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Renew residency, work permits anywhere

● The service is available to expats working in both commercial and government sectors

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Bahrain has cemented its position yet again as the premier destination for expatriates in the Middle East with



Expatriate workers at a factory in Salmabad village south of Manama

a ground-breaking decision yesterday.

The Kingdom now allows its vast expatriate community, numbering over 4.8 million, to renew their residency and work permits from anywhere in the world before expiry.

The decision was announced yesterday by the Shaikh Hisham bin Abdulrahman Al Khalifa, the Interior Ministry Undersecretary for Nationality, Passports and Residence Affairs (NPRA).

The service is available to ex-

pats working in both commercial and government sectors, as well as registered labourers and domestic workers.

The facility is offered in coordination with the Labour Market Regularly Authority (LMRA).

Accordingly, residency permits can be renewed through the National Portal of Bahrain, and work permits through the Expatriate Management System or official LMRA channels.

LMRA CEO, Nibras Mohamed Talib, said that the service

Residency permit renewal will be through the National Portal of Bahrain and work permit through the Expatriate Management System or official LMRA channels.

allows employers to renew their employees' work permits online from outside Bahrain, provided the renewal process is completed before the permits' expiration date.

This significant step is part of an effort to expedite processes and meet the demands of business owners and investors for expatriate workers.

Employers can also renew work permits through the Expatriate Management System, selecting the desired duration and completing the payment process. Alternatively, they can visit one of the banks authorised by LMRA to complete the renewal process and pay the associated fees.



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Near 100% compliance

Midday Work Ban ends with almost perfect compliance

- Labour Ministry held 21,723 inspection visits
- Recorded 16 violations by employers, 31 by workers

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Labour Minister Jameel Humaidan announced the conclusion of the two-month midday work ban in the Kingdom, showcasing an impressive compliance rate of 99.92%.

This initiative, spanning the scorching months of July and August, was designed to safeguard individuals labouring under the blistering sun and in open environments.

The move aimed at mitigating



the risks of heat stress, sunstroke, and various summer-related ailments while simultaneously bolstering productivity. Additionally, the measure curtailed occupational accidents during the sweltering summer season.

To deter potential violators, Humaidan had issued stern warnings of penalties, which

included imprisonment not exceeding three months, fines ranging from BD500 to BD1,000, or both.

This undertaking, in accordance with Resolution No. 3 of 2013, sought to shield workers from prolonged exposure to extreme temperatures often exceeding 40 degrees Celsius (104 degrees Fahrenheit).

During the course of these two months, the Ministry of Labour conducted an impressive 21,723 inspection visits to ensure strict adherence to the law. Notably, authorities recorded 16 violations by employers and 31 by workers.

Minister Humaidan expressed gratitude to employers for their unwavering commitment to the ban throughout the challenging period, marked by soaring temperatures and humidity levels.

All violators have been referred to the Public Prosecution to face the legal consequences as stipulated by Article 192 of Law 36 of 2012, which governs penalties in the Private Sector Labour Law.



The summer afternoon work ban ran between July 1 and August 31 as per Edict 3/2013 that prohibits outdoor work between noon to 4 pm.

India on a Cosmic Quest

The latest mission in India's ambitious space programme blasted off yesterday on a voyage towards the centre of the solar system, a week after the country's successful unmanned Moon landing. Aditya-L1 launched shortly before midday, with a live broadcast showing hundreds of spectators cheering wildly against the deafening noise of the rocket's ascent.

Lunar Leap to Solar Age



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Lujane Yacoub
 Miss Universe
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World Championship win: HM King, HRH CP, PM congratulate HH Shaikh Nasser, Endurance Team

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His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa and HRH Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, yesterday congratulated His Majesty King's Representative for Humanitarian Work and Youth Affairs and Royal Endurance Team Captain, HH Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, and the entire team for their remarkable victory at the world junior and youth championship.

The Royal Endurance Team emerged victorious in the gruelling 120-kilometer race held



in Castelsagrat, France, where they outperformed a field of 70 competitors.



HM the King and HRH CP, PM praised the team's exceptional accomplishment on both the

global and European stages, emphasising that this triumph would elevate Bahrain's endurance sport to greater heights.

Furthermore, HM the King extended his congratulations to the UAE riders who secured individual victories, while also conveying his felicitations to the Royal Endurance Team and expressing his best wishes for their continued success.

The Royal Endurance Team riders expressed their gratitude to HM the King, attributing their achievement to his unwavering care and support.

(Full story on page 10)

Illegal dismissal: Labour Court awards dentist over BD8,000 compensation

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Sacking a dentist illegally from job has landed a hospital in the Kingdom in hot waters.

The ruling came despite the hospital denying the woman having any legitimate association with their institution.

The hospital had vehemently denied any association with the dentist, a woman, insisting that she was never an employee and that her contract was forged.

The Labour Court ordered the hospital, whose name is withheld, to pay the dentist a compensation of BD8,810.

During trial, the hospital had claimed that the woman was never on their pay roll and termed the contract produced by her as fake.

However, after careful examination of the presented evidence, the court sided with the dentist, deeming her dismissal as wrongful.

The court found sufficient

proof of an employment relationship between the dentist and the hospital, despite the hospital's denials.

The court emphasised that employers are legally obligated to adhere to labour laws and follow proper termination procedures, regardless of disputes regarding contract authenticity.

In this case, the court concluded that the dentist's termination was unjustified and infringed upon her rights as an employee.

As a result, the court ordered the hospital to pay the dentist BD8,810 in compensation for the damages incurred due to her unlawful dismissal.



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Bahraini youth contributed to a paradigm shift in media: MP Dr Al Dhaen

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Dr Maryam Al Dhaen yesterday lauded the transformative strides made by Bahraini media, attributing its success to its outstanding integration of cutting-edge technology and artificial intelligence techniques.

In a statement to *The Daily Tribune*, she affirmed that Bahrain's media landscape, based on a robust legislative framework, enables it to execute its mission with utmost professionalism.

Dr Al Dhaen emphasized the pivotal role played by the media in advancing the Kingdom's development goals under the leadership of His Majesty King Hamad Bin Isa Al-Khalifa and



Dr Maryam Al Dhaen

the support of His Royal Highness Prince Salman Bin Hamad Al-Khalifa, Crown Prince and

Prime Minister. Reflecting on the media's accomplishments since Dr

Ramzan Al-Nuaimi assumed the role of Minister of Information, she highlighted the remarkable growth of young talent and the significant contributions of Bahraini youth across various media platforms.

Dr Al Dhaen underscored that these budding Bahraini media crews have excelled in ensuring the dissemination of information to both citizens and residents, transcending borders to reach a global audience.

She stressed that their actions were driven by patriotism and a profound belief in the vital role of official media, as well as the Ministry of Information's responsibility in raising social awareness and delivering noble messages that bolster national security.

Coast Guard rescues three from capsized boat

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In a lifesaving operation, the Coast Guard yesterday swiftly responded to a distress call as three young citizens, aged between 17 and 20, found themselves sinking near Halat Al Sulaita in Muharraq.

Their boat had experienced a severe mechanical breakdown, leading to its capsizing.

The Coast Guard successfully executed the rescue mission, ensuring the safe retrieval of all three individuals.

The rescued citizens are reported to be in good health.

Bahraini watch company wins trademark dispute against jewellery brand

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A trademark dispute that pitted a Bahrain-based watch company against a GCC-based jewellery brand has culminated in a decisive victory for the Bahraini firm.

The contentious battle landed in the courtroom after the jewellery brand initiated legal proceedings, demanding a name change from the watch company and asserting ownership of the trademark.

However, as the trial unfolded, the watch company skilfully mounted a robust defence, presenting compelling

evidence that underscored the trademark's uniqueness and significance.

The company passionately argued that the distinctiveness of its trademark had been instrumental in its remarkable success and was widely embraced and recognised by consumers.

In a significant turn of events, the authorities duly acknowledged the merit and importance of the trademark and, in a resounding verdict, dismissed the legal challenge.

The ruling affirmed the watch company's indisputable right to continue utilising its brand identity.

'Women are the true pearls'

Lujane Yacoub crowned Miss Universe Bahrain 2023

Ashen Tharaka
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Lujane Yacoub was yesterday crowned Miss Universe Bahrain 2023. The announcement was made last night on the official broadcasting channels of Miss Universe Bahrain.

Upon accepting the title, she addressed a prevailing misconception, stating, "The biggest misconception about Bahrain and the Middle East is that it's a place of oppression, where women don't have rights. This is far from the truth."

"Women are taught to thrive, embrace their strengths, and pursue their ambitions. They are the true pearls of the country. My first goal as Miss Universe is to dispel this misconception," she added.

At 19 years old, Lujane Yacoub, a former Miss Universe Bahrain contestant, boasts a diverse portfolio as an actress, dancer, model, and passionate advocate for women's empowerment and education. Her future plans include pursuing her passion by studying creative arts in London.



The Miss Universe Bahrain 2023 contest

Advaita Shetty, 28, a clinical audiology student with a bachelor's degree in animal welfare and environmental health, secured the first runner-up position. Tuhina Carrol, 28, a flight attendant with a steadfast belief in dreaming big and embracing fearlessness, earned the title of second runner-up.

The contestants were evaluated on criteria that encompassed

beauty, poise, intelligence, and personality.

Yacoub will represent Bahrain at the upcoming Miss Universe 2023 pageant, scheduled later this year.

The Miss Universe Bahrain pageant serves as a platform for young women to showcase their talents and promote positive messages regarding women's empowerment.

Peddling drugs: Police arrest nine suspects

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Nine suspects, aged between 23 and 43 years, were arrested yesterday by the Anti-Narcotics police on charges of drug peddling.

Police said they found in their possession undisclosed amounts of Shabu, a narcotic drug. The arrests, the agency operating under the General Directorate of Investigation and Criminal Evidence said, followed a tip-off received.

"Based on the information, we launched an investigation resulting in the identification and subsequent apprehension

of the suspects in possession of the illegal substances," officials said.

The General Department of Investigation and Criminal Evidence confirmed the seizure of the narcotics and confirmed taking all requisite legal procedures for referring the case to the Public Prosecution.

Furthermore, the Drug Control Department encourages all citizens and residents to report any complaints, or suspicious communications promoting drug-related activities through the 24/7 hotline (996). All information will be treated with confidentiality.

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Back to School!

Safety a priority say school officials

Zahra Ayaz
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As schools reopen their doors today, stringent safety measures have been implemented to ensure the wellbeing of students, say school officials.

Principals and administrators have been actively coordinating efforts to create a secure environment for both students and staff members, officials said.

Dropoff Zone

One critical area of focus is the management of traffic near school gates, according to the school officials. Recognising the potential risks and to avoid congestion during peak hours, schools have deployed trained security guards to monitor and regulate traffic flow, they said.

Mr. Kollath Gopinath Menon, principal of The New Indian School, emphasized the importance of managing traffic effectively. He shared, "The school timings are from 7.45am to 1.15pm, and school buses start

arriving from different locations between 7.20am and 7.30am, gradually filling up until 7.45am."

Early Birds

Mr. Menon told The Daily Tribune that the transport coordinators and vice principals arrive on the campus early to oversee the flow of children within the school premises as many parents drop off their children earlier to accommodate work schedules and to avoid morning traffic. "Almost all buses are



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KOLLATH GOPINATH MENON, PRINCIPAL OF THE NEW INDIAN SCHOOL

equipped with teachers who serve as bus in-charges, responsible for overseeing students and keeping a record of their names. Additionally, these teachers play a crucial role in reporting absenteeism to the transport coordinator and respective class teachers," he added.

Organized Movement

Mr. Menon highlighted the importance of organized movement of students, stating that the children are escorted in a line



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Our security guards and support staff are extensively trained to diligently monitor traffic near the school gates, ensuring that vehicles adhere to safe drop-off and pick-up practices

LOVY JOSEPH, DIRECTOR OF ASIAN SCHOOL

up by their parents, schools have designated a waiting hall where they can wait until their parents arrive. This designated area provides a safe and secure environment for students during pick-up times," he noted.

Trained Staff

In an interview with The Daily Tribune, Mrs. Lovy Joseph, Director of Asian School, emphasised their unwavering commitment to student safety. She highlighted, "Our top priority

has always been to ensure the safety of children when they enter and exit the school premises.

"Our security guards and support staff are extensively trained to diligently monitor traffic near the school gates, ensuring that vehicles adhere to safe drop-off and pick-up practices," she said.

Designated Spaces

Mrs. Joseph further mentioned, "Regarding parking arrangements, we have designated specific areas for parents during drop-off and pick-up times. Additionally, we have allocated a separate area for private vans, facilitating the safe movement of students."

Meanwhile, in preparation for the back-to-school season, the General Directorate for Traffic Services has also conducted training workshops for community service police and school guards. The workshops aimed to enhance their skills in traffic management and ensure student safety.

Horrific highway crash claims lives of five friends

The victims were all employees of Al Hilal Hospital in Muharraq



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Five close friends, who were all Indian nationals working at a private hospital here in the Kingdom, had met with an un-

timely fate following a horrific crash on Shaikh Khalifa bin Salman Highway Friday.

The mishap occurred as they were on their way home after taking part in a celebratory



Jagath Vasudevan, VP Mahesh, Akhil Raghu, Gaider George and Suman Rajanna

event organised by the hospital to mark the joyous occasion of Onam, the harvest festival of Kerala.

It was later confirmed that the deceased were all employees of Al Hilal Hospital in Muharraq. The fatal incident unfolded on Friday night at 10 pm near the Aali area while they were en route from Salmabad to Muharraq.

The mishap occurred as they were on their way home after taking part in a celebratory event organised by the hospital to mark the joyous occasion of Onam, the harvest festival of Kerala.

Reportedly, the car they were travelling rammmed into the back side of a cleaning company truck.

Among the departed, four hailed from the South Indi-

an state of Kerala: VP Mahesh from Kozikode, Jagath Vasudevan from Malappuram, Gaider George from Thrissur, and Akhil Raghu from Kannur.

Suman Rajanna, a native of

Telangana who served as an assistant to the Hospital CEO, also lost his life in the tragic accident.

At present, the mortal remains of the deceased are resting at the Salmaniya Medical Complex mortuary.

An ongoing investigation into the circumstances surrounding the accident is being conducted, as confirmed by the Interior Ministry in a statement.

CAPTAINS CORNER

The world awaits Bahraini talent



CAPTAIN MAHMOOD AL MAHMOOD

It is indeed interesting that Deputy King HRH Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa's call for Bahraini youth to expand their horizons and start preparing for a global role should come right now. To begin with, Bahrain has just greeted and wished the successful recipients of the Crown Prince's Scholarship to study abroad. Secondly, schools and universities are set to open this week, marking a new academic year full of promise and dreams.

Prince Salman's call for an expanded global vision is a reminder that we should look beyond our beautiful island. With a changing demographic profile that is seeing increasing number of millennials and young people, Bahrain needs to prepare its people's mindset to take their place on the world stage. After all, we have all the right values and conditions: a well-established educational system, almost 100% literacy and a continuous screening of the system to ensure that the education process is not only top-quality and thorough but tuned in to marketplace needs. Thanks to an early start with the international banking industry in the 'seventies, Bahrainis have realized that the people of the Kingdom have excellent potential as leaders in the service and knowledge industry.

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The time has now come to encourage Bahrainis to look beyond Bahrain. Many young Bahrainis are working in the newly-opened up Saudi Arabia and so many have taken their place in global corporates around the world. However, the idea is relatively new to the generation born after 1980 and working today – despite a rich history as a seafaring and trading nation that often served to link the Old World and the New, Asia and the West, Bahraini youth would much rather opt to try for a cushy government job at home.

Our government and leaders are doing everything to help young business owners to leapfrog onto the world stage, get Bahraini professionals to spread their wings and taste the sweet success of dismantling geographic barriers. Parents, mentors and educators must now add their efforts to the mix and repeat HRH the Crown Prince's mantra. Team Bahrain must Go Global. It is a lesson and an attitude we must embed into our youth and the future gen.

(Captain Mahmood Al Mahmood is the Editor-in-Chief of The Daily Tribune and the President of the Arab-African Unity Organisation for Relief, Human Rights and Counterterrorism)

Infill housing development on way at Bilad Al Qadeem

Ministry of housing opens tender for 8 houses

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Plans are progressing to develop infill houses and associated infrastructure at Bilad Al Qadeem, according to a tender launched seeking bidders by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Planning.

This project, located at site 257 within Block 359 of Bilad Al Qadeem, involves the construction of eight infill houses.

Infill development entails the construction of buildings and amenities on previously unused or underuti-



Representative picture (courtesy of bebbahrain)

lised land within an existing urban or developed area. These houses will conform to type D11-BL04

specifications and will include all necessary infrastructure and service connections.

Only Grade A, B and C, pre-qualified, Housing Contractors are eligible to submit tenders.

The tender process is a single-stage evaluation that will assess both technical and financial proposals concurrently.

Interested parties must submit their bids by the closing date of October 4, 2023, along with a BD2,500 bond, which will remain valid for 180 days.



Infill housing involves constructing new homes on established lots within developed neighborhoods, offering the advantages of both older neighborhoods and modern amenities

Exhibition centre set for major upgrade

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The new Exhibition & Convention Centre at Sakhir is all set to become more vibrant with the addition of new facilities, further enhancing its potential as a world class facility.

With its 95,000 sqm of exhibition space across 10 halls, a 4,000-seat tiered auditorium, 95 meeting rooms, and Royal & VIP Majlis, it currently stands as the Middle East's largest venue of its kind.

According to the Ministry of Works, Municipalities Affairs and Urban Planning (Works Affairs), they plan to create a complex of trade fair exhibition Halls, a convention centre and an administration centre.

Additionally, the ministry aims to upgrade internal roads, parking areas, and other amenities, and they have awarded the consultancy contract for this project to D.G. Jones & Partners Middle East.

According to tender document,



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the post contract quantity surveying consultancy services contract is valued at BD 14,300 and that DG Jones was the sole bidder.

Sixth National Telecommunication Plan achieves momentum

● Ministry awards consultancy contract to Arthur D Little

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The Ministry of Transportation and Telecommunication has initiated groundwork for the sixth national telecommunication plan, enlisting the services of Arthur D Little (Bahrain) to assist in this endeavour.

This move comes as Bahrain is in the process of formulating its policy objectives for the telecommunication sector for the years 2023 to 2026.

Tender documents indicate that Arthur D Little's contract will cost the exchequer BD275,000. Also competing for the contract, as per the tender opened on April 27, 2023, was The Boston Consulting Group International Inc., which submitted a quotation of BD700,000.

Arthur will collaborate with the ministry in developing and formulating the Sixth National Telecommunication Plan, as well as providing assistance in its implementation when necessary.

The National Telecommunications Plan establishes the legal framework for governing the telecommunications sector, with the goal of strengthening the telecommunications infrastructure, delivering high-quality services, and fostering innovation and investment in ICT.



Youth City 2030 initiatives gain pace

● Originally launched in 2010 by the Ministry of Youth Affairs, this annual event has evolved into a prominent training initiative for young people

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Preparations for Youth City 2030 have accelerated with Clavis Events securing a contract for the 12th edition of the event.

Youth City 2030 is a comprehensive capacity and skills development initiative aimed at empowering the youth of Bahrain, recognizing them as a driving force in the country.

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for young people in Bahrain, enhancing their qualifications and providing them with opportunities to unleash their creative potential.

According to the organisers, over 100 programs and 2,700 training oppor-

tunities will be offered across five public centres, covering leadership and young entrepreneurship, media and entertainment, arts and culture, science and technology, as well as sports and culture.

Clavis Events, as con-

firmed by the Tender Board, has secured the contract for BD119,900. Competing for the contract was also Master Line Events, Pico International (Bahrain), Fy Advertising and Publicity and Motivate Events & Media.

China's Country Garden wins vote on debt to avoid default

● **Country Garden had racked up debts estimated at 1.43 trillion yuan (\$196 billion)**

● **Bondholders voted this week to delay repayment on a bond worth 3.9 billion yuan (\$535 million)**

AFP | Beijing, China

Chinese developer Country Garden has won approval from creditors to extend a deadline for a key bond repayment, narrowly avoiding a potential default, Bloomberg reported yesterday.

One of China's biggest builders, Country Garden had racked up debts estimated at 1.43 trillion yuan (\$196 billion) by the end of 2022, and this week reported a 48.9 billion yuan loss for the first six months of the year.

Its cash flow woes have ignited fears that it could collapse with consequences for China's economy, which is already suffering from record-high youth unemployment and flagging consumption.

The nation's economic rise has in part been fuelled by property and construction, which account for about a quarter of the gross domestic product.

Country Garden's bondholders voted this week to delay repayment on a bond worth 3.9 billion yuan (\$535 million), to give it time to recover financially.

Had they voted against the extension, the company faced



a general view of condominiums at Forest City, a development project launched under China's Belt and Road Initiative in Gelang Patah in Malaysia's Johor state



Country Garden is a property development company based in Guangdong, China, owned by Yang Guoqiang's family. It ranked 206th in Fortune Global 500 list of 2023. Country Garden reported a record 48.9 billion yuan loss for the first half of the year.

becoming the biggest Chinese real estate firm to default since rival Evergrande in 2021.

But late Friday, bondholders agreed to postpone Saturday's repayment deadline until 2026, Bloomberg reported.

Country Garden did not confirm the outcome of the vote.

The group -- China's largest private developer in terms of sales last year -- remains far from in the clear.

Another deadline looms next week for the repayment of \$22.5 million in interest on two loans.

It was unable to deliver that

payment in early August and was granted a 30-day grace period that ends Tuesday.

It risks default if it does not deliver the payment.

'Very near default'

Moody's further downgraded Country Garden's credit ratings this week from Caal to Ca, indicating obligations that are "highly speculative and are likely in, or very near, default".

The move was an outcome of the firm's "tight liquidity and heightened default risk, as well

as the likely weak recovery prospects for the company's bondholders," the ratings agency's Senior Vice-President Kaven Tsang said.

The company is estimated to "not have sufficient internal cash sources to address its upcoming offshore bond maturity", according to Moody's.

Deepening its woes, Country Garden reported a record 48.9 billion yuan loss for the first half of the year.

During the presentation of results Wednesday, the firm warned that it had "tried its best" to be able to repay its loans and was not ruling out a default on repayment.

"The shrinkage of the property sector, coupled with the not yet restored confidence of the capital market, exerted mounting pressure on the company's business operation," it added.

Work begins on Iraq-Iran rail link

AFP | Baghdad, Iraq

Iraq's prime minister yesterday inaugurated construction work on what is slated to become the first railway line connecting the country to neighbouring Iran.

The "Basra-Chalamja connection project" will link the major port city of Basra in southern Iraq to Iran's vast railway network through the Chalamja border crossing, an transport ministry official told AFP.

It is estimated that the project will take "between 18 and 24 months".

The goal is to be able to transport "travellers from the Islamic Republic of Iran and Central Asian countries" to Shiite holy cities, Prime Minister Mohammed Shia al-Sudani said in a speech.

He noted that the project had been under discussion for years before an agreement was reached in 2021.

During the ceremony, Su-

dani laid a symbolic foundation stone alongside Iran's first vice-president, Mohammad Mokhber.

Sudani thanked Tehran for planned demining operations at the border to clear the way for the train line and for a railway bridge over the Shatt al-Arab waterway, where the Tigris and Euphrates rivers converge before spilling into the Gulf.

Mokhber hailed the "strategic" project that he said would be completed "over the next two years", Iranian state media reported him as saying.

Half of the 32 kilometres (20 miles) of rail track planned will be on the Iran side of the border, its official IRNA news agency said.

In May, Baghdad unveiled a \$17-billion project known as the "Route of Development"

for a road and railway stretching 1,200 kilometres (745 miles) from Iraq's northern border with Turkey to the Gulf in the south.

US airline JetBlue suspends flights to Cuba



A Jet Blue aircraft is parked at a gate while other gates remain empty at Kennedy International Airport

AFP | Havana, Cuba

JetBlue, the first US airline to resume regular flights to Cuba after diplomatic ties were restored, said Friday it was suspending all routes to the island due to restrictions faced by travelers.

Amid great fanfare, the New York-based airline carried out the first commercial flight to Cuba in 2016 in five decades after a historic rapprochement between the former Cold War foes.

"Demand for travel to the island has been significantly affected by restrictions on travel to Cuba that were put in place after we launched service," the airline said in a statement, announcing a halt to services to the island on September 17.

The airline did not expand on the restrictions it was referring to.

Three years after flights resumed, President Donald Trump suspended them to all cities except the capital, Havana, as he sought to roll back ties established under his predecessor Barack Obama.

In 2022, President Joe Biden's government allowed the flights to resume.

Tougher sanctions under Trump and the Covid pandemic battered Cuba's tourism industry which is the main source of exchange for the communist government.

Washington still officially bans Americans from visiting Cuba as tourists, but travel is permitted for other reasons such as visiting family, or cultural and educational exchanges.

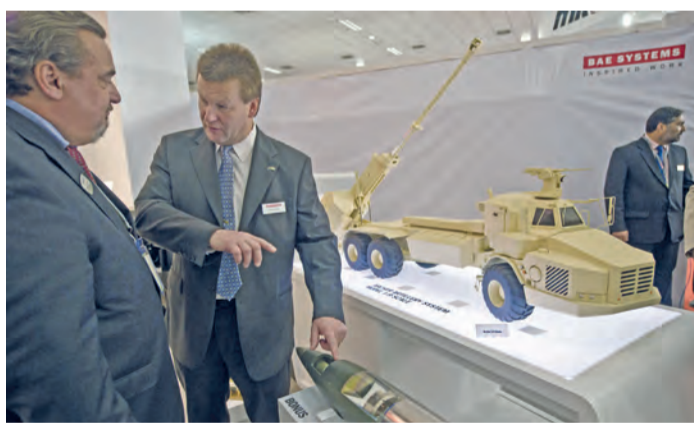
"Exiting Havana will allow us to redeploy additional aircraft on our top performing routes," said JetBlue.

British defence giant BAE sets up base in Ukraine

London, United Kingdom

British military equipment maker BAE Systems has set up a legal entity in Ukraine as it looks to offer "more direct support" to the country at war with Russia. "BAE Systems... has established a local legal entity and signed agreements with the Ukrainian government to ramp up the company's support to Ukraine's armed forces and to explore the supply of light guns to Ukraine," said a statement published late Thursday.

It comes after BAE recently



An exhibitor (2L) with British-based BAE Systems briefs a visitor on the Archer artillery system during the Defence Expo 2014 at Pragati Maidan in New Delhi

announced a 57% jump in net profits for the first half on higher defence spending by Western governments in response to Russia's invasion of Ukraine. BAE chief executive Charles Woodburn said its latest announcement "paves the way... to provide more direct support".

The company added that it "creates a framework for BAE Systems to work directly with Ukraine to explore potential partners and how it could ultimately facilitate the production of 105mm Light Guns in the country".

Meta, Google balk as Canada spells out new online news law

AFP | Ottawa, Canada

Ottawa on Friday spelled out how a new law requiring digital giants to pay publishers for news content will work in practice, including how much it could cost Meta and Google.

The bill aims to support a struggling Canadian news sector that has seen a flight of advertising dollars and hundreds of publications closed in the last decade.

Effectively it targets only Google and Meta -- which con-



in excess of Can\$1 billion, operating a search engine or social media platform actively used by at least 20 million Canadians and that distributes news.

Meta reacted by calling the bill "fundamentally flawed" and vowed to continue blocking access in Canada to news articles on its Facebook and Instagram platforms. It started doing this on August 1.

Google, which has also voiced opposition to the Online News Act, said it would "carefully

study the proposed regulations to assess whether they address (its) major structural challenges."

Heritage Minister Pascale St-Onge noted that Canadians have come to rely on digital platforms for news and information.

"These tech platforms have to act responsibly and support the news sharing they and Canadians both benefit from," she said.

"Tech giants can and must contribute their fair share -- nothing more."

QUOTE OF THE DAY
WE CANNOT CHANGE ANYTHING UNTIL WE ACCEPT IT. CONDEMNATION DOES NOT LIBERATE, IT OPPRESSES
 CARL JUNG

TODAY IN HISTORY

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San Marino, one of the smallest nations in the world and the world's oldest republic still in existence, founded by Saint Marinus



1650

Battle of Dunbar: Oliver Cromwell's English New Model Army defeats Scottish force in surprise attack

1783

Treaty of Paris signed in Paris ends the American Revolutionary War between Great Britain and United States of America

1900

With a proclamation by General Lord Roberts, Britain annexes the Boer Republic of South Africa

News in brief

Businessman Mohamed Al-Fayed dead: family
 Tycoon Mohamed Al-Fayed, a controversial billionaire and the father of Dodi who was killed along with Princess Diana in 1997, has died aged 94 his family said in a statement Friday. "Mrs Mohamed Al-Fayed, her children and grandchildren wish to confirm that her beloved husband, their father and their grandfather, Mohamed, has passed away peacefully of old age on Wednesday August 30, 2023," his family said in a statement released by the football club he once owned, Fulham FC. Fayed will be remembered most for his outspoken and often foul-mouthed manner, his revenge on the Conservative party, his controversial purchase of the Harrods department store, and ownership of Fulham football club and the Ritz hotel in Paris.

Two Chinese among 4 killed in attack on DRC gold convoy
 Two Chinese nationals and two others were killed in an attack on a convoy carrying gold in the Democratic Republic of Congo's lawless east, local authorities said yesterday. Friday's ambush targeted a four-vehicle convoy belonging to TSM Mining which was carrying gold from a site near the Kimbi river in the Fizi region of South Kivu province. The attackers "stole parcels of gold which they took away into the bush," said Sammy Badibanga Kalondji, the top local official in Fizi. The two others killed were a Congolese soldier and a driver.

Nobel Foundation cancels Russian ambassador invite to prize ceremony
 The Nobel Foundation said yesterday it was reversing its decision to invite ambassadors from Russia and Belarus to this year's Nobel award ceremony in Stockholm, after the move sparked anger. In 2022, the Nobel Foundation, which organises the annual Nobel prize ceremony and banquet in Stockholm, decided not to invite the Russian and Belarusian ambassadors to the Stockholm award event because of the war in Ukraine. They made the same decision regarding the Iranian event over the country's crackdown on a wave of protests. The Swedish foundation however said Thursday it was returning to its previous practice of inviting ambassadors from all countries represented in Sweden, sparking a wave of angry reactions.

CURIOSER & CURIOSER

Scientists identify recipe for ancient Egyptian 'scent of eternity' perfume



Archaeologists x-ray a mummy at the Saqqara necropolis (file photo) TDT | Manama

The perfume is a blend of beeswax, plant oil, fats, bitumen, Pinaceae resins, a balsamic substance, and dammar or Pistacia tree resin. The ingredients range from as far away as Southeast Asia. Scientists have uncovered the chemical components of a perfume used in ancient Egyptian death rituals that texts refer to as the "scent of eternity." The perfume was found in sealed canopic jars that had been used to embalm a noble woman named Senetnay around the year 1450 BCE. The researchers analysed the liquids using Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry, High-Temperature Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry, and Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry to separate the individual substances that made up the balms. They found that the perfume is a blend of beeswax, plant oil, fats, bitumen, Pinaceae resins, a balsamic substance, and dammar or Pistacia tree resin. The ingredients range from as far away as Southeast Asia. The researchers believe that the perfume was used to mask the smell of death and to help

India's solar dream takes off

India's space agency launches rocket to study the sun a little over a week after historic landing on moon's south pole

Aditya-L1 is to observe sun's outermost layers and will be first vessel by any Asian nation to be placed in orbit around sun

AFP | Sriharikota

The latest mission in India's ambitious space programme blasted off yesterday on a voyage towards the centre of the solar system, a week after the country's successful unmanned Moon landing. Aditya-L1 launched shortly before midday, with a live broadcast showing hundreds of spectators cheering wildly against the deafening noise of the rocket's ascent. "Launch successful, all normal," an Indian Space Research Organisation official announced from mission control as the vessel made its way to the upper reaches of the Earth's atmosphere. The mission is carrying scientific instruments to observe the Sun's outermost layers in a four-month journey. The United States and the European Space Agency (ESA) have sent numerous probes to the centre of the solar system, beginning with NASA's Pioneer programme in the 1960s.



Aditya-L1 spacecraft takes off from the Satish Dhawan Space Centre in Sriharikota

Japan and China have both launched their own solar observatory missions into Earth's orbit. But if successful, the latest mission from the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) will be the first by any Asian nation to be placed in orbit around the Sun. "It's a challenging mission for India," astrophysicist Somak Raychaudhury told broadcaster NDTV on Friday. Raychaudhury said the mission probe would study coronal mass

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system out there." Aditya, the name of the Hindu Sun deity, will travel 1.5 million kilometres (930,000 miles) to reach its destination -- still only one percent of the vast distance between Earth and the Sun.

At that point, the gravitational forces of both celestial bodies cancel each other out, allowing the mission to remain in a stable halo orbit around our nearest star. Aditya is travelling on the ISRO-designed, 320-tonne PSLV XL rocket that has been a mainstay of the Indian space programme, powering earlier launches to the Moon and Mars. The mission also aims to shed light on the dynamics of several other solar phenomena by imaging and measuring particles in the Sun's upper

atmosphere. **Budget programme** India has been steadily matching the achievements of established spacefaring powers at a fraction of their cost. The South Asian nation has a comparatively low-budget space programme, but one that has grown considerably in size and momentum since it first sent a probe to orbit the Moon in 2008. Experts say India can keep costs low by adapting existing technology, and thanks to an abundance of highly skilled engineers. Last month's successful landing on the lunar surface -- a feat previously achieved only by Russia, the United States and China -- cost less than \$75 million. The touchdown was widely celebrated by the public, with prayer rituals to wish for the mission's success and schoolchildren following its final descent from live broadcasts in classrooms. India became the first Asian nation to put a craft into orbit around Mars in 2014 and is slated to launch a three-day crewed mission into the Earth's orbit by next year. It also plans a joint mission with Japan to send another probe to the Moon by 2025 and an orbital mission to Venus within the next two years.

Pakistan shopkeepers strike nationwide over inflation

AFP | Islamabad

Thousands of Pakistan traders shuttered their shops yesterday, striking over soaring energy and fuel bills stirring widespread discontent ahead of national elections. Decades of mismanagement and instability have hobbled Pakistan's economy, and this summer Islamabad was forced into a deal with the International Monetary Fund (IMF) to avert default. However, the global lender demanded that popular sub-



A man walks past closed shops along a street in Karachi

sidies cushioning living costs be slashed. Petrol and electricity prices have rocketed. There were widespread

placards decrying "the unreasonable increase in electricity bills and taxes". "Everyone is participating because the situation has become unbearable now," Lahore's Township Traders Union president Ajmal Hashmi told AFP. "Some relief must be given so people can put food on the table." Traders wield immense power in Pakistan, and with an election due in the coming months the government faces the delicate task of keeping them outside while sticking to IMF austerity measures.

Typhoon Saola weakens to a severe storm as it tracks along southern China

AFP | Hong Kong

Typhoon Saola swept across southern China yesterday after tearing down trees and smashing windows in Hong Kong, although the megacity avoided a feared direct hit from one of the region's strongest storms in decades. Tens of millions of people in the densely populated coastal areas of southern China had sheltered indoors on Friday ahead of the storm. Saola had triggered Hong Kong's highest threat level on Friday evening -- issued only 16 times since World War II -- and registered winds of around 210 kilometres per hour at its peak. It was downgraded before dawn yesterday as the



Volunteer workers evaluated the damage done to a low-lying fishing village after Typhoon Saola moved away from Hong Kong

deceased transition to the afterlife. They also believe that the perfume may have had symbolic meaning, representing the deceased's journey to the afterlife. The perfume will be presented for public viewing at a forthcoming exhibition at the Moesgaard Museum in Denmark. This discovery is a significant contribution to our understanding of ancient Egyptian mortuary practices. It also provides a rare glimpse into the rich cultural and spiritual significance of these practices.

Hong Kong roads, broken windows, and crumpled scaffolding from under-construction buildings, while local media reported that solar panels had been ripped off rooftops. "Yesterday was a bit scary," Angelie said as she ventured out to meet a friend under a blanket of constant rain. "In our (residential) estate, there were a lot of trees fallen, and some windows were broken." Saola left Thomas Wong, a shopkeeper in Causeway Bay, stranded overnight in his home goods store. "I didn't leave my shop because the transportation was not running... I had no choice," Wong said, adding that he lived in the northern Hong Kong district of Tai Po.

Pope offers apparent gesture to China during visit to Mongolia



Mongolian President Ukhnaa Khurelsukh (R) receives Pope Francis during a welcome ceremony at Sukhbaatar Square in Ulaanbaatar AFP | Ulaanbaatar

Pope Francis appeared to seek to reassure China yesterday, using a gathering of Catholic missionaries in Mongolia to state that governments had "nothing to fear" from the Catholic Church. The comments came during the first papal visit to the young democracy sandwiched between China and Russia, where the 86-year-old pontiff has hoped not only to encourage the tiny Catholic community but also use his presence at China's backdoor to try to improve the Vatican's relations with Beijing. "Governments and secular institutions have nothing to fear from the Church's work of evangelisation, for she has no political agenda to advance" POPE FRANCIS "mercy and truth...is meant to promote the good of all," he said. In visiting the landlocked nation of Mongolia, a former Soviet satellite state that has been a democracy since 1992, the Argentine Jesuit has had one eye on geopolitics, even as the visit fulfils his desire to reach out to remote, largely ignored areas far from Rome. Beijing's Communist Party is wary of the Catholic Church on its territory, and exercises strict control over all recognised religious institutions.

The fragile process of normalizing relations in the face of Armenian provocations in Karabakh

SHAHIN ABDULLAYEV

Azerbaijan, which won the war in 2020, offered peace to Armenia based on the principles of international law, including respect for territorial integrity, sovereignty and inviolability of borders internationally recognized. Azerbaijan supports the establishment of lasting peace and stability in the region and is ready for the process of normalizing relations with Armenia. Despite earlier optimism, the Armenia-Azerbaijan peace talks are still ongoing and may be at a standstill. One of the stumbling blocks on the path to an agreement on a peace treaty is Yerevan's unwillingness to explicitly recognize, in writing, Azerbaijan's territorial integrity (although Armenian prime minister Nikol Pashinyan has made oral pronouncements to that effect several times). However, even this step--written recognition--should not be understood to be sufficient. More specific legal, binding commitments are required in addition, such as constitutional changes, the cessation of unilateral financial support to the ethnic-Armenian secessionist entity, and the deployment of Armenian soldiers in any part of sovereign Azerbaijani territory, including liberated Karabakh and Eastern Zangezur as well as in the area that falls within the zone of deployment of the Russian peacekeeping contingent as defined by the terms of the 10 November 2020 tripartite statement that ended the Second Karabakh War. Contrary to the commitment formalized in paragraph 4 of the Tripartite Declaration of November 10, 2020, Armenia still does not withdraw its armed forces from the territories of Azerbaijan by preventing this process. In view of this, Armenia should demonstrate its commitment to regional peace not only with words, but above all with deeds. For its part, Azerbaijan is grateful to the countries that have contributed to the process of normalizing relations and holding meetings between the parties. Recently, these meetings have become more intensive. In addition to recent meetings in Brussels and Washington, another meeting took place in Moscow. Armenia presents the international community with distorted information about the current situation in the region. Armenia's main intention is to slow down the process of normalization of relations by making it last as long as possible and thus gain time to carry out its political program directed against the territorial integrity of Azerbaijan and, to this end, to create a new crisis situation to undermine the process of normalization. Considering the devastating history of Armenia's occupation of sovereign Azerbaijani lands, ensuring Armenia's adherence to and respect for Azerbaijan's territorial integrity is a critical issue for Baku. Apart from the formality and structure of a final peace treaty, Azerbaijan has been clear in wanting Armenia to explicitly recognize Karabakh as part of Azerbaijan and waive any direct or indirect claims to it. Thus, Azerbaijan requires Armenia's explicit and unconditional recognition in the treaty of the territorial integrity of Azerbaijan. Azerbaijan categorically rejects all unfounded allegations about the existence of "blockades" or "humanitarian crises" as propagated by Armenia. It is imperative to stress that the terms "blockade" and "humanitarian crises" invoked by Armenia constitute a flagrant manifestation of its vast campaign of propaganda and discredit against Azerbaijan. As for the so-called "Lachin Corridor", this is unequivocally a road located on the sovereign territory of Azerbaijan. It should be noted that this route does not have any extraterritorial status. Azerbaijan, in accordance with its commitments under the Trilateral Declaration of November 10, 2020. However, Armenia has consistently exploited this route envisaged exclusively for humanitarian purposes to facilitate the movement of illegal armed groups under its direct responsibility and which it illegally maintains on the sovereign territory of Azerbaijan. These armed groups, which number around 10,000 people, are active in particular in the trafficking of arms, ammunition, including landmines, as well as in the protection of the illegal extraction of minerals on Azerbaijani territory. On April 23, 2023, Azerbaijan, in exercise of its inherent right to safeguard its sovereignty and security, established a border checkpoint at the beginning of the Lachin road on the state border between Armenia and Azerbaijan. Azerbaijan's establishment of the "Lachin" border

checkpoint on the international border with Armenia is a measure taken in accordance with international law and current international practice arising from the sovereign right of our country. It is of paramount importance to refute any allegations suggesting the "illegality" of the aforementioned border checkpoint or its alleged obstruction of cross-border movement. The International Court of Justice (ICJ), by its order of July 6, 2023, unanimously rejected Armenia's appeal asking Azerbaijan to withdraw its personnel from the Lachin road. Contrary to Armenia's claims, the Azerbaijani side is organizing the legal, regulated and transparent passage of citizens, goods and vehicles from the Lachin border crossing point. As proof, the movement of civilian populations from the Karabakh region in Azerbaijan to Armenia increased significantly after the establishment of the border checkpoint. Remarkably, more than 2,000 people passed through the border checkpoint until June 15, 2023. On that day, traffic came to an abrupt halt due to the assault of the Armenian armed forces on the Azerbaijani border guards and accompanying Russian Federation peacekeeping forces. Unfortunately, this attack caused serious injuries to an Azerbaijani border guard. Amid the acute security threat and pending an investigation into the attack, traffic through the border checkpoint has been temporarily suspended. Azerbaijan, unwaveringly, has repeatedly called on Armenia to cooperate through border and customs institutions, promoting transparent and secure cross-border movement of people, goods and services. It is deplorable that these appeals have gone unanswered. Given Armenia's intransigence, Azerbaijan has tried to work with the ICRC to use alternative and shorter routes, such as the northern route to Khankendi via Aghdam, to transport humanitarian supplies to the Karabakh region from other parts of Azerbaijan. In this context, it is essential to underline that the President of the European Council, Mr. Charles Michel, in his public remarks following the meeting between President I. Aliyev and Prime Minister N. Pashinyan in Brussels, encouraged the use of the Aghdam-Khankendi road as an important road essential to ensure that the vital needs of the inhabitants of Karabakh are adequately met. Despite everything, the Armenian side continues to oppose the use of Aghdam-Khankendi, Fizuli-Shusha-Khankendi roads for political reasons. Furthermore, Armenia, through the illegal subordinate regime it established on the territory of Azerbaijan, continues to refuse ICRC assistance. Armenia is orchestrating so-called public protests against the use of alternative routes blocking them to prevent the delivery of goods and services. This hostile behaviour is accentuated by a recklessly instrumentalised program of ethnic and racial hatred, thus subverting the very essence of the humanitarian assistance offered by Azerbaijan to its own population in the Karabakh region. (To be continued...)

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Congratulations to @Tharman_S on his election as President of Singapore! Your leadership and dedication to public service have always been exemplary. Looking forward to our continued partnership with Singapore for a more resilient and inclusive global economy. @KGeorgieva

02

40% of children under the age of five in the #CentralAfricanRepublic are chronically malnourished -- one of the highest rates in the world. The crisis demands global attention - and global support. @UNReliefChief

03

Today, many salaried workers aren't guaranteed overtime pay unless they make under \$35,568 a year. This week, my Administration proposed a new rule to raise that threshold, extending over-time pay to up to 3.4 million workers. @POTUS

04

Every new mother deserves to experience parenthood with joy and dignity. That is why @POTUS and I are fighting to tackle the maternal health crisis with the urgency it demands. @VP

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PHILIPPINE EMBASSY CELEBRATES NATIONAL LANGUAGE MONTH

The Philippine Embassy, in coordination with the Wika Toastmasters Club, celebrated National Language Month by awarding the winners of poetry writing and spoken word poetry competitions at the Sentro Rizal on the embassy premises in Manama. This year's theme was Wika Month Celebration: Promoting Peace, Security, and Inclusive Social Justice". The Philippine Ambassador to the Kingdom of Bahrain, Her Excellency Anne Jalando-on Louis, attended the event. All the winners received medals and cash gifts.



INDIAN EMBASSY CELEBRATES ONAM

The Indian Embassy celebrated the harvest festival of Onam with a variety of programs. Ambassador Designate H.E. Vinod Jacob joined the officials for the celebrations at the embassy complex in Seef.

PALAKKAD PRAVASI ASSOCIATION FORMS WOMEN'S WING

The Palakkad Pravasi Association, an association of Palakkad residents' families, has formed a women's wing. Vani Sridhar and Ramsena Feroze were selected as coordinators by the 36-member working committee. For the Onam celebrations to be held on September 15, various programmes will be organised under the leadership of the women's wing.



NEPAL-BAHRAIN TIES DISCUSSED



Nepalese Ambassador Tirtha Raj Wagle visited His Excellency Nawaf bin Mohammed Al Maawda, Minister of Justice, Islamic Affairs, and Endowments of the Kingdom of Bahrain. The excellent state of Nepal-Bahrain bilateral relations, including matters of judicial cooperation, were discussed during the meeting.

KCA ONAM PROGRAMME CONCLUDES



The grand finale of the Kerala Catholic Association's Onam Ponnnonam 2023 celebrations was held at their premises in Segaiya. Indian Ambassador Designate Vinod K. Jacob attended as the chief guest. As part of KCA's 53-year anniversary, 53 nurses were also felicitated on the day. Various cultural programmes, including Thiruvathira, by KCA members and children were an added attraction at the event.

'DHOOM DHALAKA' POSTER RELEASED

The first-look poster release of Dhoom Dhalaka Season 5, a celebration of youth, presented by the entertainment wing of Bahrain Keralyeeya Samajam in association with their arts wing, was released by Indian Ambassador Designate Vinod K. Jacob. More than 300 artists from Bahrain will participate in this dance and music show, which will be held on December 10 at the Samajam's Diamond Jubilee Hall. BKS officials also attended the poster release ceremony.



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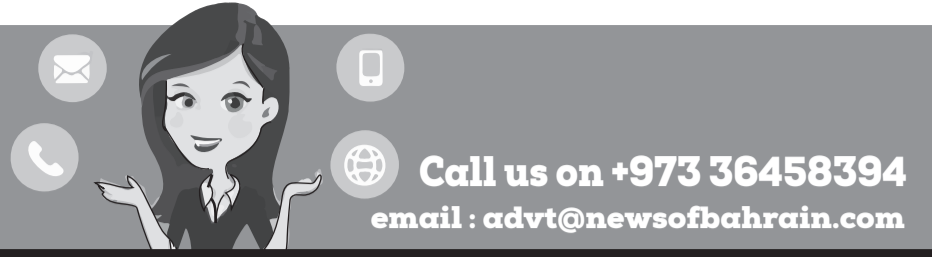
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Sainz gives Ferrari Italian GP hope after pipping Verstappen to pole



Carlos Sainz gestures after securing pole position
AFP | London

Carlos Sainz is gunning to end dominant Max Verstappen's record run of Formula One wins after delighting Ferrari's passionate army of home fans yesterday by claiming pole position for the Italian Grand Prix.

Spaniard Sainz will start at the front of the grid for the first time this season after pipping by 0.013 seconds reigning world champion Verstappen who is hunting a historic 10th straight victory.

Charles Leclerc in the other Ferrari took third to start from the second row alongside the Mercedes of George Russell on a great day for Ferrari in front of a typically colourful sea of support.

Sainz trails Verstappen by a whopping 237 points in the drivers' championship and is yet to claim a podium finish this season.

But the 29-year-old shone in yesterday's qualifying after already showing his speed by topping the times in two practice sessions, and celebrated snatching the fourth pole of his career in the final moments with the jubilant crowd.

"It's just amazing you know, the whole weekend really. Since we arrived here on Wednesday the support and the feeling with the crowd and the energy they put into us is incredible," Sainz told reporters.

Ferrari were also boosted

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by governing body FIA deciding not to pursue disciplinary action on Leclerc and Sainz for breaches to lap time limits imposed yesterday morning in order to cut down track congestion.

That decision came moments after Sainz beat Verstappen to the top of the grid on a day which will give Ferrari hope of their first win of the season at the iconic Temple of Speed.

"We've got the motivation and the energy to do it. The car has been very good all weekend, especially over one lap," added Sainz.

"From what I've seen through the long runs, I'm not going to lie, it's been trickier. It's not the same picture as in qualifying.

"It's a good opportunity tomorrow, but also being realistic the Red Bull should be quicker. We're just going to try to make their lives as difficult as possible."

Royal Endurance Team triumph!

Kingdom's riders victorious amongst teams in 120km race at FEI Endurance World Championship for Young Riders and Juniors in France

Royal Endurance Team triumph after three riders complete four-stage race

Isa Hameed Al Enzi captures bronze medal on race's individual rankings

TDT | Manama

The Royal Endurance Team made history yesterday, winning the teams' title in the FEI Endurance World Championship for Young Riders and Juniors.

The team triumphed in the 120-kilometre race, held in Castelsagrat, France. They outclassed 70 other contenders who took part in the contest, thus ending its European season in style.

His Majesty the King's Representative for Humanitarian Work and Youth Affairs and Royal Endurance Team Captain, HH Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, congratulated His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa and His Royal Highness



Two of the Royal Endurance Team's riders fly the Kingdom's flag as they cross the finish line

Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister.

"This particular category (the young and junior riders) is regarded as the cornerstone for a promising and radiant future, as it has consistently produced remarkable achievements over the past period," HH Shaikh Nasser said.

HH Shaikh Nasser hailed the care and support accorded by HM the King, which enabled Bahrain's endurance sport to

reach an international level and triumph at European and global competitions.

HH Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad also extended congratulations to the UAE endurance riders who finished first and second in the race at the individual level.

The Royal Endurance Team succeeded to complete the four-stage race successfully.

Team Victorious rider Isa Hameed Al Enzi finished third to clinch the individual bronze

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medal, clocking six hours, 14 minutes, and 54 seconds. Team-mates Abdulla Al Ashaer Al Ruee (Team Victorious) and Sultan Abdulaziz Al Romaihi (Al Zaeem Team) finished fourth and sixth, respectively.

A ceremony will be held today to crown the UAE riders, in addition to Al Enzi, who booked a berth on the podium.

Apart from the Kingdom of Bahrain, Saudi Arabia, the UAE, Qatar, Tunisia, Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, China, Finland, Germany, Hungary, India, Italy, Mauritania, Malaysia, Poland, the Netherlands, Norway, Indonesia, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, the USA, and France also took part in the race.



Royal Endurance Team members and officials celebrate their victory

Bahrainis set for Hungary camp

Kingdom's senior men's national handball team ramp up preparations for 19th Asian Games starting later this month

● **Head coach Aron Kristjansson names 18 players for Budapest training camp**

● **Bahrainis set to play three friendly games this period against European teams**

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Bahrain's senior men's national handball team depart for Budapest today to conduct an overseas training camp in preparation for the 19th Asian Games in Hangzhou, China, starting later this month.

The camp will take place for over a week, supervised by head coach Aron Kristjansson from Iceland. The nationals are scheduled to play three friendly matches during this period against European opposition, and then return to the Kingdom before flying to Hangzhou.

The travelling delegation is headed by Bahrain Handball Association national teams director Ismail Baqer, and it includes



Bahrain players during a local training session

team manager Ahmed Al Najem, coach Kristjansson, his assistant coach Essam Abdulla, and the rest of their coaching and support staff.

Kristjansson has named 18 players for the camp, all of whom have already been training with the national team over

the past few weeks. They include Hassan Mirza, Ahmed Fadhel, Mohammed Mirza, Ali Mirza, Qassim Qambar, Hassan Madan, Mohammed Hameed, Ali Mahmood, Abdulla Ali, Mohammed Habib Ahmed, Mahdi Saad, Mujtaba Al Zaimour, Mohammed Ali Abdulredha,

Hesham Issa, Adel Mohammed Abdulrahman, Muntadher Ebrahim, Hassam Al Samaheji and Ahmed Kadhem.

None of Bahrain's overseas-based professional players are joining the camp due to club commitments, but they are scheduled to join the group upon



Bahrain in Group C for the men's handball tournament at this year's Asian Games along with Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan. Action is scheduled to take place from 24 September to 5 October, with 13 national teams contending for gold

their return from Hungary. They include long-time captain and star player Hussain Al Sayyad, Mohammed Habib, Ali Eid and goalkeeper Mohammed Abdulhussain.

Bahrain are in Group C for the men's handball tournament at this year's Asian Games, which is scheduled to take place from 24 September to 5 October.

There are four groups in all in the opening phase, each with three teams, except for Group D,

which has four.

Bahrain are in the same group as Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan. Group A features China, Kuwait and Thailand; Group B comprises Qatar, South Korea and Hong Kong; and Group D includes Saudi Arabia, Iran, Mongolia and Japan.

Bahrain play the Kazakhs in their maiden assignment on opening day and then battle with Uzbekistan only three days later on 27 September.

The top two teams from each pool then move on to the main round, where the eight squads will once again be divided into two pools for another single round-robin from 29 September to 1 October.

That will determine the four semi-finalists, who will clash on 3 October; which will in turn set up the bronze and gold medal games on 5 October.

The nationals are hoping to do one better than the previous edition of the Asian Games in 2018, when they came away with the silver medals. The Bahrainis lost to their counterparts from Qatar 27-32 in the final in extra-time.

It was the second medal for Bahrain handball at any Asiad, having claimed bronze in 2014.

South Sudan, Japan grab Olympic spots at Basketball World Cup

AFP | Manila

South Sudan and Japan both qualified for the Paris Olympics at the Basketball World Cup yesterday as the tournament's highest-placed finishers from Africa and Asia.

World Cup debutants South Sudan, who played their first official international game only six years ago, beat Angola 101-78 in Manila to claim their third win of the competition.

Nearest challengers Egypt then lost 88-86 to New Zealand to send South Sudan to Paris, completing the world number 62-ranked team's fairytale rise on the world stage.

The country has lurched from one crisis



South Sudan players celebrate a point

to another since winning independence in 2011 but the team's World Cup performances have captured the public's imagination, with crowds gathering to watch on giant screens in the capital Juba.

An emotional head coach Royal Ivey said they had brought "unity, camaraderie, love and friendship" to the country.

"This team is a beam of light," he said. "This country has only been independent for 12 years. To do this is incredible."

South Sudan have won plaudits for their dynamic play and positive attitude on and off the court at the World Cup being held in the Philippines, Japan and Indonesia.

They pulled off a historic win when they beat basketball-obsessed China in their second game, before downing the Philippines in the classification stage.

South Sudan captain Kuany Ngor Kuany said he was proud to "create history" by representing his country.

Rain plays spoilsport as India, Pakistan blockbuster ends in no result



India's Hardik Pandya (L) plays a shot

AFP | Kandy

Rain forced a no result in the blockbuster Asia Cup clash between India and Pakistan after just one innings of play on Saturday.

Pakistan bowled out India for 266 in 48.5 overs with pace spearhead Shaheen Shah Afridi returning figures of 4-35, but no further play was possible due to persistent rain in Pallekele.

Babar Azam's Pakistan have made the Super Four stage of the tournament as they won their opening match of the 50-over tournament, a key event in the build-up to the World Cup in India later this year.

The points on yesterday were shared.

Rain stopped for a short time and groundstaff took off the covers as umpires discussed a reduced target for Pakistan but another spell of showers brought the curtain down on the match.

India next play Asia Cup debutants Nepal in the final Group A fixture on Tuesday at the same venue.

India elected to bat in their opening match of the tourna-

Pakistan's Shaheen Shah Afridi rattled the opposition top order, taking the key wickets of skipper Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli -- both the batsmen bowled

ment but slipped to 66-4 after a devastating opening spell by left-arm quick Shaheen.

Ishan Kishan (82) and Hardik Pandya (87) hit back in a stand of 138 to hand their team a fighting total but rain had the final say after interrupting play for the third time.

Shaheen rattled the opposition top order, taking the key wickets of skipper Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli -- both the batsmen bowled.

Shaheen got able support from fellow quicks Haris Rauf and Naseem Shah, both of whom picked up three wickets each.

The left-handed Kishan counter-attacked with boundaries to take the fight back to the opposition bowlers with Pandya.

Haaland hits hat-trick to take Man City top, Son treble inspires Spurs

AFP | London

Erling Haaland scored a hat-trick as Manchester City maintained their perfect Premier League start with a 5-1 thrashing of Fulham yesterday, as Son Heung-min's also netted three times in Tottenham's 5-2 victory at Burnley.

But Chelsea's huge investment in the transfer market is still to reap reward as the Blues were beaten 1-0 at home by Nottingham Forest.

In keeping with the early weeks of the season, City were good enough for the three points without ever hitting top gear.

The English champions were without manager Pep Guardiola as he recovers from back surgery in his native Catalonia.

The home side had not had a shot on target until Julian Alvarez turned home Haaland's cross to open the scoring on 31 minutes.

Fulham, who were missing influential midfielder Joao Palhinha after his deadline day move to Bayern Munich collapsed on Friday, responded immediately when Tim Ream



Erling Haaland celebrates after scoring

tapped in from a corner.

City needed a set-piece of their own to restore the lead in controversial circumstances.

Nathan Ake's header was allowed to stand despite Manuel Akanji, who was in an offside position, jumping over the ball.

Haaland then exploded after the break. He became the fastest player to reach 40 Premier League goals, in just 39 appearances, with a cool finish from Phil Foden's through ball.

The Norwegian then put his missed penalty at Sheffield United last weekend behind him

to slot home from the spot.

And he made it six goals in five games this season by completing his hat-trick in stoppage time.

Spurs sit just two points behind City as their sparkling start under Ange Postecoglou continued.

Burnley had taken the lead after just four minutes at Turf Moor through Lyle Foster.

But Son, who was moved into a more central role by Postecoglou in place of Richarlison, soon proved his manager had pulled off another masterstroke.

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goals have been scored by Erling Haaland in five games this season

The Tottenham captain's deft chip levelled before a thunderous strike from Cristian Romero put the visitors in front in first-half stoppage time.

James Maddison's curling finish from the edge of the box made it 3-1 before Son took centre stage to score twice in three minutes to complete his hat-trick.

Chelsea's spending on deadline day took their total splashed on new players in just over a year under a consortium fronted by Todd Boehly to over £1 billion (\$1.3 billion).

Moises Caicedo's move from Brighton that could rise to £115 million broke the British transfer record last month.

Kingdom's largest delegation for Asian Games set

● **Bahrain Olympic Committee reveals 248 male and female national athletes at Hangzhou Asiad**

● **Bahrainis set to go for gold in 18 sports in Kingdom's 13th participation in the Asian Games**

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Bahrain will be sending its largest-ever contingent to the 19th Asian Games, starting later this month in Hangzhou, China.

This was revealed yesterday by the Bahrain Olympic Committee (BOC), who stated that there will be 248 male and female athletes flying the Kingdom's flag in the multi-sport event, taking place 23 September to 8 October.

The nationals will be competing in 18 sports, including athletics, handball, boxing, judo, weightlifting, wrestling, jiu-jitsu, rowing, shooting, cy-



HH Shaikh Isa bin Ali bin Khalifa Al Khalifa

cling, table tennis, taekwondo, sailing, basketball, football, volleyball, E-sports and cricket.

There were hoped to be 19 sports, but Bahrain's participation in equestrian has not pushed through.

Bahrain's delegation at the Hangzhou Asiad will be headed by BOC vice-president His Highness Shaikh Isa bin Ali bin Khalifa Al Khalifa. BOC secretary general Faris Al Koehji is the deputy head of the delegation.

Ahmed Abdulghaffar is the

Chef de Mission, Fajr Jassim Hassan is the Deputy Chef de Mission, while the administrative team includes BOC technical manager Lounes Madene, Maryam Mardana and Hassan Abdulrahim.

This year's Asiad will mark the 13th Asian Games Bahrain is taking part in. Bahraini sportsmen and women had also participated in 1974 in Tehran, in 1978 in Bangkok, in 1982 in New Delhi, in 1986 in Seoul, in 1990 in Beijing, in 1994 in Hiroshima, in 1998 in Bangkok, in 2002 in Busan, in 2006 in Doha, in 2010 in Guangzhou, in 2014 in Incheon and in 2018 in Jakarta/Palembang.

Bahrain is hopeful for a record-breaking campaign in Hangzhou and for exceeding their medal tallies from the last two editions of the Asian Games.

The nationals brought home 19 medals from the 2014 event in Incheon, South Korea, including nine gold, six silver and four bronze; before coming away with 24 medals in 2018 in Jakarta and Palembang in Indonesia, including 10 gold, eight silver and six bronze medals.

Women's futsal team to kick off Thai tournament



Bahrain's women's national futsal team

● **Bahrainis set to compete in six-nation NSDF Women's Futsal Championship 2023**

● **Fourteen-player squad named on Bahrain team, coached by Brazilian Lino Gomes**

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Bahrain's women's national futsal team are set to take on some of the continent's top teams in a six-nation competition kicking off today in Thailand.

The nationals have left for

Bangkok for the NSDF Women's Futsal Championship 2023, which will host matches at the Terminal 21 Shopping Centre in Nakhon Ratchasima Province.

Bahrain is one of five national teams taking part; the others are Japan, China, Indonesia and hosts Thailand. The sixth squad are Capital Futsal Team from Australia.

The Bahrainis are in Group A with the Thais and Aussies. Group B features the Japanese, Chinese and Indonesians.

Bahrain head coach Lino Gomes from Brazil has named a 14-player squad for the tournament. They include skipper Yasmeen Fayeze, Manar Ebrahim, Shaikha Al Anood Al Khalifa, Hessa Al Issa, Rose Fayeze,

Amira Bader, Fatima Hamad, Dalal Abdulla, Zahra Nezar, Kholoud Saleh, Lilia Javed, Maryam Abdulla, Iman Ramadan and Rawan Al Ali.

The nationals kick off their campaign tomorrow against Capital Futsal Team, before taking on Thailand the following day.

At the end of the preliminary stage round-robin, the top two teams advance to the semi-finals.

Bahrain are one of the leading women's futsal squads in the region. Last year, they claimed third place overall in the West Asian Football Federation Women's Futsal Championship held in Saudi Arabia, where Iraq took the gold and Saudi claimed the silver medals.

Bahrain in UAE for friendlies

Kingdom's senior men's national football team wrap up Serbia training camp, fly to Dubai for tune-up games



Bahrain's senior men's national football team players and staff on the final day of their overseas training camp in Serbia

● **Bahrainis set to face off with Kuwait on Thursday, Turkmenistan on 12 September**

● **Overseas-based stars Ali Madan, Mohammed Marhoon, Abdulla Yusuf to join team**

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Bahrain's senior men's national football team wrapped up their overseas training camp in Serbia and yesterday arrived in the UAE, where they will play two friend-

ly matches in the coming two weeks.

The nationals are gearing up for their upcoming continental qualifying campaign for the FIFA World Cup 2026, starting this November, as well as the next edition of the AFC Asian Cup, to be held in Doha in January of next year.

The Bahrainis are conducting their preparations under the supervision of head coach Juan Antonio Pizzi from Argentina. He had a 26-player squad in Belgrade, with two of those players set to join the Kingdom's under-23 Olympic team for their qualifying competition for the AFC U23 Asian Cup. They include Abdulla Al Khalasi and Mubarak Mohammed.

The remainder of the team in Dubai are Mahdi Humaidan, Sayed Dhiya Saeed, Ahmed Bughammar, Mohammed Adel, Mohammed Al Hardan, Mahdi Abduljabbar, Hamza Al Juban, Amine Hasan, Hussain Jameel, Sayed Mohammed Jaafar, Sayed Redha Issa, Abdulkarim Al Fardan, Ahmed Al Sherooqi, Waleed Al Hayyam, Ahmed Nabeel, Ali Hassan Saeed, Komail Alaswad, Ali Haram, Jassim Al Shaikh, Talal Al Sherooqi, Abbas Al Asfoor, Ebrahim Luthfallah, Ebrahim Al Khattal and Ahmed Moussa.

The Kingdom's three overseas-based professionals, Ali Madan, Mohammed Marhoon and Abdulla Yusuf, are now scheduled to join the nationals



Bahrainis Abdulla Al Khalasi and Mubarak Mohammed set to leave senior men's national team duty to join under-23 Olympic team for qualifying competition for AFC U23 Asian Cup kicking off in Kingdom on Wednesday

in the Emirates for their friendlies. Bahrain will first play Kuwait on 7 September and then against Turkmenistan on 12 September.

Following these two games, the nationals are also scheduled to play two exhibition games in October, both at home. They will lock horns with the Philippines men's national team on 12 October and then against Kyrgyzstan on 17 October.

Aside from World Cup qualification, Bahrain are also gearing up for There are five rounds in the World Cup qualification format for the AFC, which will have eight teams book their tickets to the global showcase, plus potentially another following an inter-confederation

play-off.

Bahrain will play directly in the second round of qualifiers starting November. They have been drawn in a competitive Group H along with the UAE, and either Yemen or Sri Lanka and Nepal or Laos. The nationals kick off their campaign on 16 November against either Yemen or Sri Lanka.

There are 36 nations in all in this phase, divided into nine groups of four. The teams will play against each other on a home-and-away basis. The nine group winners and group runners-up advance to the third round. In addition to this, they will also automatically qualify for the 2027 AFC Asian Cup.