

Doctor found dead in Belagavi

The Hindu Bureau
BELAGAVI

A senior doctor was found dead at his house in Belagavi on Friday.

Dinesh Lakshman Bhatkal, 79, hailing from Ankola in Uttara Kannada district, had settled in Belagavi after decades of private practice. He was being treated for lung cancer and had been suffering from anxiety and depression, the police said.

Investigators found the doctor's licensed gun near his body in his house.

The police said that just before his death, he had sent messages asking friends to help his family and inform the police.

According to the police, he was known for his simple and friendly personality.

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HUBBALLI

SUNDAY, MAY. 24
☀️ **RISE** 05:58 **SET** 18:54
🌧️ **RISE** 13:14 **SET** 01:07

MONDAY, MAY. 25
☀️ **RISE** 05:57 **SET** 18:54
🌧️ **RISE** 14:03 **SET** 01:44

TUESDAY, MAY. 26
☀️ **RISE** 05:57 **SET** 18:54
🌧️ **RISE** 14:52 **SET** 02:18

Vijayapura Weather	max	min
Goa	35	28
Ballari	34	23
Davangere	35	21

Vijayapura Today
38°C The weather will be slight hot and uneasy. Night will be comfortable. Chances of light rain and thundershower with gusty winds.

Vijayapura Tomorrow
38°C Morning will be pleasant. Day will be slight hot and uneasy. Night also will be comfortable. Spell of light rain may occur.

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The Senior Divisional Electrical Engineer (TRD), Central Railway, Solapur, for and on behalf of the President of India invites online e-tenders on Railways e-procurement website www.ireps.gov.in from reputed, experienced & licensed Electrical contractors for the following works. **Tender No. SUR/TD/T/2026/05. Name of Work:** Implementation of Cyber Security & upgradation of SCADA System of Solapur Division of Central Railway. **Estimated cost:** Rs.14,85,05,967.55. **Bid Security:** Rs. 29,70,100/- **Completion Period:** 24 months. **Validity of offer:** 90 Days. **Date & time of tender closing on website:** 17.06.2026 at 15:00 hours.

Sr. Divisional Electrical Engineer (TRD), AK/Sur-34 Central Railway, Solapur

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E-Tender Notice No. H-GS-UBL-02-2026-27
Dated : 19.05.2026

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-Tenders for the following works.

Name of the Work	Approx. Value
Provision of Two additional looplines with R&D facilities and associated works at Vijayanagar Railway station along with associated Electrical General, Electrical Traction and Signal & Telecommunication works (Composite work).	Rs. 11,54,88,289/-

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Students urged to learn from mistakes and move forward in life

Zoho Corporation director says that mistakes are bound to happen on the path of innovation

The Hindu Bureau
HUBBALLI

Elaborating on the importance of failure in innovation, director of Zoho Corporation Rajendran Dandapani has said that mistakes are bound to happen on the path of innovation, but what matters the most is learning from them and moving forward.

Inaugurating the IDEA LAB (Innovation, Design, Entrepreneurship, Application) at GM University in Davangere recently, Mr. Rajendran encouraged students to embrace creativity and experimentation.

"When mentors encourage students to fail, it does not mean repeating the same mistakes. Instead, it refers to learning through experimentation and discovering new possibilities through errors. Today, we call it an excellent mistake. When experience and learning gained from a mistake outweigh the loss caused by it, that mistake becomes a stepping stone to success," he said.

As every successful jour-



Director of Zoho Corporation Rajendran Dandapani inaugurating the IDEA Lab at GM University in Davangere. SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT

ney began with a small idea, students should never suppress their thoughts and creativity, he said.

Giving examples of Thomas Alva Edison and Elon Musk, he said that acknowledging and accepting one's mistakes and learning from them was crucial to succeed in the long run. Chairman of the STEM Cell at the FSID Incubation

Division of Indian Institute of Science C.S. Murali said that entrepreneurship was not merely a destination but a long journey. One should not assume that success would come immediately after entering business. Even global giants like Microsoft and Google took nearly 15 years of continuous effort to reach their current posi-

tion, he said.

"No matter how brilliant your idea is, it cannot become successful unless customers are willing to pay for it in the market. Conducting scientific research in a laboratory is easier than transforming it into a market-ready product," he said.

Presiding over the function, Chancellor of GM University G.M. Lingaraju told the students not to limit themselves to laboratory experiments alone, but to identify real-life problems and develop technology-driven solutions through innovative thinking.

Welcoming the dignitaries, Vice-Chancellor S.R. Shankapal said that the IDEA Lab would serve as an important platform to convert students' curiosity into creativity and innovation, thereby creating a positive impact on society. Pro-Vice-Chancellor M. Venugopal Rao, Registrar Sunil Kumar B.S., Director of the School of Engineering Praveen J., IDEA Lab Directors Srinivas C.V. and Keerthi Prasad and others were present.

Various birth anniversaries to be celebrated

The Hindu Bureau
KALABURAGI

The Karnataka State Dalit Sangarsh Samiti will celebrate the birth anniversaries of universal reformers the Buddha, Basaveshwara and B.R. Ambedkar at Narona village in Aland taluk of Kalaburagi district on Sunday.

State convener of the samiti D.G. Sagar addressing a press conference in Kalaburagi on Wednesday said that Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Minister Priyank Kharge will be the chief guest and Gurumahant Swami of Mahanteshwar Mutt will preside over the Jayanthotsava.

The celebrations will be held in the presence of Sri Nijagunananda Swami of Mundargi Tontadarya Mutt.

Public Works Minister Satish Jarkiholi and Vice-Chairman of Karnataka State Policy and Planning Commission B.R. Patil will be the chief guests on the occasion.

Dr. Sagar said that for the last 30 years, the Dalit Sangharsh Samiti has been celebrating the birth anniversaries of the three universal reformers on one platform to extend their ideologies as they strived their entire life fighting caste discrimination.

Agriculture fair in Ballari on May 26



Ballari District Chamber of Commerce and Industry president Avvaru Manjunath addressing a press conference in Ballari on Saturday. SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT

The Hindu Bureau
KALABURAGI

The Ballari District Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BDCCI), in association with the district administration and various government departments and farmers' organisations, will organise an agriculture fair on "Quality Seeds and Scientific Sowing" on the APMC premises in Ballari on May 26.

Addressing presspersons in Ballari on Saturday, BDCCI president Avvaru Manjunath and honorary secretary K.C. Suresh Babu said that the fair was being organised with the cooperation of the zilla panchayat, and others.

"The programme would begin at 9 a.m. with a farmers' rally accompanied by cultural troupes. Minister for Agriculture N. Cheluvarayaswamy will inaugurate the fair. District in-charge Minister B.Z. Zameer Ahmed Khan and Vice-Chancellor of Raichur University of Agricultural Sciences M. Hanumanthappa will participate as chief guests. Agricultural scientists A.G. Srinivas, Ravishankar G., Palayya and B. Bheemanna will deliver lectures as resource persons during the fair," Mr. Manjunath said, adding that nearly 10,000 farmers from different parts of the district were expected to attend the fair.

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The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, Invites E-Tenders for the following works:

Item of Work	Approx. Value
1. South Western Railway-Bengaluru-Division: Provision of CCTV coverage in yard area, mainline points and crossings at vulnerable station (ie Banaswadi, Malarur, Patchur, Somanayakkanatti, Sivadi, Toppur, Karuvalli, Omalur, Krishnarajapuram, Whitefield, Baiyyappanahalli, Ramnagar, Nayandahalli, Hejjala, Yeltyur, Chikbanavar, Sampige Road, & Shantigram) at Bengaluru Division.	Rs. 18,99,21,771/-
2. South Western Railway- Bengaluru Division: Provision of CCTV camera at 17 locations of RPF office (Bengaluru, Yasvantpur, Tumakuru, Mandya, Dharmapuri, Bengaluru Cant, Yelahanka, Hindupur, Sri Sathya Sai Prasanti Nilayam, Channasandra, Baiyyappanahalli, Krishnarajapuram, Krishnarajapuram/DSL, Whitefield, Devangonthe, Bangarapet & CIB/Bengaluru).	
3. South Western Railway- Mysuru Division: Provision of CCTV surveillance systems at yard main line crossing areas of Hassan, Arsikere, Kadur, Birur, Chikajalur, Davangere, Amaravathi Colony, Harihar, Ranibennur, Haveri, Bhadravati, Shivamogga Town & Byadrahalli railway stations.	
4. South Western Railway- Hubballi Division: Provision of CCTV coverage of mainline points and crossings in yard area at vulnerable stations of 9 stations in phase-1 Hubballi, Dharwad, Belagavi, Londa, Gadag, Bagalkot, Vijayapura, Hospete and Ballari stations of Hubballi Division.	

Last date for submission of bids: **Upto 15:00 Hrs. on 08-06-2026**

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Deputy Chief Signal & Telecommunication Engineer Projects / Bengaluru

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