



BERASIA

DISCOM officials hold camp to solve problems

The officials of the Power Distribution Company organised a camp at ward number 8, Bal Vihar, to solve the people's issues, on Thursday. The officials received 71 applications at the camp and solved their problems related to installation of new metres. CGM (HR) Rakesh Sharma said the main purpose of the campaign was to dispose of the complaints of the consumers and inform them about various schemes of the government. He said the officials disposed of the complaints related to wrong power bills and the out-of-order metres.

ASHOK NAGAR

Collector interacts with villagers at night Chaupal

Collector Saket Malviya, together with the officials of the district administration, held a night Chaupal in Pathkheda village panchayat. During the Chaupal, he discussed the issues related to water. The collector also heard the problems of the villagers and instructed the officials to solve those problems. He also solved several problems on the spot.

PANNA

Postal Dept to appoint official

The Indian Postal Department will appoint an official to deal with the Postal Life Insurance and Rural Postal Life Insurance schemes. The appointment will be made for the postal division in Satna. The department has organised an interview for appointment in the office of the superintendent of post office, Satna, at 11am on May 29. Those who are above 18 years of age and have passed class 10 examination may apply for the post. Those who have the knowledge of local issue and can maintain public relation will be given preference.

Cops rescue minor girl from clutches of youth from UP

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ASHOKNAGAR

A police team rescued a minor girl from the clutches of a youth in the early hours of Thursday.

According to reports, when the policemen were patrolling at the Rajmata area

TENSION | Police use tear gas amid stone pelting

Fresh violence erupts at Ken-Betwa project site

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CHHATARPUR

Tension intensified once again at the Ken-Betwa Link Project site in Dhondhan and Palkauhan villages of Chhatarpur after villagers allegedly attacked police teams for the second consecutive day.

The police had reached the area to arrest accused persons linked to earlier violence when they came under heavy stone pelting. In response, police fired tear gas shells to disperse the crowd and regain control of the situation.

An FIR has been registered at Kishangarh police station against 50 named individuals and nearly 150 unidentified persons under serious charges, including attempted murder,



rioting, criminal conspiracy, assault on public servants, and damage to property. Police have detained over a dozen suspects so far, while drones, photographs, and video footage are being used to identify others involved. Amid the violence,

ADM Namah Shivay Arjariya and Additional SP Aditya Patle displayed act of courage after Constable Kishor Nayak collapsed unconscious during the operation. Despite continuous stone pelting, both officers administered CPR to the con-

stable on the spot, reviving him before he was rushed to Rajnagar Health Center for treatment. Authorities have deployed additional security forces in the area as tensions remain high over the Ken-Betwa Link Project.

MKC company supervisor kidnapped for ransom, rescued



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CHHATARPUR

A sensational kidnapping case surfaced in Chhatarpur, where Ram Khiladi Sharma, a supervisor with MKC Company engaged in road construction work, was abducted for ransom from Morwa village, Kotwali police said on Thursday.

According to police, three unidentified men arrived at the company office in an SUV, assaulted Sharma and forcibly took him away. Soon after, the kidnappers contacted the victim's family and demanded ?10 lakh for his release.

Acting swiftly, Rajat Saklecha and police teams launched an intensive overnight search operation across suspected

hideouts and forest areas.

Under mounting police pressure, the suspects abandoned Sharma in the forests near Satai and fled. Police rescued Sharma safely without injuries.

Authorities also froze the bank account into which part of the ransom amount had reportedly been transferred by the victim's family out of fear. Police have detained one suspect and identified several others involved in the kidnapping.

Continuous raids are underway to arrest the remaining suspects. The safe recovery of the supervisor has brought major relief to both the company management and the victim's family.

Springdales students excel in class 12 CBSE examinations

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NARMADAPURAM

The students of Springdales Secondary School have excelled in the class 12 CBSE examinations, the results of which were declared on Wednesday.

Aditi Rajput (commerce stream) stood first in the school with 88.8% of marks, Priyanshi Sarathe the second position with 86%, and Raksha Yadav the third position with 78.4%. Priyansh Gaur (science stream) got the first position with 88.8% of marks, Khushi Rawat stood second with 86.6% of marks, and Shreya Dubey got the third place with 80% marks.

Two students got 90% of marks in some subjects. Anupriya Dable got 91% in English and 98% in music.

Similarly, Priyanshu Gaur got 93% in Hindi and 96% in Chemistry. Anamika Gaur got 91% in Hindi and Priyanshi Verma got 92% in PE and 93% in Biology.

Priyanshi Sarathe got 96% in Music. Similarly, Vaishnavi Meena got 90% in English, 90% in Hindi, 91% in biology. Shreya Dubey got 95% in English and 94% in music.

Directors of the school Ashish Chatterjee and Subhashish Chatterjee, and principal Mona Chatterjee congratulated the students and their guardians for the success.

HC defers Rahul defamation case hearing

Our Staff Reporter

BHOPAL

The principal bench of the Madhya Pradesh High Court at Jabalpur on Thursday adjourned the hearing in the Rahul Gandhi defamation case over the Panama Papers leaks.

The hearing will now take place after the summer vacation, according to advocates appearing in the case. Kartikey Chouhan was scheduled to file a reply on Thursday. The criminal defamation case filed by Central Agriculture Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan's elder son, Kartikey Singh Chouhan, against

Gandhi stems from a political rally in 2018 where Gandhi linked Kartikey Chouhan to the Panama Papers scandal. Gandhi had petitioned the High Court to quash the proceedings and the summoning order issued to him by a district and sessions court in Bhopal. Senior advocate Ajay Gupta, appearing in the case, said, "HC has adjourned hearing. Kartikey Singh Chouhan was to file reply on today but now hearing will be after summer vacation. In last hearing, Kartikey Chouhan had demanded time and HC had given only two days to file reply."

ZONAL OFFICE : Khandwa Zone,
Pandit Makhanlal Chaturvedi Marg,
Anand Nagar, Khandwa

Vehicle Sale Notice by E-Auction
(E-Auction Date 09.06.2026, TIME - 11.00 AM TO 5.00 PM)

The Vehicle seized by our branch are proposed to be sold by tender on the basis of "As is where is".

Sr.	Name of Borrower/ Branch	Details of Vehicle	Reserve Price & EMD Rs.
1	Branch Narmadapuram Pradeep Kumar Meena S/o Ramesh Meena	Hyundai Grand I10 Sports 1.2 MP 05 CB 1416 - (2019)	Rs. 2,56,500/- Rs. 25,650/-

BID Increment Amount Rs 10,000.00

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E-AUCTION-1.The Auction Sale bidding will be online through the website https://baanknet.com. 2. Bidder may visit https://baanknet.com. 3. The Bid Amount should be higher than the Reserve Price. 4. The highest/ successful bidders shall deposit 25% of bid/ purchase money adjusting the earnest money already paid immediately on the same day or next working day, after acceptance of the bid, failing which the EMD shall be forfeited. 5. The balance 75% of purchase price shall be payable on or before 15 days of confirmation of the sale by the Authorized officer or such period as agreed upon in writing solely at the discretion of the Authorized officer. In case of failure to deposit the balance amount within the prescribed period, the amount deposited shall be forfeited and the Authorized officer/bank will be at liberty to cancel the auction and conduct fresh auction. 6. The EMD of the unsuccessful bidder will be returned on the closure of the e-auction sale proceedings. The EMD shall not carry any interest. 7. The movable Property is sold in "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" and "AS IS WHAT IT IS BASIS" and WITHOUT ANY RECOURSE BASIS". The intending bidders should make their own enquiries regarding any sort of liabilities. 8. The undersigned has the absolute rights and discretion to accept or reject any bid or adjourn/postpone/cancel the sale/modify any terms and conditions of the sale without any prior notice and assigning any reason. 9. The purchaser shall bear all subsequent charges. 10. The amount due is exclusive of interest and other charges. 11. Further any corrigendum will not be publish in newspaper. Interested advised to refer above website regularly. 12. The Employee/s of Bank of India are barred from participation of e-auction. 13. Interested Bidders need to create their user id and password by own and it will take minimum time of 2 days therefore it is requested to the bidder to kindly create his/her user id before the last date. 14. Incase of sole bidder, the bid amount quoted in his bid from must be improved by at least one bid incremental value, lest the sale shall be cancelled/ deferred. In case of single bidder, the authorized Officer should ensure that the said bidder has quoted a Deprice which is higher than the reserve price fixed. This condition should be mentioned F4 clearly in the notification for auction.

Place: Khandwa
Date: 10.04.2026

Authorized Officer & Chief Manager
BANK OF INDIA

Guilty to pay ripped off amount, says order

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DINDORI

A court of the chief executive officer of Janpad Panchayat in Amarpur has issued an order asking the guilty party in an embezzlement case of over Rs 30.91 lakh to pay back the amount.

A grade-3 employee, Dinesh Tekam, transferred a huge amount to his personal account from 2020 to 2025 and submitted fake vouchers against the money.

The verdict also said the official failed to do his work. The CEO-rank officers neglected their work, for which they, too, have to pay the amount.

An officer who is now an additional collector has to pay lakhs of rupees for the

embezzlement.

The clerk Tekam will pay 50% of the amount and the CEOs the rest, posted in the area when the embezzlement took place.

According to the verdict, a criminal case will be registered against the main accused.

The administration has also initiated punitive action against others who were involved in the rip-off.

The guilty have been told to deposit the money in the government treasury, official sources said.

If they fail to pay the amount within the stipulated time, their properties may be auctioned according to rules. The order said the misuse of government funds because of inefficiency would not be tolerated.

NOTICE

Transportation charge of Re 1 will be applicable in all locations except Bhopal city. This charge will be over and above the cover price of publication

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2-year-old girl dies of measles, health team surveys Satna area

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SATNA

A two-year-old girl died of measles in Ginjara village, Nagod block, on April 27, and after an inquiry, it came to light that she got the infection from her elder sister.

According to the technical assistant to the state vaccination cell, Dr Amit Tiwari, her sister four-year-old Poorvi Ahirwar passed the disease on to her two-year-old sister, Urmi.

Their father, Sanjay Ahirwar, said his family was living in Jammu where Poorvi was down with measles and fever. After the family returned to Ginjara village, Urmi fell ill and died. Dr Tiwari asked the block medical officer to survey Sehra tola and Toiwari Tola areas in the village.

After receiving instructions from Dr Tiwari, a team of the health department surveyed 75 houses, but they did not find any patient. Twenty-eight children were given the additional doses of MR vaccine. The medical consisted of Dr Pradeep Gautam, BMO Dr Pramod Prajapati, and others.

Principal working as DPC for three years

The issue is related to the administration, says DEO

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SEHORE

An in-charge district project coordinator (DPC), who is the principal of a school, has been working on the post for over three years in violation of a

government.

The state education centre, Bhopal, issued an order eight years ago that if the post of DPC was vacant, the position would be handed over to the district education officer. The government was angry with the officials of various districts for handing over the position to junior officers. The school education department issued a fresh order on May 6. According to the order, the department recruited DPCs after a written

examination and interviews Mandla, dindori, Betul, and Ratlam. On September 21 last year, the state education centre held an examination for recruitment to the post of DPC and issued a merit list of candidates. But in Sehore, RR Uike, originally a principal, has been working on the post of DPC for over three years. District education officer Sanjay Tomar said he could not make any comments on the issue because it was related to the administration.

Over 12K to take UPSC prelims at 27 centres in Indore

Our Staff Reporter

INDORE

Preparations for the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) Civil Services Preliminary Examination 2026 have intensified in Indore, where the exam will be conducted across 27 centres on May 24.

A review meeting regarding the arrangements was chaired by divisional commissioner Sudam Khade, who directed officials and centre superintendents to ensure strict compliance with all guidelines issued by the commission.

Officials said a total of 12,104 candidates are expected to appear for the exam in Indore. Out of the 27 centres, one has been specially designated for Persons with Disabilities (PwD) candidates. Candidates will be allowed entry only on the basis of the e-admit card downloaded from the UPSC website.

The exam will be conducted in two sessions

- Morning Session: 9:30 am to 11:30 am
- Afternoon Session: 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm
- Candidates may carry only essential items such as:**
 - Pen and pencil
 - E-admit card
 - Personal photographs
 - Valid identity proof
 - Any other item specifically mentioned in the admit card instructions

Orange alert: Indore swelters at 43.6°C

Our Staff Reporter

INDORE

Indore was placed on an Orange Alert on Thursday, as the Meteorological Office (MO) Indore recorded a severe spike in temperatures across the district. The maximum temperature reached a scorching 43.6°C, which was four degrees above the seasonal average. The weatherman said that the heat remained relentless throughout the night, with the minimum temperature climbed to 32°C with a relative humidity of 46%. The weatherman said, "Visibility was reduced to 5,000 metres due to haze," as west-northwest winds blew at speeds ranging from 13 to 29 kmph. Despite these high winds, the district remained completely dry, recording nil rainfall over the last 24 hours. This continued a trend of dry weather for the city, which faced a seasonal rainfall deficit of -8.4 mm.

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