoming SARAS Festival-2025

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

A preparatory meeting was held under the chairmanship of Shri. Arjun Sharma, IAS, Secretary, Rural Development (RD) & Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman yesterday

to review and coordinate arrangements with various line Departments for the upcoming SARAS Festival 2025, scheduled to be held from Nov. 17 to 23, 2025.

The SARAS Festival is a flagship event

showcasing rural India's rich diversity in handicrafts, handlooms, and traditional food products, providing a vibrant platform for Self Help Groups (SHGs) under the Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana -

National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM) to exhibit and sell their products. The SARAS in the Islands will be the first programme which will be arranged by the NRLM

(Contd. on last page)

Chief Secretary launches 24 x 7 online reservation facility for ship tickets through STARS e-Ticketing System

Facility to provide greater convenience & flexibility of booking tickets any time to passengers

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The online reservation facility for ship tickets through the STARS e-Ticketing System by the Directorate of Shipping Services will now be available 24 x 7, providing greater convenience and flexibility of booking tickets any time to passengers. The Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Dr. Chandra Bhushan Kumar, IAS, launched the online ship ticket reservation facility 24 x 7 in a brief function held in the Conference Hall of Secretariat today in the presence of Commissioner-cum-Secretary (Shipping), Ms.

Chanchal Yadav, IAS; Secretary (Shipping), Ms. Purva Garg, IAS and Director of Shipping Services, Cdr. Vijay Kumar.

Earlier, the online reservation services were available from 9 AM to 4 PM in line with the operational hours of the STARS Ticketing

Counters. With this latest enhancement, passengers can now book ship tickets at any time of the day or night, from the comfort of their homes or offices, without any restrictions.

The facility is available on the Directorate's official portal <https://dss.andamannicobar.gov.in/eticketing>, where users can

access services such as ticket booking, ship schedules, fare details, and route information. A QR code linking directly to the portal has also been provided for users convenience.

This initiative marks yet another step in the Directorate's commitment

(Contd. on last page)

Chief Secretary inaugurates ANIIDCO's first-ever.....

(Contd. from page 1)

with members of the Self Help Groups (SHGs) who will operate the newly introduced Milk Carts and encouraged the SHG members to maintain hygiene, quality and customer satisfaction in their operations and appreciated their enthusiasm and commitment.

At Marina Park, the cart will be operated by Ms. Sree Laxmi of Rani Sindiya SHG and at Bathubasti by Ms. Santhi of Victory SHG. The involvement of SHGs aims to promote women's empowerment and livelihood generation while ensuring the availability of milk and milk products to the general public.

The event at Bathubasti and Marina Park was also attended by Councilor, Ward No. 19, Shri. V. Vetriveli and Councilor, Ward No. 5, Smti. S. Selvi who appreciated ANIIDCO's initiative in supporting SHG-based entrepreneurship.

With the introduction of these three new Units, the Milk Carts at Marina Park and



Bathubasti, and the Milk Parlour at Swaraj Dweep, it is estimated that an additional Rs. 10 to Rs. 12 lakh per month in sales will be generated for the Milk Division in the initial months contributing significantly to the growth of ANIIDCO's dairy operations.

The Senior Manager (Milk Plant), Shri Rajendra Kumar briefed about the functioning of the Milk Carts. Additionally, he informed that the Mobile Milk Parlour which was inaugurated by Chief Secretary on Aug. 28, 2025 has received an overwhelming public response, achieving sales of around Rs. 1.3 lakh during the last one month.

The Chief Secretary appreciated the field staff for their commendable efforts and teamwork in making this project a success. ANIIDCO remains steadfast in its mission to promote nutritional security among the residents of the A&N Islands. With a strong focus on health, convenience, and quality, the Corporation ensures the supply of affordable and high-quality dairy products across the Islands.

Through these initiatives, ANIIDCO reaffirms its dedication to health, nutrition, and public service, ensuring that every household has access to fresh, quality, and affordable milk and milk products, a press release from ANIIDCO said.

Chief Secretary launches 24 x 7 online

(Contd. from page 1)

to delivering efficient, citizen-friendly, and technology-driven services, in line with the Government's Digital India mission. The 24 x 7 availability of the online reservation system is expected to greatly reduce dependence on physical booking counters and further enhance the travel experience for passengers.

The project has been undertaken by the team from CRIS (Center for Railway Information Systems) headed by Ms. V.K. Nazeera Siddique, Senior Project Engineer, CRIS, Sri Vijaya Puram.

The Directorate of Shipping Services continues to strive towards providing safe, reliable, and convenient maritime transport for the residents and visitors of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, a press release from DSS said.

Secretary (RD/PRIs) chairs preparatory.....

(Contd. from page 1)

section under the aegis of Directorate of RD.

During the meeting, detailed discussions were held with all concerned Departments to ensure smooth conduct of the festival. Key focus areas which included venue readiness and infrastructure arrangements, security, sanitation, and health facilities, stall layout, logistics and transport, cultural programs and media outreach etc.

The Secretary emphasized the importance of inter-departmental coordination to maintain the high standards of the event and ensure a seamless experience for participants and visitors. Departments have been directed to finalize their action plans and extend full cooperation in the successful conduct of the festival.

The meeting concluded with a reaffirmed commitment from all stakeholders to make SARAS Festival 2025 a grand success, celebrating the spirit of rural entrepreneurship and women-led development, a press release from Directorate of RD, PRIs & ULBs said.

Department of AH&VS celebrates World Egg Day at Balika Niketan & Old Age Home

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The Department of AH&VS in collaboration with the Department of Social Welfare, celebrated World Egg Day on Oct. 10 at Balika Niketan and Ulhas Old Age Home, Dollygunj. Inaugurating the event as the chief guest, Dr. K.A. Naveen, Director (AH&VS) highlighted this year's theme, 'The Mighty Egg - Packed with Natural Nutrition,' emphasizing that eggs are naturally rich in essential nutrients, including high-quality protein, healthy fats, vitamins, minerals, choline, and antioxidants like lutein. He underscored eggs' role as a complete food supporting health at every



stage of life.

Senior Veterinary Officers and the Child Development Project Officer (CDPO) of Balika Niketan also spoke about the nutritional significance of eggs and their importance in promoting public health. The program featured drawing, poem, and speech competitions in which children actively participated and were facilitated by the AH&VS

Department for their engagement.

As part of the celebration, eggs were distributed to the children of Balika Niketan to promote nutritional awareness and ensure access to this vital protein source. The event underscored the incredible versatility and nutritional value of eggs, recognized globally on World Egg Day, a press release from Department of AH&VS said.

Amendment in sailing programme of DSS vessels to Little Andaman

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The general public have been informed that due to administrative reasons, following amendments have been made by the Directorate of Shipping Services in the announced sailing schedule.

MV Bambooka: The sailing schedule of the vessel to Little Andaman on 16.10.2025 at 0615 Hrs from Phoenix Bay Jetty and her return voyage on the same day at 1300 Hrs from Little Andaman to Sri Vijaya Puram has been cancelled.

MV Kalighat: The sailing schedule of the vessel to Little Andaman on 17th & 19th October, 2025 from Sri Vijaya Puram and her return voyage on 18th & 19th October, 2025 from Little Andaman has been cancelled.

Passengers those who are holding the tickets for the above sailings are advised to cancel their tickets and get full refund.

However, to facilitate the commuters the following schedules will be available for Little Andaman.

Sl. No.	Name of the vessel	Date & Time of Sailing	From	To	Date & Time of Return Sailing	From	To
1.	Sindhu	16.10.2025 0800 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Little Andaman	16.10.2025 2100 Hrs	Little Andaman	Sri Vijaya Puram
2.	Sindhu	17.10.2025 2100 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Little Andaman	18.10.2025 1000 Hrs	Little Andaman	Sri Vijaya Puram
3.	Sindhu	19.10.2025 0800 Hrs	Sri Vijaya Puram	Little Andaman	19.10.2025 2100 Hrs	Little Andaman	Sri Vijaya Puram

Passenger tickets for the above sailings will be issued to the general public from 15.10.2025 at 0900 Hrs onwards. Passengers may book their tickets from DSS e-ticketing portal (<https://dss.andamannicobar.gov.in/eticketing>) and STARS Ticketing Counters, a press release from DSS said.

ANSLSA organizes Legal Awareness Programme

(Contd. from page 1)

elaborated on the key provisions and significance of the POCSO Act, emphasizing the need for vigilance and prompt reporting of offences against children. Mr. Deep Chaim Kabir, Learned Senior Advocate, High Court at Calcutta, shed light on the "Prohibition of Child Marriage Act" highlighting the legal and social consequences of child marriages. Dr. Kushal Baidya, Assistant Professor (Psychiatry), ANIIMS, provided valuable insights on "mental health" explaining practical ways to cope with stress and maintain emotional balance.

The programme witnessed the enthusiastic



participation of around 200 students and teachers, who actively engaged in discussions and interacted with the speakers.

During the interaction, certain questions and doubts raised by the students, were answered by the His Lordship and other resource persons instantly. The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Mr. Rashid Alam, Member Secretary, ANSLSA, expressing gratitude to all dignitaries, speakers, and participants for their valuable contributions, a press release from AN SLSA said.

District Administration, SA continues anti-encroachment drive at Bambooflat village

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

As part of its continued efforts to safeguard Government land from illegal occupation, the District Administration, South Andaman, continues the eviction drive today at Bambooflat village.

The operation was carried with active assistance from the Revenue Officials and the Police personnel. During the drive, an unauthorized temporary structure that had been erected on Government land along the road were dismantled and removed using excavators. As a result, an area measuring approximately 1000 sq. metres of prime Government land was successfully cleared of encroachments and



restored to its original condition.

The District Administration remains steadfast in its commitment to protecting public land and maintaining the sanctity of Government property. The Administration has reiterated its zero-tolerance policy towards such encroachments and emphasized that any attempts to occupy or misuse Government land

will invite strict legal action as per relevant laws and regulations.

In case of any inquires/complaints, the general public can communicate with the District Control Room at the following numbers 03192-240127/ 238881/1070/953188844 (WhatsApp). The identity of the person providing the information will be kept secret so as to protect the individual, a press release from DC (SA) said.

Ms. Amrita Minj, a former trainee of SAI STC Sri Vijaya Puram representing India in the ongoing Asian Rowing Championship



Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The Sports Authority of India, STC Sri Vijaya Puram has informed that Ms. Amrita Minj, a former trainee of SAI STC Sri Vijaya Puram is representing India at the ongoing Asian Rowing Championship 2025, being held from 13th to 19th October, 2025 at Hai Phong, Vietnam. Ms. Amrita Minj hails



from Birsanagar (EFA), Tugapur, North & Middle Andaman. Her journey in rowing began in September 2017, when she was selected for SAI STC Sri Vijaya Puram due to her exceptional sporting skills. At the Centre, under the guidance of her dedicated coaches and mentors, she honed her rowing techniques, significantly improved her performance, and won medals at national-level competitions. Her outstanding performance at STC Sri Vijaya Puram eventually

led to her selection in SAI NCOE Alleppey, where she continued her training and gained opportunities to compete at International events.

The story of Ms. Amrita Minj is a shining example of hard work, perseverance, and the impact of dedicated coaching, inspiring young athletes across the Andaman & Nicobar Islands. The SAI STC Sri Vijaya Puram has extended best wishes to her, a press release from SAI said.

World Space Week 2025 celebrated at GSSS Wimberlygunj

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) - ISRO Telemetry, Tracking and Command Network (ISTRAC), in collaboration with the Directorate of Education, A&N Administration, celebrated World Space Week 2025 at the Government Senior Secondary School, Wimberlygunj on Oct. 10. The theme for this year's celebration was 'Living in Space'.

Shri T. Subramanya Ganesh, Deputy Director, Navigation Systems Area, ISTRAC as the chief guest emphasized sustainable space exploration and

future possibilities for human habitation beyond Earth. The event featured a Science Craft Model Exhibition, showcasing innovative models and projects designed by students. Around 250 students and escort teachers from various schools of the Wimberlygunj Zone participated and explored spacecraft and launch vehicle models, Chandrayaan-3 landing visuals, Gaganyaan mission videos, and other recent milestones of ISRO. Shri B. Sankar Madaswamy presented an overview of the Indian

Space Programme, highlighting student opportunities in ISRO and India's key achievements in space technology. The celebration concluded with a prize distribution ceremony, during which the Class XII Science stream toppers of each school from the Wimberlygunj Zone and the winners of the Science Craft Exhibition were felicitated by the chief guest. The event ended with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Manoharan, DEO, Wimberlygunj, a press release from DEO, Wimberlygunj said.

12 companies shown interest in building

(Contd. from page 1)

Aves is a small and beautiful Island, also known as Coconut Island for its lush green coconut plantation. Presently, Aves is not open for tourists. It is an uninhabited island with no accommodation facilities, but with the proposed five-star eco-tourism resort, Aves will be the most sought-after tourist destination after Swaraj Dweep in Andaman, the officer said.

With an investment of nearly Rs 36 crore, the five-star eco-tourism resort (2.75 hectare) at Aves Island will have 50 rooms where the concessionaire can undertake various activities like a shopping area for local souvenirs, scuba diving, game fishing, forest trekking, nature camping, wellness centre, etc.

Apart from Aves, the union territory administration has also invited tenders for the holistic development of 14 more islands, which include Lalaji Bay beach at Long Island (the total project cost of five star eco-tourism resort, with a maximum of 220 rooms, will be approximately Rs 391 crore). Shaheed Dweep (total project costs will be approximately Rs 172 crore and total rooms will be 120) spread across North Andaman, Middle Andaman and South Andaman.

The initiative aligns with the government's Holistic Development of Islands (HDI) framework and seeks to position the Andaman and Nicobar Islands as a premier global destination for sustainable, nature-led tourism.

In 2024, the Andaman and Nicobar Islands recorded an unprecedented growth in domestic travellers and rise in foreign tourist footfall.

Designed to promote eco-friendly and responsible tourism, the projects adhere to international sustainability standards such as LEED, GRIHA, and Green Globe certifications, and comply with Coastal Regulation Zone (CRZ) and environmental norms.

The development of these resorts under the PPP model will unlock significant economic value, boost high-end luxury tourism, and generate substantial local employment opportunities, both direct and indirect - marking a major stride toward the sustainable and inclusive growth of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, the officer added. (Source: www.theweek.in)

State Level Science Drama Competition organized by Directorate of Education



Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

A State Level Science Drama Competition, 2025, was organized by the Science Wing of Directorate of Education, in collaboration with the Birla Industrial & Technological Museum (BITM), Kolkata (A Unit of the National Council of Science Museum) Ministry of Culture, Govt. of India in the TGCE Auditorium yesterday. Shri. Gyan Sheel Dubey, HoO, Directorate of Education was the chief guest of the inaugural function.

The students of Govt. Girls Sr. Sec. School, South Andaman Educational Zone stood first in this competition and has been

selected for Eastern India Science Drama Competition 2025 to be held on Nov. 11 at Birla Industrial & Technological Museum 19A, Gurusaday Road, Kolkata. Altogether, 72 students and 18 Escort teachers took part in the State Level function. The Zonal Level Winner participants from all the 09- Educational Zones of this UT had performed Science Drama on the stipulated theme- 'Science & technology for the benefit of mankind'. The Dy. Director Education (Sci.) gave away the trophies and certificates to the winners and participants on the valedictory function, a press release from Shiksha Sadan said.

Cleanliness drive as part of Special Campaign 5.0 held



Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

As part of the Special Campaign 5.0, the staff of General Administration, Secretariat and Litigation Section, Secretariat,

enthusiastically participated in the cleanliness drive as part of Special Campaign 5.0, a press release from AR& Training Wing said.

Open state prize money Badminton C'hips & selection trial

Sri Vijaya Puram, Oct. 14

The A&N Island Badminton Association is going to conduct open state prize money badminton championship and selection trial in the age category of Junior U-19 and Sub-Junior U-17 & U-15 in association with A&N State Olympic Association on Nov. 1 & 2, 2025 at Sri Vijaya Puram for participation in the National Badminton Championship.

For Badminton Championship & Selection trial (U -19), participants born on or after 1st January 2007 Boys & Girls are eligible for participation in 47th Junior National Badminton Championship at Itanagar, Arunachal

Pradesh from Nov. 18-24, 2025.

For Badminton Championship & Selection trial (U-17 & 15), participants born on or after 1st January, 2009 for U-17 & Born on or after 1st January, 2011 for U-15 Boys & Girls are eligible for participation in 37th Sub-Junior National Badminton Championship at Bhubaneswar, Orissa from Dec. 1-6, 2025.

The players have been advised to submit entries via Google Form on or before Oct. 28, 2025. For further information, participants may contact over phone 9679500691/9531916580, a press release from ANSOA said.



PREVENTING ANDAMAN FEVER /LEPTOSPIROSIS



Wear protective clothing



Cover skin lesions with waterproof dressings



Don't wade or swim in potentially contaminated water



Wash or shower after potential exposure



Clean your wounds



Don't touch sick or dead animals



Consume clean drinking-water

Andaman Fever /Leptospirosis can have mild 'flu'-like symptoms and can appear similar to dengue, typhoid and viral hepatitis

Fever

Chills

Headache

Muscle Pain

Consult a Doctor or visit the nearest Health facilities if you have symptoms of Andaman Fever /Leptospirosis and have been exposed to contaminated water. Don't self-medicate with antibiotics

STATE SURVEILLANCE UNIT-IDSP AND DIRECTORATE OF HEALTH SERVICES, ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS

ABSENTEE NOTICE

Ms. T. Vinothini, working as Public Health Nurse (PHN) at Primary Health Centre (PHC), Campbell Bay, has been absent from duty without prior approval since 24/06/2025.

In view of this unauthorized absence, a Show Cause Notice was issued vide Notice No. M-17030(11)/35/2024-O/O DHS-DCNIC-DCNIC, AN dated 15/09/2025, directing her to report for duty within seven (07) days and with a valid explanation for her absence. The notice was duly sent to her via email on 16/09/2025. However, as of date, Ms. T. Vinothini has neither resumed her duties nor provided any response or justification for her prolonged absence.

Her continued absence without any intimation is viewed as a serious violation of service conduct rules and is causing disruption in the functioning of the health centre and additional burden on the existing staff.

Accordingly, Ms. T. Vinothini is hereby given a final opportunity to report back to duty at PHC Campbell Bay within seven (07) days from the date of publication of this notice, along with a valid explanation for the period of her absence. Failure to do so will lead to the initiation of disciplinary action against her, as per the terms and condition of the District Health Society, Nicobar, without any further correspondence in this regard.

District Health Society, Nicobar



Raj Rajeswari Jewellers

916 HALLMARK GOLD, DIAMOND, SILVER



Diwali Offer From 13th Oct to 20th Oct

BIS Hallmarked Jewellery and New Designs Available



Lowest Wastage & No Making Charges On Gold Ornaments

SASTRI ROAD, ABERDEEN BAZAAR, SRI VIJAYAPURAM - 744101
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS. MOB:- 8900908777

JOB VACANCY

Accounts Assistant: Commerce Graduate with knowledge of Tally and GST. Experience preferred.

Data Entry Staff: Graduate with good knowledge of Computer. Experience preferred.

Sales Executive: Should have Market knowledge with Communication Skill & have two wheeler for FMCG products.

M. A. MOHAMED & SONS,
Phoenix Bay, Sri Vijaya Puram.
Ph. No. 7797791777 / 9933216040
Send your CV – to mamsandaman@gmail.com
Reg. No. UDYAM-AN-01-0003005

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj Institution, South Andaman Division-I on behalf of the **Pradhan, Gram Panchayat, Shoal Bay** invites online item rate tender (in CPWD form-8) from bonafide and experienced contractors for the below mentioned work:

1. NIT No. EE/PRI/SAD-I/MS/2025-26/97 Name of Work: Renovation of Panchayat Market Building at Shoal Bay-12 under Shoal Bay Gram Panchayat. **Estimated Cost : Rs. 8,26,104/-, Earnest Money Deposit: Rs. 16,522/-, Time of Completion:** Six (06) Months, Tender Fee: Rs. 500/- & last date & time of submission of bid: 21/10/2025 (1500 hrs.)

The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website <https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in>.

Tender ID: 2025 RDPRI 20179 1

Executive Engineer
Panchayati Raj Institution
South Andaman Division-I
I.D. No. 11811 Junglighat, Sri Vijaya Puram, South Andaman

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj Institution, South Andaman Division-I on behalf of the **Pradhan, Gram Panchayat, Govind Nagar, Swaraj Dweep** invites online item rate tender (in CPWD form-8) from bonafide and experienced contractors for the below mentioned work:

1. NIT No. EE/PRI/SAD-I/MS/2025-26/106 Name of Work: Construction of Temporary Fish Market at Govind Nagar Ward No.06 under Gram Panchayat, Govind Nagar, Swaraj Dweep. **Estimated Cost: Rs. 40,17,910/-, Earnest Money Deposit : Rs. 80,358/-, Time of Completion:** Twelve (12) Months, Tender Fee: Rs. 500/- & last date & time of submission of bid: 21/10/2025 (1500 hrs.)

The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website <https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in>.

Tender ID: 2025 RDPRI 20166 1

Executive Engineer
Panchayati Raj Institution
South Andaman Division-I
I.D. No. 11810 Junglighat, Sri Vijaya Puram, South Andaman

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj Institution, South Andaman Division-I on behalf of the **Pradhan, Gram Panchayat, Hutbay, Little Andaman** invites online item rate tender (in CPWD form-8) from bonafide and experienced contractors for the below mentioned work:

1. NIT No. EE/PRI/SAD-I/GEN/2025-26/98 Name of Work: Renovation of Canteen at Chidambaram Park at Ward No. 07 under Gram Panchayat Hutbay. **Estimated Cost: Rs. 20,69,222/-, Earnest Money Deposit: Rs. 41,384/-, Time of Completion:** Three (03) Months, Tender Fee: Rs. 500/- & last date & time of submission of bid: 21/10/2025 (1500 hrs.)

The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website <https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in>.

Tender ID: 2025 RDPRI 20170 1

Executive Engineer
Panchayati Raj Institution
South Andaman Division-I
I.D. No. 11812 Junglighat, Sri Vijaya Puram, South Andaman

HELP REQUIRED FOR HOUSEWORK

- House Maid** - For Housework & Cleaning.
 - Caretaker & Cleaner** - Garden Work & Outdoor Area Maintaining and Cleaning.
 - Cook (For House)** - Part Time (10 am - 1 pm)
 - Laundry Help** - Timing 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM
- Contact Personally - Civil Wireless, Mazar Pahad Road, Shadipur.
+91 9564292999 (Call between 9 am to 7 pm Only)

WANTED

01. Personal Assistant Female, Knowledge in Computer Work & Typing at Bhatubasti 02. House Keeper -Cum- Cook at Dollygunj. **Contact No.: 9531832776 / 7063989784**

FOR SALE

- Location: Prem Nagar, Upper Kali Mandir
- Property Type: Plot with House
- Area: 120 Sq. Meters.
- Price: Rs. 70,00,000/-
- Contact Number: 9390291596 / 9531895320

BIKE FOR SALE

Royal Enfield 350CC L Serial
Rate: Rs.1,10,000/-
Hero Honda Glamour J Serial
Rate: Rs.29000/-
Contact: 9474224699 / 7063997770

FLAT FOR SALE

3 BHK Semi Furnished Flat available for sale in IMFC Complex at Teylorabad at the cost of Rs.65,00,000/-. For enquiry **Contact Ph. 9679596532, 9679596519**

TO LET

Room Available for Shop / Office / Godown (6 X 4 Mtrs.) at Junglighat Near Health 4U Multi Specialty Clinic, Sri Vijaya Puram, South Andaman. **Contact No.: 9933275809 / 9476033931**

TO LET

3 Nos. Godown of Size (3.5 M X 10 M) Each Located at Calicut Village Road Opposite to APWD Pump House, Near Ayyanar Temple. **Contact Phone. No.: 9933235948**

TO LET

One 2 BHK Room Available in Ground Floor at Nayagaon Village Near Kali Mandir. Please **Contact: 9531961973 / 9474234462**

TO LET

1 BHK at Garacharma Near Solar Plant. **Contact Ph. No.: 7063966593**



Pillar Health Centre

In association with

SRM Prime Hospital

Ramapuram, Chennai



Gastro and Liver Clinic



Dr. Arulprakash S

Senior Consultant & Clinical Lead
Gastroenterology & Hepatology
SRM Prime Hospital, Chennai

Consult for:

Gallbladder Stones | Appendicitis
Hernia | Acidity & Reflux Problems
Gastritis | Obesity & Digestive Health
Stomach, Intestinal & Rectal Cancer
All Abdominal & Liver-related Conditions

Hair & Skin Clinic



Dr. A. Narayanan

Consultant - Dermatology & Aesthetics
SRM Prime Hospital, Chennai

Consult for:

Hair fall | Psoriasis | Vitiligo
Eczema | Pimples | Pigmentation
Fungal infections & more

Date : 18th October, 2025 (Saturday)

Time : 10 AM Onwards

Venue : Pillar Health Centre

VIP Road, Lamba Line, Sri Vijaya Puram,
Andaman and Nicobar Islands - 744103

For Appointments



76950 11991 | 99620 11192

Registration number: 3564000087



MILAN JEWELLERS

GIFT FOR EVERY PURCHASE

- NO MAKING CHARGES & LOW WASTAGE WITH GST
- EXCHANGE YOUR OLD GOLD & GET NEW GOLD
- ORNAMENTS OF YOUR CHOICE FROM OUR LATEST ARRIVALS OF NEW DESIGNS
- REASONABLE RATE FOR YOUR OLD GOLD

ADVANCE BOOKING START ON 1ST OCT TO 17TH OCT.

Wishing you a Advance Happy Diwali & Dhanteras

SHOP NOW

Near Clock Tower, Opp. Glamour Parlour, Aberdeen Bazar, Sri Vijaya Puram,
Ph: 03192-234232, 7063927441



**RECRUITMENT RALLY IN
TERRITORIAL ARMY FOR VARIOUS
VACANCIES OF SOLDIERS**



1. Recruitment rally for various vacancies of Soldiers (General Duty & Tradesmen) in 154 Infantry Battalion (Territorial Army) BIHAR and 172 Infantry Battalion (Territorial Army) MADRAS will be held at Netaji Stadium, Sri Vijaya Puram (Andaman & Nicobar Islands) with effect from 15 November 2025 to 27 November 2025.

2. In this recruitment rally domiciles of West Bengal, Assam, Meghalaya, Manipur, Tripura, Nagaland, Sikkim, Mizoram, Arunachal Pradesh and Union Territory of Andaman and Nicobar Islands are eligible for recruitment in 154 Inf Bn (TA) BIHAR and only domiciles of Andaman and Nicobar Islands are eligible for recruitment in 172 Inf Bn (TA) MADRAS.

3. For eligibility criteria and other detailed information, visit National Career Service (NCS) www.ncs.gov.in website and may also refer to Employment Newspaper.

4. Also for detailed information scan the QR code.

Sd/-
Lieutenant Colonel
Adjutant
For Commanding Officer



ADVT: TA RECT RALLY PH-II

CHANGE OF NAME

17024064H, CFN, Dasari Vighneswara Rao, R/o Vajrapukotturu "Mandal", Srikakulam "Distt.", Andhra Pradesh changed my wife name from Gorakala Mamatha to Dasari Mamatha vide affidavit dt. 06-10-2025 Court, Sri Vijaya Puram, A & N Islands.

**ST. MARY'S SCHOOL, BETAPUR
VACANCY NOTICE**

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the post of Primary School Teacher in St. Mary's School, Betapur on contractual basis.

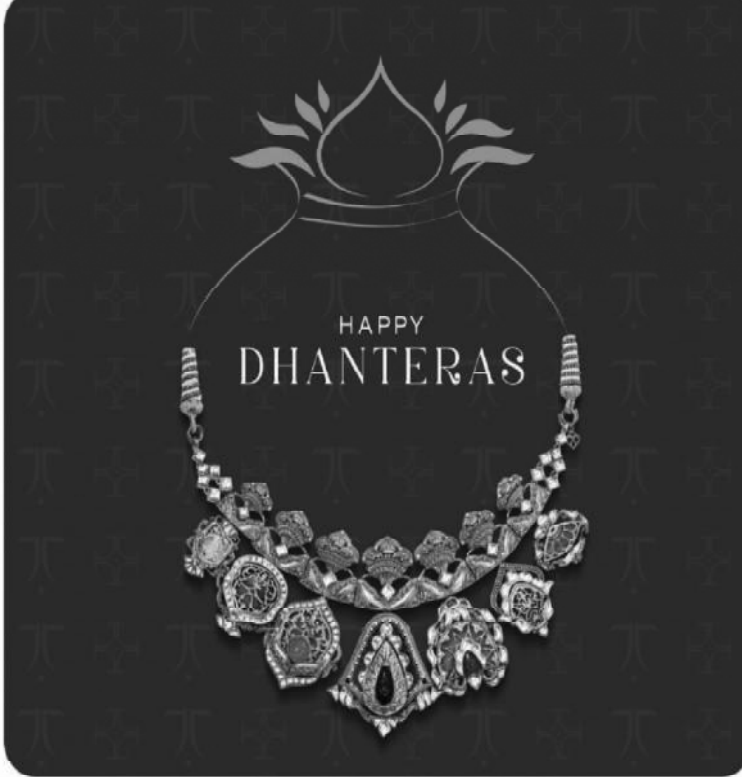
Name of Post	Qualification
PST	JBT / D.El.Ed with CTET Qualified.

Candidates having an excellent academic record, CTET qualification, and proficiency in English need only apply. Interested candidates may submit their resume along with a recent photograph and self-attested copies of certificates to the Manager on or before 20/10/2025, during school hours.

Unique No. N2024/029 Manager (Ph: +91 9474291249)



TANISHQ



HAPPY
DHANTERAS

UP TO
₹450 OFF*
per gram on gold jewellery

UP TO
20% OFF*
On diamond value

FLAT
0% DEDUCTION*
ON EXCHANGE
of old gold of any karat from any jeweller

Gold Rate Protection - Book in advance and stay protected against increasing gold rate*

Showroom: 2, Middle Point, (Next to Hotel Shompen), Sri Vijaya Puram, Andaman and Nicobar Islands - 744101 Tel: 96319 25000

Reg. No. 14822/LG/2622

**ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION
SECRETARIAT**
Sri Vijaya Puram, dated 14th October, 2025

PRESS NOTE

It is brought to notice of all concerned that the Draft Recruitment Rules for framing of 01 (one) No. post of Assistant Director (Physical Education), General Central Services Group 'A', Gazetted Non-Ministerial, Level- 10 (Rs. 57700- 182400) (Academic Level – 10 with rationalized entry pay of Rs. 57700/-) borne in the Establishment of Andaman & Nicobar College (ANCOL), Sri Vijaya Puram has been hoisted in the website of <https://andamannicobar.gov.in> for inviting claims / objections or comments (if any) from the stakeholders on the Draft Recruitment Rules.

The claims/ objections or comments should be submitted to the **Director (Higher Education), A & N Administration**, Sri Vijaya Puram within 30 (thirty) days from the date of publishing of this Press Note.

No claims and objections will be entertained after 30 (thirty) days of publication of this Press Note.

Sd/-
Deputy Secretary (Hr. Edn.)
A&N Administration, Secretariat
F. No. M-212/15/2023-AD (Admin) – ANCOL- AN

AFFIDAVIT

I, SENTHIL KUMARAN N., S/o MUNIYASAMY S. and MURUGESWARI P., resident of Dairy Farm Village, under Sri Vijaya Puram Tehsil, South Andaman District, do hereby solemnly affirm and declare as under: -

1. That I am a permanent resident of these Islands and residing in the above mentioned address.

2. That my name, My Father's name and also the name of My Mother has been recorded in My Birth Certificate vide Registration No.3722/2006/04, dated 26.10.2006 as SENTHIL KUMARAN, S/o MUNIYASAMY and MURUGESWARU instead of SENTHIL KUMARAN N., S/o MUNIYASAMY S. and MURUGESWARI P., which is recorded in my education record and other documents.

3. That my actual and correct name is SENTHIL KUMARAN N., My Father's actual and correct name is MUNIYASAMY S. and My Mother's actual and correct name is MURUGESWARI P.

4. That SENTHIL KUMARAN, S/o MUNIYASAMY & MURUGESWARU and SENTHIL KUMARAN N., S/o MUNIYASAMY S. and MURUGESWARI P. is the same and one identical person.

5. That I am swearing this affidavit to declare that the above name is the same and one identical person and having no any differences, which is required for obtaining Passport in my name and also for all purposes, hence this affidavit.

The above statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Place: Sri Vijaya Puram

DEPONENT

WANTED

Supporting-cum-Field Work Staff:
1 No. (Male)
(Must have own Two Wheeler Scooty)
SURIYA MARINE WORKS,
Haddo Ph. No. 9531921227
Reg. No. 35AMQPA4083P1ZJ

HOME SERVICE

AC, Fridge, Washing Machine, Deep Fridge, Repair and Service,
Contact Mob. No.: 8900942650
/ 9593464551 M.D. Khan
Reg. No. UDYAM-AN-01-0009446

HOUSE SITE FOR SALE

Area 0.0200 hectrs. (Single Patta) in a Prime Location at Anant Vihar Colony, Taylorabad, 500 Mtrs. Distance from Garacharma.
Contact: 9732472124 / 9749625804

LAND FOR SALE

Single Patta 223 Sq. mtrs. land for sale at Loha Barrack, Port Mout. **Contact No. 9933203749 / 9531894380**

SHOP RENT

Location: Haddo, Opposite Van Sadan
Type: Office, Godown, Tuition Centre, Whole Sale etc.
Rent Rs.8,000/- per month.
Feature: Attached Bathroom, Near Road. **Contact: 9933234667**

SHOP RENT

Location: Dugnabad, Near School
Type: Shop, Office, Godown, Whole Sale etc.
Rent Rs.15,000/- per month.
Feature: Near Main Road with Parking. **Contact: 9679533191 / 9933234667**

TO LET

Rent Room available behind All India Radio interested may please **Contact: 9434261233 / 9933282769**



SHRADH CEREMONY
ON 17.10.2025



Late M. Vijayamma
W/o. Late N. Sadasivan

We express our sincere gratitude to those who stood with us at the time of grief on the sad demise of our beloved mother Late M. Vijayamma, R/o. Mahaveer Nagar on 30th September 2025.

We cordially invite all the relatives and well wishers to attend the Shradh Ceremony on 17/10/2025 (Friday) from 12 Noon to 3 Pm at our residence, Mahaveer Nagar.

Kindly consider it as our personal invitation
Inserted by : All family members



6th Year of Remembrance on 15th October, 2025

In loving memory of
Late Smti. SHANTA MALIK
(Retd. Teacher)
W/o Shri S.S. Malik,
R/o Bharat Sadan, Junglighat
*Your life was a blessing,
Your memory a treasure,
You are loved beyond words,
And missed beyond measure.*

Inserted by: S.S. Malik, Tarun Singh Malik & family, Arun Singh Malik & family, Sangita Tripathi & family and Sarita Ramesh & family.

**RC No.414/2025/DC(SA)/4964
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
SOUTH ANDAMAN DISTRICT**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the Cluster Head & Vice President, HDFC Bank Ltd., MG Road, Junglighat, intimated that borrower Mr. Sudip Chakraborty, Proprietor of Chakraborty Hospital had availed loan facilities under the Health Care Infrastructure Finance and Health Care Equipment Loan schemes from HDFC Bank by executing the necessary loan and security documents for the landed properties bearing Sy. No.91/1/2 area 0.03 ha classified as house site and 0.03 ha classified as Commercial and Sy. No.91/1/1/2/1 area 0.01 ha classified as Commercial situated at Pahargaan village under Sri Vijaya Puram Tehsil. Upon default in repayment of the outstanding dues and classification of the account as a Non-Performing Asset (NPA), the Bank initiated proceedings under the SARFAESI Act, 2002, in accordance with the guidelines of the Reserve Bank of India.

Accordingly, a notice under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act was issued to the borrower on 14th February 2023. After the expiry of the statutory notice period, the borrower, Mr. Sudip Chakraborty, voluntarily submitted a letter surrendering the mortgaged property. Accordingly, the Authorized Officer of the Bank has taken over the physical possession of the said property and completed the required formalities under the SARFAESI Act.

Additionally, informed that the borrower has given his written consent for the sale of the property with the declaration that he shall not raise any objection for further proceedings.

In light of the above, HDFC Bank has requested to accord necessary permission under section 159 (9) of Andaman and Nicobar Islands Land Revenue and Land Reforms Regulation 1966 read with rule 168(A) of Andaman and Nicobar Islands Land Revenue and Land Reforms Regulation 1968 to proceed with the sale of the mortgaged property through private/public auction, or e-auction, and to facilitate registration of the property in favour of the successful purchaser.

Now, therefore this public notice is issued for the information of Shri Sudip Chakraborty, Borrower and any other interested parties with the request to file their claims or objections, if any, with regard to grant of sale permission in respect of the landed properties as mentioned above within 07 days from the date of issue of this public notice to the office of the undersigned. And in the event of there is no receipt of claims or objections within the stipulated period, the permission to sale the scheduled property shall be accorded in accordance to the SARFAESI ACT and under the permissible provisions of Andaman and Nicobar Islands Land Revenue and Land Reforms Regulation.

Sd/-
Deputy Commissioner
South Andaman



यूको बैंक UCO BANK

Sri Vijaya Puram Branch (1757), 23 MG Road, Sri Vijaya Puram, A & N Islands- 744101

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the General Public, and the under mentioned persons (referred as 'the borrowers' with details mentioned in the Table given below) in particular that owing to failure of borrower(s) to repay their outstanding dues towards Gold Loan availed by them, the undersigned will sell the gold ornaments/jewellery/coins, pledged by them with UCO Bank to secure their loans by public auction. Such auction will be on "As is What is Basis" & "Whatever there is Basis" & "Without recourse Basis" on 30/10/2025 time 11:00 am to 3:00 Pm at UCO Bank Sri Vijaya Puram Branch, 23 M G Road, Middle Point, Sri Vijaya Puram, South Andaman, Pin code-744101.

Other 'General Terms and Conditions of Gold Auction', subject to which the auction will be conducted by Bank, are displayed on the Notice Board of respective Branch as shown against name of the Borrower in the table given below. Such 'General Terms and Conditions of Gold Auction' are also displayed on website of the Bank. A person submitting the EMD shall be deemed to have read, understood and accepted the terms contained herein as well as the 'General Terms and Conditions of Gold Auction', as referred above and is required to sign the same.

Bank reserves the right to cancel or postpone the auction sale as it deems fit at any stage without any prior notice by display of Notice on Notice Board of the branch concerned.

Sl no.	Borrower Name	Account	Branch Name	Reserve Price	EMD Amount (Rs.)	Incremental Bid	Last date for submission of EMD	Branch concerned
1	Mr. Netai Paul	17570610039595	UCO Bank Sri Vijaya Puram	Rs. 1,69,938/-	Rs.16,994/-	Rs.1699/-	19.10.2025	portbl@uconak.co.in 9687386802
2	Mr. J. Rajendran	17570610046555		Rs. 1,53,888/-	Rs.15,389/-	Rs.1538/-	19.10.2025	

Date: 17.10.2025

BRANCH MANAGER

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj Institution, South Andaman Division-I on behalf of the **Pradhan, Gram Panchayat, Mithakhari** invites online item rate tender (in CPWD form-8) from bonafide and experienced contractors for the below mentioned work:

1. NIT No. EE/PRI/SAD-I/RR/2025-26/110 Name of Work: - Renovation of CC Drain behind Shiv Dasan house at Ograbraj-03 under Gram Panchayat Mithakhari. **Estimated Cost: Rs. 9,04,723/-, Earnest Money Deposit: Rs. 18,094/-, Time of Completion:** Three (03) Months, Tender Fee: Rs. 500/- & last date & time of submission of bid: 21/10/2025 (1500 hrs.)

The tender forms and other details can be obtained from the website <https://eprocure.andamannicobar.gov.in>.

Tender ID: 2025 RDPRI 20160_1

Executive Engineer
Panchayati Raj Institution
South Andaman Division-I

I.D. No. 11808 Junglighat, Sri Vijaya Puram, South Andaman

8th Death Anniversary ON 15/10/2025



You were the Icon of inspiration of our family and people around you in your life time. Your hard work and motivation has build up our personality and carrier in the society. We pray almighty to rest your soul in peace and give berth in heaven.

"WE ALL LOVE & ADMIRE YOU FROM CORE OF OUR HEART AND MISS YOU A LOT".

K POTHIRAJ

With Tears: Shri P. Kannan & Family, Shri P. Raman & Family, Shri P. Lakshman & Family, Shri K.Venkateshwaran & Smti V. Pushpa & Family, K.Scindhuza, R. Visudha, V.Meenu Priyanka, R.Yogamsha, V.Anishka and K.Angesh Khanth, L.Akash Nath, L.Tejesh Nath & V.Shiva Kumar.

M/s LAKSHMI INDUSTRIES & M/s GURU LAKSHMI ENTERPRISES

DISCLAIMER

Readers are requested to verify and make appropriate enquiries to satisfy themselves about the veracity of an advertisement before responding to any advertisement published in this newspaper. The publisher of this newspaper, does not vouch for the authenticity of any advertisement of advertiser or for any of the advertisers products and services.

The Owner, Publisher, Printer, Employees of this newspaper shall not be held responsible, liable in any manner whatsoever for any claims and/ or damages/consequences for advertisements in this newspaper.

2nd YEAR REMEMBRANCE



Your life continues to be a blessing and your memory remains our greatest treasure.

We love you beyond words and miss you every single day, more than we can express.

Your love still guides us, though we cannot see you, we feel your presence always by our side.

You are forever in our hearts, Amma.

WE MISS YOU AMMA

ELIZABETH PIOUS
04 July 1944 - 15 October 2023

Inserted by
Children and Grandchildren