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## NMMC builds Center to Empower Women

By Chandrashekhar Hendve

**NAVI MUMBAI:** The Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation (NMMC) has built a Women's Empowerment Center, the three storeyed building on plot no 17, Sector 33, Ghansoli, which was inaugurated by Mayor Jayawant Sutar in the presence of MLA Sandeep Naik on September 5.

The civic body has spent Rs 1.59 crore of which Rs 15 lakh has been contributed by Mr Naik. The center has an auditorium in every floor, where various activities related to women empowerment will be taken.

Speaking during the inauguration day, Mayor Jayawant Sutar said, "This Empowerment Center will provide training so that the women can earn income through skills such as sewing and embroidery. A workshop on different subjects (cultural studies, health, computers etc), help the women get a rounded and diverse education. The center work will boost their confidence and self-



worth and support them in working towards financial independence, emotionally and practically."

MLA Sandeep Naik said "The Women's Empowerment Center will help women increase their financial stability through education, services and resources. Issues addressed include personal finance, nutrition, health, parenting, business,

environment, minority issues and violence prevention."

On this occasion Deputy Mayor Mandakini Mhatre, leader of the House Ravindra Ithape, NMMT chairman Ramchandra Dalvi, local Corporator Usha Patil, Anita Manvatkar, Sholpa Kambli, Anant Sutar, Prashant Patil, Ghansham Madhvi, Kamla Patil, Monika Patil, Suvar-

## Guardian Minister takes review of the preparation for Ganesh Festival

By Manoj Gole  
**NAVI MUMBAI:** The potholes laying work in the streets in the district should be completed before Ganeshotsav, said Guardian Minister

Ramesh Narvekar said that all the agencies should maintain their co-ordination with each other.

Shinde was speaking at the law and or-



Ek Nath Shinde. He added, "We will take all the precautions to take care of the festival. Traffic jams and potholes are the current sensitive issues and this should not affect the citizens." Collector

der meeting organized by the District Collectorate before Ganeshotsav. District Collector Rajesh Narvekar, Commissioner of Police Vivek Phansalkar, and

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**By Chandrashekhar Hendve**

To mark the 131<sup>st</sup> Birth Anniversary of the renowned reformer in the arena of education and who bestowed upon common people the 'Earn and Learn Mantra', Padma Bhushan Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil, Rayat Shikshan Sanstha's Modern School and Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil College, Vashi, jointly is organizing "Karmaveer Marathon - Run for Quality Education" on September 9.

Students from vari-

ous schools and colleges of Navi Mumbai, Uran and Panvel will be participating in the upcoming Marathon. The winners will be felicitated and awarded with attractive cash prizes.

The Principal of Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil College Dr. V. S. Shivankar and the Chairman of Marathon Committee Mr. T.S. Mane have appealed to all to participate in the Karmaveer Marathon and make it a grand success.

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## Public Awareness through Prabhat Round under Nutrition Campaign

By Manoj Gole

**NAVI MUMBAI:** The National Program of Nutrition Campaign has been organized from 1st to 30th September, through the Project Office of Turbhe, Panvel, Navi Mumbai, Child Development Project Officer. On this occasion, Prabhat Pheri was organized on Friday. This round was organized for the purpose of reducing the lethality between kidney and women in the age group of 15- 49 years of age and reduction of the number of underweight children in the age



group of 06 months to 05 years.

This program is organized by Smt. Indra

Malo, Commissioner of Integrated Child Development Services, Maharashtra State. Mr.

Deveer, Deputy Commissioner (Health and

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## Teachers Day celebrated at Shramik Shikshan Mandal



By Chandrashekhhar Hendve

**NAVI MUMBAI:** Shramik Shikshan Mandal, on the occasion of the Teachers' Day, on September 5, organised program at R F Naik School and Jr College Koperkhairane. Shramik Shikshan Mandal's founder Director and Ex Minister Ganesh Naik was the chief guest on the occa-

sion.

During the event, Naik felicitated the teachers and the teaching staff. Speaking during the occasion, Mr. Naik emphasized on the importance of education and services in today's life and the big role teachers play in building the future of younger generation.

Naik said, "We started this school to provide education to poor students. Shramik Shikshan Mandal's R F Naik School had started with 84 students. Now, over 7000 students avail quality education. All the credit of this goes to the teachers and ex-students.

During this event,

Hardeliya Company's PP Roy, Vitthal Pujari, Shramik Shikshan Mandal's secretary Suresh Naik, Corporator Liladhar Naik, Lata Madhavi, R F Naik School principal Sudhir Thale, Yojana Tigade, F G Naik college Principal Pratap Mahadik, Narendra Mhatre, Sadanand Mhatre and others were presents.

## Services of CIDCO's Sr. PRO, Mohan Ninawe, terminated

*He had submitted fake caste certificate*

By Crime Reporter  
NAVI MUMBAI:

CIDCO's Senior Public Relations Officer Mohan Ninawe's services in CIDCO was terminated on Friday (7th of September) as he had submitted the fake caste certificate during his appointment at CIDCO.

On December 1, 1995, he was appointed as CIDCO's Assistant Public Relations Officer for the Scheduled Tribes. Their appointment was only to continue till the terms and conditions mentioned in the appointment form were settled.

However, the certificates of caste submitted by Mohan Ninawe were sent for verification to Caste Certificate Verification

Committee of Scheduled Tribe, Nagpur, where his caste certificate was declared invalid. The letter of his termination from CIDCO's services was issued on 7 September 2018.

Mohan Ninawe's caste certificate was verified by the verification committee after he appealed to the High Court and the

High Court rejected his petition on 27th April, 2018. He then moved the Supreme Court against the High Court judgment. However, the Supreme Court refused to intervene in the High Court judgment and rejected his plea on July 30 last. Finally, on December 7, CIDCO decided to relieve him from the service.



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## Playing video games and being engrossed in social media Impacts us negatively at a physical, mental and spiritual levels

*As per Maharshi Adhyatma Vishwavidyalay's research presented in International Conference*

By Mr. Rupesh Redkar,  
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Video games and social media like Facebook are here to stay and they consume a lot of our time. It is common knowledge that they also have a massive impact on our lives.

Is mankind gaining from spending so much of time on it? Apart from effects at a physical and psychological level, research has shown it has spiritually negative effects, explained Dr. Jyoti Kale of the Maharshi Adhyatma Vishwavidyalay. She elaborated on the above in the course of her presentation of the research paper titled 'Subtle-effects of playing video games and being engrossed in social media'. The research paper, authored by H.H. Dr Jayant Athavale, Dr. Jyoti Kale and Mr Sean Clarke was presented at the International conference on Globalisation, Literature and Culture. This conference was organised by the Higher Education and Research Society, Mumbai. It was held on the 7th and 8th of September, 2018 at Dnyansagar Institute of Management & Research, Baner-Balewadi, Pune.

Dr. Kale explained the pilot study conducted about the subtle-effects of video games and social media using aura and energy scanners and the advanced sixth sense of seekers in the research team. An instrument known as the Universal Thermo Scanner, which is an instrument developed by Dr Mannem Murthy (a former nuclear scientist), was used for



Dr. Jyoti Kale of Maharshi Adhyatma Vishwavidyalay while presenting the research paper

this purpose. It measures the type of subtle-energy (whether positive or negative) and the aura around any object (living or non-living).

In the first experiment, five subjects residing at the research centre were asked to play a first-person shooter video game for just an hour and they were measured using the UTS before and after. In all 5 cases, either the negativity in the subjects increased significantly or their positivity was eroded completely. 2 of the players who did not have a negative aura actually developed one. The negative subtle-energy of a subject who was suffering from negative energy distress increased by 72%.

In a separate experiment, 5 different subjects who were also residing at the research centre were asked to view their normal social media feed for an hour and they were measured before and after with a UTS. Here too a negative subtle-effect was observed just from viewing their Facebook and Instagram feed which was in the range of 15-30% increase in negativity of their auras.

Now interestingly we also asked two of the subjects to just view the social media feed of the Spiritual Science Re-

search Foundation, which presents the spiritual research and spiritual practice propounded by Maharshi Adhyatma Vishwavidyalay, for just half an hour and it had just the opposite kind of effect which was that negativity reduced and positivity increased. It also showed that the type of content that a person watches on their social media feed is an important criterion in assessing the impact of social media.

Social media and video games is like any other form of entertainment – but how we use it and what we view on it will define whether it has a positive or negative impact. Unfortunately, the vast majority of video games and social media feeds emit negative vibrations. Indian culture is based around increasing spiritual positivity and actually is an example for the world to follow. But this is an example out of many of how Indian culture is being degraded by the globalisation of spiritually impure trends. Our time on Earth is precious and from a spiritual perspective it is given to us as an opportunity to grow spiritually. If we were more mindful of the content we watched and what we let our kids watch, instead of

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## Xavierian's Express Their Love & Gratitude For Teachers

By Ashok Dhamija

Navi Mumbai: 'A Teacher plants the seeds of knowledge, sprinkles them with love and patiently nurtures their growth to produce tomorrow's Dreams.'

As a tribute to the Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan – second President of India, a great Academician, Philosopher and one of the most well-known Diplomat, Scholar and above all a great Teacher, St. Xavier's High School, Airoli celebrated Teachers' Day with zeal and zest on September 5, 2018 at their auditorium. A special assembly was arranged to express their love and gratitude to the teachers and commenced with special prayers that welcomed a spiritual blessing on everyone. The excitement in the school atmosphere was quite contagious as the students of Std. X and the Council Ministers took over the duties of the instructors for the day. The students showed their appreciation towards their teachers through heart touching speeches that reflected their love and memorable experiences of their academic career. An inspiring



A student pays tribute to her teachers with a heart touching speech



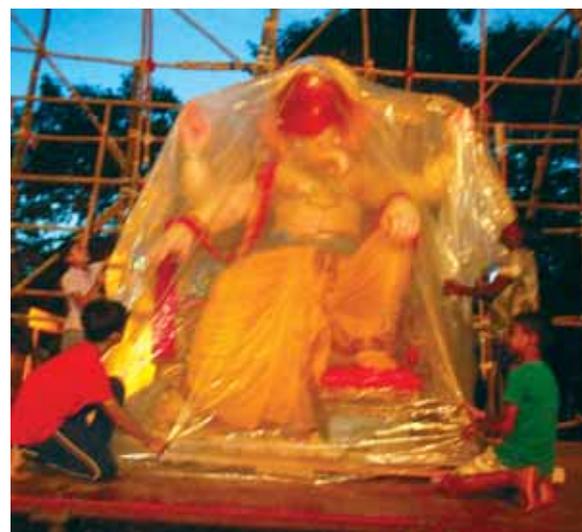
Making it a memorable day for the teachers

& heart warming message of their MD Grace Pinto which encouraged and motivated the gathering was read by the Head Mistress Blaise D'souza on the occasion.

A variety of cultural programmes too was organised by the students to showcase their talents as a treat to the teachers. The Musical Orchestra, skit, magic show and mimicry performances etc by the talented students received thunderous applause from their teachers. The students took

great effort to ensure that the occasion was indeed memorable and even organised fun filled games to make the day sportive and teachers energized. The teachers at the end of the momentous day appreciated each and every child's effort that expressed real love, respect for them. They urged the young students to be shining example of the society in whatever field one chooses to pursue, which in the end will prove to be an ideal reward for all the years of efforts put in by their teachers in the education field.

## Vashi Cha Raja makes a silent statement ...



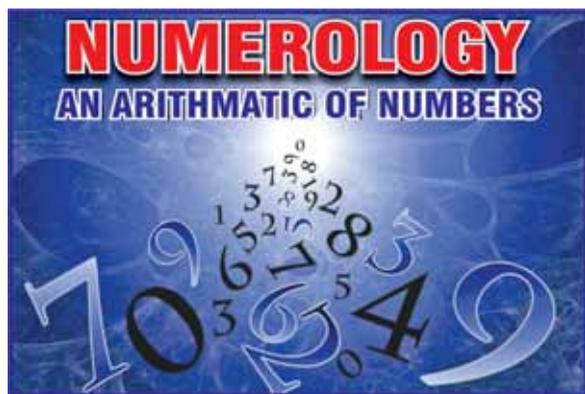
Showing solidarity to the victims of the recent Kerala Flood Disaster, the organisers of the second oldest Ganesh pandal in the city which host the popularly Vashi Cha Raja, for the first time in recent history made a silent entry into the city devoid of any fanfare, from Raju Khatu's workshop in Mumbai on Friday evening. Photo shows young volunteers adjust the protective covering of the Ganesh idol in Sector 1, Vashi in the face of possible rains in the city (By Ashok Dhamija)



By Dilip Sengupta

People born during this week of any year have the right intentions and you ride the right horse but the rewards are not as expected. There are new opportunities and a chance of true peace, plenty and prosperity. You take a break and spend time with congenial companionship. You try to take your hair down and laugh, play and relax, but it doesn't help too much. Deep down you know that your plans are not working and as you had hoped they would. You need to look ahead with hope. You look at the metaphysical aspects of life and seek answers, it's a time of deep introspection. There could be marital problems and several indulgencies that trap you and throw you frontally into a downward spiral, i.e. a way, of your own making. Your mind is not rock steady and is the cause of all your problems.

There is some confidence and self-beliefs in your efforts but they are still not bearing fruit. You are in debt and take to gamble and



other excesses, it's high time that you pull up your socks or it could get too late. The family is pained by what they see and you to refuse to hear the sane counsel of friends and well-wishers. You know they are right but you are adamant and refuse to listen your inner voice which tells you to change in no uncertain terms. Your mind is wrapped and you are being swayed by new found associates who don't mean well for you. You need to extricate yourself from the quicksand of life right now before it smotheres to completely in its slush.

You are trying your best to the most of the rotten situation that you find yourself in. It will help you to take to self-disciplining, through yoga and meditation. Work is unattended and you could risk a job loss and this could further ramification. You need to stabilize your boat to a stable ground and make an all-out effort to do it. The waters are now swirling around your neck and you could realize that you could

drown in it. Everybody helps you. Family and friends rally around you. And with every effort you salvage the lost ground. Suddenly even total strangers lend a helping hand.

There is progress in your affairs as you wrestle to quell. The demons that hound you. You look at growth and advancement, and you push hard your achieve your potential. You could many changes, which could include your job hope or a new line of work altogether. You feel isolated now and need to work back lost prestige. You take time off and spend it in Ashrams and for GURU's looking for answers. There may be even a pilgrimage to a shrine as you need divine help. You have the rails and need to get back on the track. Your mind is still playing tricks with you and you strive to quell it.

There is a shimmer of hope as you slowly regain control of your life. You need to get back the respect of your peers and believing in

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## Indian batsmen guilty, why then blame bowlers?



By CK Subramaniam

Taking 20 wickets in a test match situation is very difficult in present day test match cricket. Despite taking 80 wickets in the last four test matches, the bowlers were made to face criticism. Whereas lack of application was the major reason for our edgy batting at Edgbaston and the subsequent defeat at Lord's, poor shot selection was the major reason for the series losing show at

Southampton. Both coach and the captain were solely responsible for their arrogant attitude and resulted in losing in the first four test matches in this test series and lost in the first two matches in South Africa. Arrogance is not going to do wonders in winning matches. Shastri's pep talk after losing the series 1-3 is just an eye wash and does not serve the purpose in any way.

Print media should play positive role in pointing out the main reason for the surrender, debacles and the defeats. After all batsmen matches for India on docile Indian wickets. The Indian rope trick playing on a tailor made spin track, the lopsided crowd support, which was vociferous in nature only supporting Indian side and the umpiring errors by ICC panel umpires in the noise filled stadiums.

went wicketless in England in a stint of over 300 balls and repeated the dubious record for the second time also and chucked out of test cricket. It appears as though, the pot is calling the kettle black. Harbhajan should know that if you have 350-400 runs your bowlers will look different in these conditions and not with 100 and 200 runs in our bag.

In 2011, India came to England riding a crest. This was likely to be the last tour here by Sachin Tendulkar and his golden generation. India lost every Test. This time too India came in as the No. 1 team in the world, with Virat Kohli's record in England in need



of severe repairs. The Kohli conundrum has been resolved. His two innings in the first Test are the stuff of legends. Had he batted another half an hour, the problems before the Lord's Test would have all been in the England dressing room. It was always assumed that a successful Kohli would mean a successful India. That hasn't been

Ex-players join the chorus in criticising Ravichandran Ashwin for no fault of his. Harbhajan Singh, who was having a dubious bowling action during his entire cricketing career, made a controversial remark about the world class spinner Ashwin. Harbhajan

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## Everyone has the 'Right to Love'

The Supreme Court ruled on Section 377. The Supreme Court has come up with landmark judgment decriminalising gay sex. It is a reaffirmation of the right to love. In a 5-0 verdict, a Constitution Bench has corrected the flagrant judicial error

LGBTQ community's recognised right to equal protection of the law has at last been upheld. There was nothing wrong in the law treating people having sex "against the order of nature" differently from those who abide by "nature". It was up to Parliament to act if it wanted to change the law against unnatural sex. The court has upheld homosexuals' right to have intimate relations with people of their choice, their inherent right to privacy and dignity and the freedom to live without fear.

Justice Indu Malhotra strikes a poignant note when she says history owes an apology to the LGBTQ community for the delay in providing the redress. This is a verdict that will, to borrow a phrase from Justice Chandrachud, help sexual minorities 'confront the closet' and realise their rights.

Stigma, oppression and prejudice against the community have to be eradicated, says CJ Dipak Misra. Bigoted and homophobic attitudes dehumanise transgenders by denying them their dignity, personhood and above all, their basic human rights. "It is the foremost duty of each one of us to stand up and speak up against the slightest form of discrimination against transgenders that we come across. Let us move from bigotry to tolerance," the Chief Justice wrote.

"Transgenders have to progress from their narrow claustrophobic spaces of mere survival, hiding in there with their isolation and fears, to enjoying the richness of living," Chief Justice Misra observed. The community should get equal opportunity in all walks of life, CJ further added.

Thus India is at last seeing the most beautiful rainbow in form of the decriminalization of Section 377 IPC after a long long fight against the storm of taboos and norms.

## Raje Umaji Naik Jayanti observed



On the occasion of Umaji Naik Jayanti, Mayor Jaywant Sutar paid homage. On this occasion, municipal commissioner Dr. Ramaswamy N., leader of the house Ravindra Lthape, Chairman of Transport Committee Ramchandra Dalvi and member Sameer Bagwan, Additional Commissioner. Ravindra Patil, Deputy Commissioner, Administration, Kiranraj Yadav, Deputy Commissioner, Solid Waste Management, Tushar Pawar, Dy. Deputy Commissioner, Dadasaheb Chabukswar, Chief Auditor Dayanand Nimkar, alongwith other officers and employees were present. (By Chandrashekhar Hendve)

## NMMT bus breaks down



Due to sudden breakdown of the NMMT bus, passengers were forced to get down and take other means of transport for travel. The bus broke down at Shivaji Chowk, Vashi (By Sumit Renose)

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it being detrimental, it could in fact help us to grow in both worldly life as well as spiritually.

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ma Vishwavidyalay has been founded by His Holiness Dr Athavale on the base of His 37 years of spiritual research. It specialises in conducting research into how the spiritual dimension & spiritual vibrations affect our lives.

## Public Awareness...

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Nutrition), Mr. Vijay Kshirsagar, Deputy Commissioner (Information and Management), Mr. Aravind Ramramane, Child Development Project Officer, Turbhe Panvel, Navi Mumbai, were present.

The Nutrition Campaign is meant to be a transformation of people's movement in people's movement, not just the program. Prenatal care of pregnant women in pregnancy, after childbirth, and breast feeding for six months immediately after childbirth, child

feeding for six months full, pregnant women in teenage girls, child protection, child education, nutrition and right age of marriage, personal hygiene and cleanliness Information about the dietary nutritional value is provided. This Prabhat Ferry was drawn between Raigad and Belapur to Diwale village. Smt. Smita Kamble, Chief Minister of Turbhe-Panvel, Navi Mumbai, Smt. Smita Kamble, Smt. Supriya Lahane, Smt. Gauri Khatu, Smt. Sonali Dhumal, Smt. Shantita Kate, Smt. Sanchalika Jagtap, were working hard to carry out this program successfully.

## Indian batsmen...

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the case, and India's batsmen have to remind themselves that they have a responsibility too. For the last one decade, we could not win a single test series in England and the last recorded was in 2007 under Rahul Dravid. On the other hand Cook and Co, cooked India's goose in a 2-1 series win with Nagpur test ending in a draw.

Innings defeat at Lord's revealed our inability to even last for 3 days after first day's play was washed out by rain. In Southampton we were out batted on the penultimate day and lost by sixty runs and the series was lost. We avoided playing practice games in South Africa and now in England. Perhaps the International Cricket Council should

## Numerology..

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yourself more. You get discipline in your life and get organized. You put in long hours at work and start from the scratch. The dividends starts showing almost immediately as though your life was just waiting to be set right and looking for the slightest excuse to stabilise itself. Finance improves and so also the relationships. There are other personal gains too but the larger canvass needs to be more illuminated, as you know,

mandate that every touring team plays at least two, if not three first-class matches before a Test series. This is a suggestion former editor of Wisden, Scyld Berry has made. If they won't do it voluntarily, then force them to. It is a thought. The odds are in favour of the home team anyway, and anything to reduce them should be considered.

It is better to play the extra batsman and be safe rather than feel sorry. India have lost the first Test of a series for so long and so often that there is a depressing pattern here. Now there is blame game and people ask for the heads of coach Ravi Shastri and captain Kohli. Indian batsmen including the captain were responsible for the loss of two series in succession; why then blame bowlers for non-performance of batsmen?

where are headed.

You are pulling yourself from the bootstraps. You have indulged yourself in various ways and feel it's time to return to the daily grind. You make superhuman efforts at your job front and realize that the sincere hard work is the need or the KEY WORD.

Enquiries, if any are solicited on No.9869472971, however, only calls from land line will not be entertained. EXPERT IN MARRIAGE MATCH (STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL)

**Letter to the Editor...**



**Pandora's Box on Section 377 of IPC**

The judgment is good but media is presenting it as if constitution makers were fools who incorporated Section 377 in the IPC. Media is undermining the constitution. No unnatural sex is legal but natural sex with a prostitute is illegal. Where are our judiciary and media going? They are behaving in a very abnormal manner. Crores of cases are pending in courts. But judges are most callous towards those cases and litigants. It is indeed very senseless activism.

Homosexuality is no more a crime and the verdict opens Pandora's Box as of now. This judgment implies that persons of the same sex may now legally marry, which will raise complex questions of their progeny, whether natural or artificial, succession to property and heirship. However, the five judge bench verdict has restricted itself the question of constitutional protection of homosexuals, lesbians, bisexuals, trans-genders and queers. It is declared that the constitutional morality overrode societal morality which had to change with time. Other complex questions will arise now. It is important now that Central and state Governments endorse the Supreme Court decision. Progressive people at large should speak out and put their weight for larger social acceptance. So there is no point in taking a stand and leave it to the conventional wisdom of the court.

Ground observers are privy to the fact that the present day politicians are known to speak in different voices on same subject with a view that such different talk will cater to different constituencies. Hence its not surprising to see an explicit stand in this regard. Learned Judge observation is apt, as the challenge to the constitutional validity of Section 377 must squarely be addressed. Constitutional issues are not decided on concession. Act of omission and commission on the part of government does not holds good for the constitution of country?

Of course, the verdict will save the LBGTQ from prosecution, but not from social stigma. Will parents allow their children to come in contact with them? Will a landlord rent his flat or house to them? Will parents allow their son or daughter to marry a known gay or lesbian or bisexual? The answer will be emphatic no. The basic problem is how to check the growth of this class of aberrant people. The number of trans-genders has reduced considerably as young parents are better educated and they go to a hospital for the birth of their child. Any birth deformity is easily detected and the doctor gives valuable suggestions. The Queer is rare. Some cases have appeared in sports in which the sex of the participants was questioned. It is time for the government to appoint a committee consisting of biologists, psychologists and sociologists to study the problem of LBGTQ and suggest ways and means and how their number can be reduced to zero in near future and these people can be rehabilitated. That is the need of the hour.

Every right-thinking person will acquiesce in the solicitude expressed over the the years by the kinky sexual act and this should not be allowed in the name of individual liberty of a minuscule minority even as this flies in the face of our age-old Indian civilization and culture where people from all religious faiths live but none permits the unnatural sex which is an overt infringement on the women's rights as well, and this might open a Pandora's box of vices.

- C.K. Subramaniam, Sanpada

**Expressing protest through ingenuity...**

The missing light pole near Navshivenri and Vivek CHS buildings in sector 9 has prompted an environmentalist to plant a tree stub as a way of protesting against the inaction of the concerned authorities. (By Ashok Dhamija)



**Gang of thieves arrested**

Navi Mumbai Crime Branch arrests a gang of thieves with stolen jewellerys and currencies. (By Sumit Renose)



**Guardian Minister...**

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Kalyan Dombivali Municipal Commissioner Govind Bodke, Bhiwandi Nizampur Municipal Corporation Commissioner Manohar Hiray, Mira Bhaindar Municipal Commissioner Balaji Khatgaonkar, Ulhasnagar Municipality Commissioner Ganesh Patil, resident Deputy Collector Shivaji Patil and others were

present.

The Guardian Minister said that the festival of Ganeshotsav and Moharram will be observed during the same period, and there should be peace and harmony like always. He also instructed the officials of the Electricity Board to take precautions that electricity will not be discontinued during these festivals, and the Railways and ST services should be kept smooth.

In Navi Mumbai, 202 circles are allowed. There are 23 immersion ponds. 670 volunteers will be deployed in this place, Navi Mumbai Municipal Commissioner Ravindra Patil said that in the next 4 to 5 days all the pits would be eroded.

In Thane, Thane officials and employees have worked together for a long time and the potholes on the roads have been spread over a large number. There are

36 immersion ponds and online 309 applications have been received. There will be 3,500 police personnel

Police Commissioner Vivek Phansalkar said that the posting of the police in all the five circles was completed and the installation of 1080 public Ganesha and 100,000 domestic and 20 thousand Gauri were done. There will be 3,500 police personnel for this Ganesh Festival. Deputy Commis-

sioner of Police, Amit Kale said that they also planned to keep the traffic smooth. It was also informed that 1040 public and 40 thousand private Ganapati were installed in rural police borders. District General Hospital and Navi Mumbai Police Commissioner also informed about their preparations.

There will be 800 buses of ST. Officials of the corporation said that 800 buses have

been reserved for Ganeshotsav in Konkan and other places and 450 boards have been reserved by the groups. Since these buses are difficult to transport from Thane to the city, they requested for permission to park these buses on the service road of Cadbury junction three hand naka for two days.

Nayab Tehsildar Dinesh Paithankar conducted the summit.

## Bharati Vidyapeeth's IMSR Celebrates Teacher's Day

By Divakar Gore

**NAVI MUMBAI:** In India, 5th September is celebrated as Teachers' Day as a mark of tribute to the contribution made by Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan to the society. Teachers nourish and prepare students for whole life as they are the real icon of knowledge, wisdom, creating awareness and educating people.

'A good teacher is the reason why ordinary students dream to become extraordinary' and this is exactly what makes the student-teacher bond at BVIMSR so special. To celebrate this special bond, the teachers, the students celebrated Teacher's Day which was in association with



Rotract Club Bharati Vidyapeeth, Belapur. The theme for the event was traditional.

The event started with Saraswati Vandana to evoke the Goddess of Knowledge which was followed by felicitation of Dr. Anjali Kalse (Director, BVIMSR), Dr. Govind Shinde, Dr. Vijay Bid-



nur and Prof. Makrand Pol and other faculty members of the institute who have devoted their heart and soul to the betterment of their students. This was followed by the cake cutting ceremony where the cake was backed by one of the students. The first year management students (MMS &

PGDBM) conducted various programs such as group dances, solo singing and skit along with a lot of interactive management games for teachers and students. The teachers actively participated in all the events and also came up with a few spontaneous performances on stage like singing and poetry. All the teaching and non-teaching members were overwhelmed with the efforts put in by the students to make the event memorable.

By the end of the event, all the newly joined students jelled in so well with the teachers that it felt more like a family event.

## TSG Basketball School To Train Grass-Root And Professional Hoopsters

By Ashok Dhamija

**NAVI MUMBAI:** The Sports Gurukul (TSG) which has been in the field of training in the field of Physical Education and multiple Sports across the country including Navi Mumbai in its new venture has launched the TSG Basketball School, which is being powered by Core Focus Training (CFT) USA. This school will provide an opportunity for budding basketball players to get coaching at both, the grass-root level and at the professional level. CFT have designated their coaches to share their experience with the kids and local coaches and supervise and monitor the entire program. They will be assisted by our TSG coaches, who get an opportunity to work closely with the American coaches and learn the finer points of game and improve their coaching techniques.

Paresh Kothari,



**Jason Benadretti, the founder of CFT, USA who is associated with TSG Basketball School speaks to budding hoopsters during the launch of the TSG Basketball School.**

TSG, Co-founder said, "The passion for basketball in India and the desire to have industry leading coaching is evident. With this partnership, we believe we can not only help to develop the Indian talent, but provide them with a development pathway that has been proven around the world time and time again.

Jason Benadretti, the founder of CFT, who was present at the opening, said: "In my visits to some local schools in the community, it was clear to me the drive the kids have to take their talents to the next level. I believe

the TSG Basketball School is able to perfectly provide that outlet for them to enhance their athletic abilities."

Our program offers a unique blend of grass-root training which follows the best of international training methods and practices to provide a pathway for children to move up the ranks and make it as a professional player both in India and Internationally.

Scouts associated with the program will select talented basketball players who would get an opportunity to be trained at American academies and clubs.

## Vashi's Sri Vara Siddhi Vinayaka Seva Samaj to celebrate Ganesh Chaturthi

*The festival will be celebrated for six days*

By Lakshman Sundar

**VASHI:** Sri Vara Siddhi Vinayaka Seva Samaj at Sector 29, Vashi will come up with a number of devotional, cultural and spiritual programs to celebrate Shri Ganesh Chaturthi Festival for six days beginning from Thursday, September 13 to Tuesday September 18, 2018.

Homams, archanas, abhishekas, music concerts, devotional songs, dance and bhajans by noted artistes and scholars will be featured during these days. All are cordially invited to participate in these functions and make them a grand success.

Sponsorships are Rs. 300 for Lord Ganapathy Homam for each day, Rs. 2000 for Special Abhishegam (All Dravyam Abhishegam), Rs. 2,000 for each Alankar (Decoration), Rs. 1,000 for Prasadam



for each day, Rs. 1,000 for flowers on each day and Rs. 5,000 for Abhishegam, Homam, Flowers and Prasadam on the day of Vinayaka Chaturthi i.e. on Thursday, September 13, 2018.,

All donations are exempted from income tax under section 80G. For more information please contact the officials of Sri Vara Siddhi Vinayaka Seva Samaj on 022 27667850 from 8 to 10 am and 6 to 8pm.

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