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Houthis and Yemen government reach 'end sanctions' deal
AFP | Dubai

Yemen's government and the Iran-backed Houthi rebels have agreed to halt tit-for-tat banking sanctions as they wrestle for control of the country's financial institutions, the United Nations said yesterday.

The Houthis have been fighting a Saudi-led coalition since March 2015, months after they seized the capital Sanaa and most of Yemen's population centres, forcing the internationally recognised government south to Aden.

The rebels and the government had in December committed to a UN-led roadmap to end the war, agreeing to work towards "the resumption of an inclusive political process".

Russia 'captured' another village in east Ukraine
AFP | Moscow

Russia's army said yesterday it had captured another tiny village in Ukraine's eastern Donetsk region, where its forces are grinding forward.

The defence ministry said its troops had "liberated" the settlement of Ivanov-Dariivka, a tiny village that consisted of just a few streets and houses before Russia launched its military offensive.

The village is around 30 kilometres (18 miles) north-east of Bakhmut, the town Russian troops captured in 2023 after flattening with months of artillery fire.

Spain imprisons pensioner over letter bombs
AFP | Madrid

A Spanish court yesterday sentenced a pensioner to 18 years in prison over letter bombs sent to Spain's prime minister and the US and Ukrainian embassies in 2022.

Pompeyo Gonzalez Pascual - who opposed Western support for Ukraine following Russia's February 2022 invasion - was found guilty of terrorism and manufacturing explosives by Spain's top criminal court, the Audiencia Nacional.

China brokers Gaza power-sharing pact

UN Chief welcomes 'interim national reconciliation government' despite Israel's criticism

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MUSA ABU MARZUK, HAMAS REPRESENTATIVE

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China yesterday brokered an accord between Hamas, which had been ruling Gaza since 2006, its main political rival Fatah, and 12 other Palestinian organizations to set up a coalition to govern post-war Gaza. The move was welcomed by the UN Chief but slammed by Israel.

The coalition, termed 'interim national reconciliation government', signed the Beijing Declaration, which was described by China as a deal to rule Gaza together once the war ends, according to AFP reports.

After the meeting, Hamas representative Musa Abu Marzuk was quoted by AFP as saying, "Today we sign an agreement for national unity and we say that the path to completing this journey is national unity. We are committed to national unity and we call for it."



A man carries a child injured during Israeli bombardment as people flee at al-Bureij refugee camp in the central Gaza Strip. (AFP)

Fatah, which has majority in the Palestinian Authority that has administrative control over West Bank, was represented in the meeting by Mahmud al-Aloul. An AFP report quoted him thanking China for its "unending support" for the Palestinian cause.

"To China, you have our love, you have all our friendship, from all the Palestinian people," he was quoted by AFP to have said.

As yesterday's meeting wrapped up, Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Yi, who hosted the delegates of the meeting, said the Palestinian groups had

committed to reconciliation. "The most prominent highlight is the agreement to form an interim national reconciliation government around the governance of post-war Gaza," Wang told AFP after the factions signed the 'Beijing Declaration' in the Chinese capital.

He added, "Reconciliation is an internal matter for the Palestinian factions, but at the same time, it cannot be achieved without the support of the international community."

What's the Deal

The text of the deal outlines

plans for "a temporary national unity government by agreement of the Palestinian factions" which would "exercise its authority and powers over all Palestinian territories" - the Gaza Strip as well as the West Bank, including Israeli-annexed east Jerusalem.

Israel's Response

A swift condemnation of the deal came from Israel, with its Foreign Minister Israel Katz being quoted by AFP as saying that "Hamas rule will be crushed".

He was also reported by AFP to have accused Palestinian pres-

ident Mahmud Abbas, whose Fatah faction signed the deal, of embracing the group whose October 7 attacks triggered the war.

He also rejected any role for the Palestinian Authority in Gaza, saying "Abbas will be watching Gaza from afar".

Hamas' attacks on southern Israel on October 7th last year had resulted in the death of 1,197 people.

Over 250 hostages were seized by Hamas, of which 116 are yet to be released.

Military campaign

Israel's retaliatory military campaign in Gaza has so far taken the lives of over 39,000 civilians, mostly women and children.

UN Reaction

UN Secretary-General Antonio Guterres welcomed the accord brokered by China.

"I think all steps towards unity are to be welcomed and encouraged," his spokesman, Stephane Dujarric, said, adding that Guterres "very much welcomes the signing of the Beijing Declaration by the Palestinian factions."

Speaking at the UN, spokesperson Dujarric said unity amongst the Palestinian factions was crucial.

"Palestinian unity... is crucial for peace and security and for advancing the aspirations of the Palestinian people for self-determination and for fully independent, democratic, contiguous, viable and sovereign Palestinian state," he said.

EU climate monitor

July 21 'hottest day' ever recorded globally

Climate keeps warming, bound to see new records in future

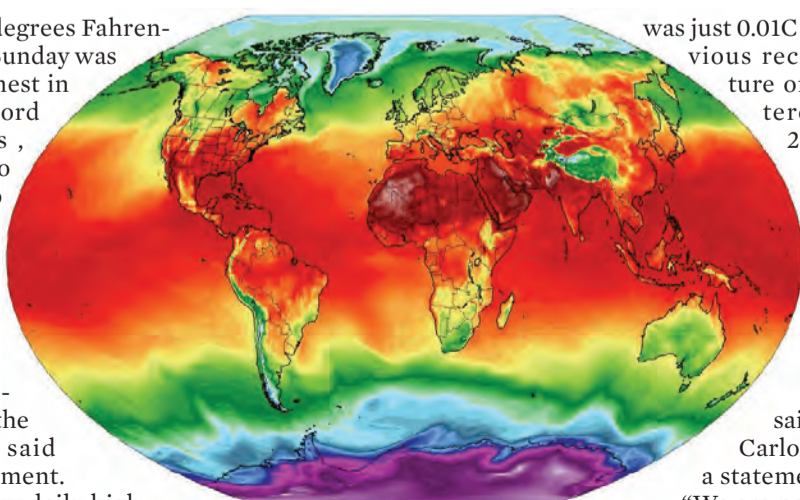
AFP | Paris

July 21 was the hottest day ever registered globally, according to preliminary data published yesterday by the EU's climate monitor.

The Copernicus Climate Change Service (C3S) said the global average surface air temperature of 17.09 degrees Celsius

(62.7 degrees Fahrenheit) on Sunday was the warmest in their record books, which go back to 1940.

"The Earth has just experienced its warmest day," the monitor said in a statement. The new daily high



was just 0.01C above the previous record temperature of 17.08C registered on July 6, 2023.

"On July 21st, C3S recorded a new record for the daily global mean temperature," said C3S director Carlo Buontempo in a statement. "We are now in truly un-

charted territory and as the climate keeps warming, we are bound to see new records being broken in future months and years," he added.

Copernicus said the daily record could be breached again in coming days before temperatures are expected to drop off, though there could be fluctuations in the weeks ahead.

Every month since June 2023 has eclipsed its own temperature record, and the latest daily high comes as heatwaves bake parts of the United States and Europe.



HM King, HRH Prince Salman thanked by Qatar and Kuwait leaders

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His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa and His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, received cables of thanks from the Amir of Qatar, His Highness Sheikh Tamim bin Hamad Al-Thani, in response to their congratulations on the anniversary of His Highness's Accession to the Throne.

HRH Prince Salman received a similar cable from the Deputy Amir of Qatar, HH Sheikh Abdullah bin Hamad Al-Thani.



HM the King



HRH Prince Salman



HH Amir of Qatar



HH Amir of Kuwait

HM the King and HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister received cables of thanks from HH Sheikh Mishal Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah, Amir of Kuwait, in response to their cables of condolences over the passing of the late Sheikh Ali Abdullah Al-Salem Al-Mubarak Al-Sabah.

His Royal Highness also received two similar cables from the Crown Prince of Kuwait, HH Sheikh Sabah Al-Khaled Al-Hamad Al-Mubarak Al-Sabah, and the Prime Minister, HH Sheikh Ahmad Abdullah Al-Ahmad Al-Sabah.

Eco-friendly initiative



The Southern Municipality hosted an event to plant and distribute 100 saplings, partnering with the Shaikha Hessa bint Ali Centre for Senior Bahraini Women in West Riffa. This activity, embedded within the Municipality's summer programme, seeks to encourage collaboration and unity across all community groups. The event was graced by the presence of the centre's director, Haya AlNoaimi, alongside several members and municipal engineers. A variety of saplings were planted, including neem, hibiscus, sidr, poinciana, ghaf, eucalyptus, and bougainvillea.

Labour crackdown

LMRA conducts sweeping inspections across Bahrain, detaining illegal workers and deporting 98 violators

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The Labour Market Regulatory Authority (LMRA) has conducted 220 inspection campaigns and visits between July 14th and 20th, resulting in the apprehension of 40 undocumented and illegal workers.

A total of 98 individuals were deported during this period.

The inspections revealed a number of violations related to the provisions of several regulatory laws, particularly the LMRA Law and the Bahrain Residence Law.

Legal action has been taken against those found in violation.

Moreover, the LMRA made 210 inspection visits across various commercial establishments in all governorates.

Additionally, 10 joint inspection campaigns were carried out, including six in the Capital Governorate, one each in Muharraq and the Northern Governorate, and two in the Southern Governorate.

These campaigns involved the Ministry of Interior, specifically the Nationality, Passports, and Residence Affairs (NPRO),



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the security directorates in the governorates, and the General Directorate for the Implementation of Judgments and Alternative Penalties.

Coordination

The LMRA emphasised its ongoing coordination with government agencies to intensify inspection campaigns across all governorates of the Kingdom.

This is done to combat any violations or practices that negatively impact the labour market, its stability, and competitiveness, or harm the economic and social security of Bahrain.

The LMRA reiterated its call to all members of the community to support government efforts in tackling illegal practices in the labor market and undocumented labor.

The authority urged the public to report any complaints regarding labour market violations and undocumented labour by filling out the dedicated electronic reporting form on the LMRA's official website www.lmra.gov.bh, through the National Suggestions and Complaints System (Tawasul), or by contacting the LMRA's call center at 17506055.

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India's 2024 Budget: Balancing Now and Next

Adeeb Ahamed MD, LuLu Financial Holdings
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The Union Budget 2024 is a thought-provoking one that balances the needs of today while establishing the priorities of tomorrow.

At the same time, one could always view it as a budget that could have done more in addressing immediate concerns.

The focus on promoting entrepreneurship, skilling and MSMEs is commendable.

The scheme offering internship opportunities in the top 500 companies will enable students to effectively translate their academic knowledge into practical professional skills, facilitating a smoother transition into the workforce.

MSMEs have a vital role to play in the country's development going forward and the moves taken in this budget to increase credit access and financial support will help these companies to scale and modernize.

The initiatives to ensure credit access to MSMEs during

their stress period and increase the limit in MUDRA loans are welcome ones.

I am also happy to see the initiative to bring out a Financial Sector Vision and Strategy Document.

Clear agenda

This will provide a clear agenda for all stakeholders over the next five years, ensuring that the efforts of the government, regulators, financial institutions, and market participants are aligned towards common goals.

At the same time, there could have been more incentives for the tourism and hospitality industry.

Rethinking the lending norms and envisioning hospitality development as a vital part of infrastructure development were necessary.

With the growing use of AI in other sectors, tourism and hospitality is poised to become a major driver of job creation and the sector needs more support.

Measures

There could also have been



Adeeb Ahamed

more in terms of measures to attract NRI-investments to the country.

Reducing corporate tax for foreign companies to 35 percent is a welcome development, while the move to abolish the Angel Tax for startups is indeed commendable.

But the NRI community was expecting more policies and reforms to boost NRI investment in India.

Overall, while this budget is a balanced one and will stand the country in good stead over the long run, one could always argue that there are missed opportunities.

Man jailed for assault after buffet line dispute

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A 39-year-old GCC man has been sentenced to three years in prison and ordered to pay BD5,000 in compensation to the victim after he was found guilty of assault.

The incident occurred at a hotel buffet where the man, along with others, attacked the victim who had been asked to wait in line.

The victim was enjoying breakfast at the hotel buffet when he was asked by a hotel staff member to join the line and not skip ahead. Shortly after, the man approached the victim and began verbally

abusing him.

The victim responded with insults, prompting the man to physically assault him. The man was joined by others, including the defendant, who used a stick to hit the victim on the head.

The hotel security intervened and separated the attackers from the victim. The victim, who sustained injuries that resulted in a 20% permanent disability, was taken to the hospital by a bystander.

The Public Prosecution charged the defendant with assault and causing permanent disability.

Cafeteria closed for health and safety violations

Mohammed Darwish

TDT | Manama

A cafeteria has been shut down, and various violations have been recorded against some establishments in a sweeping inspection campaign targeting restaurants, bakeries, and shops in the ninth district of the Northern Governorate.

This operation involved multiple agencies, including the Northern Area Municipality, the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, the Public Health Directorate, the Labour Market Regulatory Authority, Nationality, Passports and Residence Affairs, the Electricity and Water Authority, and the Police of Northern Governorate.

Abdullah Mubarak, the representative of the ninth district in the Northern Municipal Council, revealed that the primary result of the inspection

was the closure of a cafeteria by the Ministry of Health.

The cafeteria was found to be falling short of both cleanliness and health standards, and it also had improper electrical installations.

Regulations

Mubarak further explained that during the inspections, some workers were found to be adhering to regulations.

However, the Northern Area Municipality issued citations to certain shops for violating Law No. (2) of 1996, which prohibits leaving movable items outside shops, factories, warehouses, or homes except for the brief period necessary for loading or unloading, ensuring that traffic is not obstructed.

Additionally, some shops were deemed unsuitable for commercial activities and received warnings to address these issues promptly.

Brother accuses sibling of arson

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A family dispute between two brothers escalated to arson, leading one brother to file a lawsuit against the other.

The victim, a resident of Bahrain, claims that his brother, a 45-year-old man with a history of drug use, set fire to his car.

According to the victim, he was awakened on the day of the incident and informed that his car was on fire. Upon arriving at the garage, he found his car engulfed in flames. The Civil Defense personnel were called and extinguished the blaze.

The victim alleged that his brother was responsible for the arson, while the Civil Defense's report confirmed that the fire was deliberately set.



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Crime

The accused brother admitted to the crime during questioning by the Public Prosecution. The prosecution charged the brother with intentionally setting fire to the victim's property, endanger-

ing lives and property.

The accused brother confessed to the crime in court, stating that his brother had broken his motorcycles and that he

was being pressured to pay for repairs by the owners.

The Public Prosecution argued for the maximum penalty for the accused, citing the evi-

dence presented in the case. The court has scheduled a hearing for July 29 to review the case, with the accused brother remaining in custody.

Verdict in accountant's BD54,000 embezzlement case adjourned

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The High Criminal Court has adjourned the case of an accountant accused of embezzling over BD54,000 belonging to the Gulf Aviation Academy.

The case will resume on August 5th, 2024 to allow the court-appointed forensic accountant to complete his investigation.

The forensic accountant's report, commissioned by the court,



revealed a discrepancy of BD52,714.811 missing from the Academy's bank accounts

between January 2021 and April 2022.

The report also indicated that

certain balances had been deleted from the accounting system, replaced with alternative balances, and some balances had their dates altered.

Tax entry

Additionally, a value-added tax entry recorded on March 31, 2022, was also deleted.

The investigation was initiated based on a complaint filed by the Gulf Aviation Academy with the General Directorate of Anti-Corruption and Economic & Electronic Security.

The academy's internal audit and control procedures revealed suspicious activity by the accused employee.

Weekly meeting



The Bahrain Red Crescent Society (BRCS) organised a training workshop on public speaking and communication to enhance the skills of workers in the humanitarian and relief field. The objective of this awareness workshop, presented by Ms. Fayza Al-Fursani, a media training specialist, was to develop the participants' skills and abilities in public speaking and addressing audiences, to apply effective communication methods with others, to improve the quality of services they provide and enhance their capacity for positive interaction with the public.

Promoting peace



Council of Representatives Speaker Ahmed bin Salman Al Musallam met Dr. Shaikh Abdulla bin Ahmed Al Khalifa, Board of Trustees Chairman of the King Hamad Global Centre for Peaceful Coexistence. MP Hassan Ibrahim Hassan and Abdulla Isa Al Mannai, the Centre's Executive Director, attended the meeting. The Speaker commended the role of the King Hamad Global Centre for Peaceful Coexistence and its commitment to fulfilling its objectives.

NBR to host VAT registration workshop

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The National Bureau for Revenue (NBR) has invited all individuals engaged in economic and commercial activities, as well as unregistered establishments with sales exceeding or expected to exceed BD37,500, to participate in workshops organised by the Bureau.

These workshops provide opportunities to gain a deeper understanding of VAT registration standards, application mechanisms, and proper compliance.

The NBR explained that it will

organise a workshop titled "VAT Registration" on Tuesday, 30th July.

During this session, specialists from the Bureau will cover various topics related to the fundamental principles of VAT, including the mechanism for calculating the mandatory registration threshold and the requirements to be submitted to the Bureau.

Additionally, the workshop will address the steps involved in the registration process and the obligations that arise when

issuing VAT invoices and submitting returns.

The specialists will also be available to directly answer all participants' queries to ensure a comprehensive understanding of VAT.

The Bureau has encouraged those interested in joining the workshop to fill out the registration form available on its website (www.nbr.gov.bh). This will enable the Bureau to communicate with registrants and provide details about this and upcoming workshops.

Legislative training



The General Secretariat of the Shura Council yesterday hosted a delegation of university students undergoing training with the General Directorate of Traffic. This visit, organised in coordination with the Legal Affairs Division of the General Directorate of Traffic, was part of the students' practical training period. Its purpose was to deepen their understanding of parliamentary culture and acquaint them with the Shura Council's central role within the legislative authority in enacting laws and regulations governing all sectors in the Kingdom of Bahrain. The delegation attended an introductory presentation on the duties and functions of the Shura Council, delivered by Hawraa Juma, a legal researcher.

'Digitising' housing services for citizens

More than 15,000 citizens visit 'Baity' real estate platform in six months

Mohammed Darwish
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Her Excellency Amna Al-Rumaihi, Minister of Housing and Urban Planning, confirmed that the upgraded "Baity" real estate platform, launched last February alongside the third Housing Finance Exhibition, has seen a significant uptick in interest from citizens seeking the ministry's financial services.

The platform has attracted about 15,700 visitors from February to July 2024.

The minister highlighted a consistent monthly increase in users, attributing this to the variety of real estate options available at prices that align with housing finance through different "Tas'heel" funding schemes and the newly introduced "Mazaya" category.

These options include units, plots, and apartments across all governorates of Bahrain.

The platform offers users the flexibility to view details, sizes, and prices of properties listed by real estate companies in the kingdom.

Minister Al-Rumaihi noted that the number of properties



The Mazaya Social Financing makes home ownership more accessible

available on the platform has grown, driven by increased interest from real estate companies eager to showcase their offerings on "Baity."

The number of participating companies has risen to 43, presenting approximately 11,580 properties valued at BD1.3 billion.

Regarding the financial services accessible through the platform, data indicates that 58% of users have chosen "Tas'heel" financing, 22% have opted for "Mazaya" financing, and 20% for the new "Mazaya"

category.

The Minister mentioned that the financing options provided by participating banks play a crucial role in attracting citizens to the platform's financial services.

Second phase

Additionally, the Minister stated that the joint team from the Ministry of Housing and Urban Planning and the Housing Bank is currently executing the second phase of the platform's development.

This phase aims to introduce



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H.E. AMNA AL-RUMAIHI, MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN PLANNING

more interactive features to assist citizens in selecting and reserving properties online and completing the entire transaction for property purchase through the ministry's financing directly via the platform.

This initiative is part of the ministry's broader digital transformation strategy to digitise all its services and provide citizens with greater flexibility to secure housing swiftly.

Thailand-based Bahraini declares candidacy

● **Muharraq**
by-elections

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A Bahraini residing in Thailand has declared his candidacy for the by-elections in the First Constituency of Muharraq, following the court's annulment of former MP Mohammed Al-Hussaini's membership.

In a video posted on Instagram, Mohammed Al-Jowder conveyed that his decision to run was prompted by the encouragement of local residents.

He emphasised that he is not interested in showmanship and that the community is



Mohammed Al-Jowder

well aware of his journey and achievements.

Al-Jowder stated that he would not make the usual promises, but assured, "I will do my utmost to ensure a decent life to Bahrainis," and indicated that if he fails in this endeavour, he would not seek re-election.

Filipino workers participate in skill-building training



The training in progress

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A Filipino expatriate has been actively engaging in numerous training sessions at the Philippine Embassy, under the summer heat, to acquire valuable skills.

Mercy Dumaya, 60 years old from Piat, Cagayan Valley, has been diligently participating in the meat and food processing training sessions conducted by the Overseas Workers Welfare Administration (OWWA) and Migrant Workers Office in partnership with Pinay Ikaw Na.

Also a caregiver in Hamad town and working in Bahrain for more than 10 years, Dumaya has participated in four training sessions.

Utilizing the skills acquired

during the workshop, she began making siomai and siopao, which she then introduced to her network of acquaintances and friends.

The response was overwhelmingly positive, with many praising on the quality of her outcome.

"In addition to being a hobby, it is a significant opportunity for all of us, particularly for Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs) who are considering settling down and starting their own businesses.

I express my gratitude to OWWA, MWO and PIN for their support," Mercy said.

On July 19th, a total of 53 individuals were present for a demonstration on how to make pandesal, empananada, and siopao.

Bahrain takes part in World Heritage Committee Meeting

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The Arab Regional Centre for World Heritage is actively participating in the 46th World Heritage Committee meeting, which is being held in New Delhi, India, from July 21 to July 31, 2024.

His Excellency Shaikh Khalifa bin Ahmed bin Abdullah Al Khalifa, President of the Bahrain Authority for Culture and Antiquities (BACA) and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Centre, is leading a delegation of experts and staff from the Centre.

During the meeting, which officially commenced with His Excellency's attendance, the Centre will also host a series of



H.E. Shaikh Khalifa bin Ahmed bin Abdullah Al Khalifa leads Bahrain delegation

side events in collaboration with international organizations.

These side events will focus

on critical issues related to the preservation and conservation of the Arab world's cultural and

natural heritage.

The aim is to highlight the region's rich cultural and natural treasures, provide guidance and support to Arab States Parties to the World Heritage Convention, and review the status of Arab World Heritage sites.

Shaikh Khalifa bin Ahmed emphasised the significance of the Centre's participation in this prominent meeting.

He noted that the discussions will address essential and contemporary issues concerning Arab heritage.

The Centre plans to conduct events and discussion sessions to offer global attendees insights into local heritage challenges and potential solutions

Transportation Minister attends airshow

London

His Excellency Mohammed bin Thamer Al Kaabi, the Minister of Transportation and

Telecommunications, participated in the Farnborough International Airshow, held between July 22-26.

The Farnborough Interna-

tional Airshow is a premier global platform for the aviation industry, featuring over 1,500 exhibitors from 40 countries and attracting more than 80,000 visitors annually.

On the sidelines of the airshow, the minister met with Gareth Rogers, the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Farnborough International organisers.

The meeting discussed the means of cooperation and joint coordination for the Bahrain International Airshow (BIAS) 2024, scheduled for November 13-15.

Al Kaabi also met with several aviation companies and invited them to participate in the BIAS 2024.



The Northern Governor, Ali bin Al Shaikh Abdulhussain Al Asfoor, chaired the weekly negotiation meeting in the presence of Deputy Northern Governor Brigadier Abdullah Ali Al Muntar. He highlighted the cooperation between the governorate and the Public Security Presidency for Community Affairs in carrying out the Healthy Cities programme's programmes and activities. The Governor noted that the governorate would be involved in labour accommodation inspection and anti-mosquito campaigns.

NOTICE

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India on \$24 billion jobs drive in Modi's first post-election budget

ECONOMIC GROWTH

* 2024/25 nominal GDP growth seen at 10.5% y/y vs 9.6% in 23/24

* Government to focus on infrastructure investments to promote private investments

* Global uncertainties pose a downward risk to short-term

FISCAL DEFICIT

* 2024/25 fiscal deficit target lowered to 4.9% of GDP from 5.1% in February's interim budget

* To reduce fiscal deficit to below 4.5% by FY26

* Record surplus of 2.11 trillion rupees (\$25.3 billion) from central bank helps narrow fiscal deficit

* Government's gross market borrowings for 24/25 cut by 120 billion rupees to 14.01 trillion rupees.

* Government's net market borrowing at 11.63 trillion rupees vs 11.75 trillion rupees in interim budget



India's Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman (5L) poses for photos before presenting the union budget in the Parliament in New Delhi

said yesterday, as Prime Minister Narendra Modi looks to address uneven economic growth after a surprising election setback last month.

The funding will be used over five years for a package of five schemes and initiatives to "facilitate employment, skilling and other opportunities" for more than 40 million young people, finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman said in her annual budget speech.

Some will go on "employment-linked incentives" for companies, which the government hopes will create jobs.

"The global economy, while performing better than expect-

ed, is still in the grip of policy uncertainties," Sitharaman said.

"In this context, India's economic growth continues to be the shining exception and will remain so in the years ahead," she added.

Modi's Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) fell short of an outright majority in the recent national elections.

Modi has overseen India's ascent to become the world's fastest-growing major economy.

Sitharaman's speech also had specific concessions to the BJP's regional allies, including high-ways in the eastern state of Bihar and facilitating "special financial support" for a new state capital

TAX CHANGES

* Corporate tax rate for foreign companies cut to 35% from 40%, to attract investments

* Import tax on gold and silver reduced to 6% from 15%

* Tax rate raised for equity investments held for less than one year to 20% from 15% and for shares held for more than 12 months to 12.5% from 10%

* Import tax cut on mobile phones and some key parts from 20% to 15%

* To review import duties structure in next six months

JOB CREATION

* Budget proposes to allocate 2 trillion rupees for job creation over 5 years

* Allocates 1.52 trillion rupees for agriculture and allied sectors

* To launch 3 schemes for employment-linked incentives

EXPENDITURE PLANS

* Allocation for major subsidies including food, fertiliser estimated at 3.81 trillion rupees, 1.2% of GDP

* Spending on interest payment services estimated at 11.63 trillion rupees, 3.6% of GDP

* To allocate 150 billion rupees as special financial support through multilateral development agencies to Andhra Pradesh state, ruled by Modi's biggest ally TDP

* Credit support to small and medium businesses during the stress period

* Proposes to support setting up of 12 industrial parks

* Proposes to enhance small loans to 2 million rupees for small and medium businesses

* To set up a venture capital fund of 10 billion rupees for space

RURAL DEVELOPMENT

* Provision of 2.66 trillion rupees (\$32 billion) for rural development

* Proposes state aid for 30 million affordable housing units in urban and rural areas

URBAN DEVELOPMENT

* Proposes 2.2 trillion rupees (\$26 billion) federal government assistance for affordable urban housing over the next five years

* Government will partner with private players to develop small nuclear reactors

INFLATION

* Finance minister says inflation remains low, moving toward 4% target

* Proposes to take supply-side measures to contain food inflation

INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENTS

* Capex outlay for infrastructure retained at the interim budget target of 11.1 trillion rupees (\$133 billion) or 3.4% of GDP

* Proposes 1.5 trillion rupees for long-term loans to states for infrastructure investments

domestic product this financial year, lower than the 5.1% projected during an interim budget in February.

India's benchmark Nifty index fell as much as 1.8% during the budget speech, but it pared back some of the losses in afternoon trading.

in Andhra Pradesh, in the south.

Robust economic growth in India has driven a tax windfall, allowing the government to increase spending while still reducing debt.

Despite new spending plans, Sitharaman said India will lower its fiscal deficit to 4.9% of gross

Mumbai, India

India's government will spend \$24 billion on employment and training, it

BisB announces special offer

● Personal finance for government and semi-government employees

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Bahrain Islamic Bank (BisB), the leading provider of innovative Islamic financial solutions for simplifying money matters in the Kingdom of Bahrain, has announced a special offer with exclusive profit rates on personal finance for government and semi-government employees.

The three-day campaign will run from today to Saturday, excluding Friday. During this period, eligible customers can secure personal financing at a reduced profit rate by applying through the Bank's branches, Financial Malls, sales teams, and Thuraya Premium



Fatema AlAlawi

Banking.

Commenting on the initiative, Ms. Fatema AlAlawi, Chief Retail Banking Officer at BisB said, "This initiative underscores our ongoing commitment to fostering the financial empowerment of our clientele, providing them with the means to achieve their aspirations."

Qatar Airways orders 20 Boeing 777X long-haul jets

Farnborough, United Kingdom

Qatar Airways yesterday ordered 20 Boeing 777X long-haul aircraft worth \$8.8 billion at list prices, boosting the US aviation giant at Britain's Farnborough International Airshow.

"Qatar Airways is proud to announce an expansion to the

existing Boeing 777X aircraft order with an additional 20, totalling 94 Boeing 777X aircraft," said the airline's chief executive Badr Mohammed Al-Meer.

The order was worth \$8.8 billion at catalogue prices although major aviation customers typically secure big discounts from aircraft manufacturers.

NBB opens registration for Tas'heel Financing directly with exclusive offerings



The deal signing
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The National Bank of Bahrain (NBB) has announced its offer for the eligible beneficiaries of the Tas'heel Social Housing Finance scheme, an initiative by the Government of Bahrain designed to facilitate widespread homeownership for Bahraini citizens. Beneficiaries can now apply for Tas'heel Finance scheme directly through NBB for new Tas'heel financing or top up. The streamlined application process ensures a smooth experience for prospective homeowners.

NBB's Tas'heel Finance offer provides an accessible path to property ownership without requiring a significant upfront cash investment. The holistic package offers various benefits for the beneficiaries along with exclusive deals. These include competitive interest rates, a special gift for the first 30 applicants, complimentary fire insurance for the financed

property, a tenor period of up to 30 years, and an optional period of up to 6 months on repayments.

Commenting on the occasion, Subah Abdullatif Al Zayani, Chief Executive - Retail Banking at NBB said, "We are proud to cooperate again with the Ministry of Housing and Urban Planning to provide Tas'heel financing directly through the Bank. We are also happy to extend our financial advice to support the beneficiaries throughout the process by an experienced team. We are proud to be focused on this governmental initiative, and we aspire to play a part in fulfilling the dream of home ownership for Bahraini families.

NBB's comprehensive package for the Tas'heel Finance scheme aims to deliver accessible home mortgage solutions. The Bank invites all eligible beneficiaries to take advantage of this opportunity to fulfill their homeownership aspirations.

Zain Bahrain partners with Reboot01 Coding Institute

To Foster Technological Development



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Zain Bahrain, a leading telecommunications operator in the Kingdom of Bahrain, announced a strategic partnership with Reboot Coding Institute (Reboot01), an innovative on-campus coding institute. This collaboration signifies both parties' commitment to fostering technological skills development in Bahrain.

Through this collaboration, Zain Bahrain and Reboot01 will mutually benefit by providing learning and development opportunities for their employees and students. This strategic partnership aims to leverage Reboot Coding Institute's coding and software development expertise to bolster Zain Bahrain's commitment to fostering a culture of continuous learning and innovation

among its workforces.

Mohammed Zainalabedin, Zain Bahrain's Managing Director, said, "By partnering with Reboot Coding Institute, we are taking a significant step towards ensuring our team has access to the latest technological advancements and training. This initiative also aligns with our vision of supporting the wider community, particularly students, in their pursuit of excellence in the tech industry."

Yanal Jallad, Managing Director of Reboot Coding Institute, stated, "This collaboration marks the beginning of a promising journey towards even stronger cooperation. This perfectly aligns with Reboot's mission of empowering the next generation of highly skilled professionals through innovative learning methods and by fostering a problem-solving mindset."



News in brief

Iran's Revolutionary Guards seized a Togo-flagged oil tanker on Monday and arrested its 12 foreign crew members over alleged fuel smuggling, the guards' news website said. "The Revolutionary Guards' navy captured an oil tanker flying the Togolese flag and carrying over 1.5 million litres of smuggled oil," the Sepahnews website said. "The vessel was brought to the port of Bushehr, along with its 12 crew members, who are of Indian and Sri Lankan nationality," it added. Iranian naval forces frequently announce the detention of vessels transporting fuel in the Gulf. In late January, Iran seized a vessel carrying two million litres of allegedly smuggled fuel, reports said. Fourteen crew members were arrested.



Iran seizes tanker, arrests 12 foreign crew: Guards website

The number of arrests in days of violence in Bangladesh passed the 2,500 mark in an AFP tally yesterday, after protests over employment quotas sparked widespread unrest. At least 174 people have died, including several police officers, according to a separate AFP count of victims reported by police and hospitals. What began as demonstrations against politicised admission quotas for sought-after government jobs snowballed last week into some of the worst unrest of Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina's tenure. A curfew was imposed and soldiers deployed across the South Asian country. A nationwide internet blackout drastically restricted the flow of information. The student group leading the demonstrations suspended its protests Monday for 48 hours, with its leader saying they had not wanted reform "at the expense of so much blood".

Using shovels or their bare hands, local residents on Tuesday searched desperately for survivors after a landslide in a remote area of southern Ethiopia killed at least 229 people, the deadliest such disaster recorded in the Horn of Africa nation. Crowds gathered at the site of the tragedy in an isolated and mountainous area of South Ethiopia regional state as some people clawed through mounds of red dirt, according to images posted on social media by the local authority. So far, 148 men and 81 women are confirmed to have lost their lives after the disaster struck on Monday in the Kencho-Shacha locality in the Gofa Zone, the local Communications Affairs Department said in a statement.



Devastating Ethiopia landslide kills 229

SPOTLIGHT

US Secret Service director resigns after Trump assassination bid

US Secret Service Director Kimberly Cheatle resigned yesterday, a day after acknowledging that the agency failed in its mission to prevent an assassination attempt against Donald Trump. Cheatle was facing bipartisan calls to step down after a 20-year-old gunman wounded the former Republican president and current White House candidate at a July 13 campaign rally in Butler, Pennsylvania. "It is overdue, she should have done this at least a week ago," Mike Johnson, the Republican Speaker of the House of Representatives, told reporters. "I'm happy to see that she has heeded the call of both Republicans and Democrats." President Joe Biden thanked Cheatle for her nearly three decades in the Secret Service and said she had "selflessly dedicated and risked her life to protect our nation throughout her career."



Kimberly Cheatle the Secret Service.

She called it "the most significant operational failure of the Secret Service in decades." Both Republicans and Democrats called on Cheatle to resign during a tense hearing. She drew the ire of lawmakers from both parties by refusing to provide specific details about the attack, citing the existence of multiple active investigations. The gunman opened fire on Trump with an AR-style assault rifle just minutes after he began speaking at the campaign event. Perched on the roof of a nearby building, he was shot dead by a Secret Service sniper less than 30 seconds after firing the first of eight shots. Investigators have concluded the young man, who lived in a town about 50 miles (80 kilometers) from Butler, acted alone, and have not been able to identify any strong ideological or political leanings. Hours after sunrise, sa-

UK BBC apologises over dance show bullying row London, United Kingdom

The head of the UK's BBC on Tuesday apologised to celebrity contestants who had negative experiences on its prime-time "Strictly Come Dancing" show, following a string of bullying allegations. The programme -- exported to over 60 other countries through the "Dancing with the Stars" franchise -- is the jewel in the crown of BBC light entertainment. But in recent months it has faced controversy after former contestant and actor Amanda Abbington, said the show's intense training routine left her with post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

Crashed Japan navy choppers found on seabed

Japan's navy has located on the seabed the wreckage of two helicopters that crashed more than three months ago, killing eight crew members. The SH-60K helicopters, each crewed by four people, were conducting submarine location drills off the Izu Islands in the Pacific Ocean in April when they collided. To date, only one body has been found while the other seven were declared dead in June by the Maritime Self-Defense Forces after a fruitless search operation. A deep-sea probe by a national research institute that began this month led to the discovery of the two aircraft "on the seabed near the site of the crash", according to a navy statement.

Body cam footage shows US police shooting unarmed Black woman

So far one of the police officers involved in this case has been charged with murder

AFP | Washington, United States



Image taken from a police bodycam video released by the Illinois State Police shows Sonya Massey reacting after a Sangamon County sheriff's officer draws his weapon before being shot and killed

New body camera footage released by the Illinois State Police shows officers shooting dead an unarmed Black woman in her home after she called for help over a possible intruder. In the United States, where police shootings of minorities have become painfully common and polarizing events, the killing has attracted national attention, with President Joe Biden saying Sonya Massey "should be alive today." So far one of the police officers involved in this case has been charged with murder. Massey, 36, called 911 to report a possible intruder at her home, with police arriving after midnight July 6, according to the Sangamon County Sheriff's Office. In video footage released Monday, Massey is seen talking to

two officers in her home, while they ask for ID and she searches through paperwork. The sheriff's deputies then ask her to check on a pot of boiling water on her stove, saying "we don't need a fire while we're here." When one of the deputies steps back, Massey asks why, and he responds with a laugh: "away from your hot steaming water." Holding the pot, Massey calmly responds "Oh, I reuke you in the name of Jesus" -- prompting a deputy to respond "You better fucking not. I swear to God I'll fucking shoot you at your fu**ing face," drawing his weapon. Apologizing, Massey crouches behind a counter as officers scream "drop the fu**ing pot." They then round the corner of the counter and open fire. Afterward, one of the officers said they were afraid of "taking fu**ing boiling water to the fu**ing head." Officer Sean

'Dereliction of duty' by officers responsible for Maine shooter

AFP | Washington, United States

Three officers who oversaw an army reservist that carried out a mass shooting in the US state of Maine have been punished for dereliction of duty, the military said Tuesday. The officers failed to notify higher-level commanders when they became aware of "escalating issues" involving Robert Card, and did not conduct a required investigation after he was hospitalized for mental health problems months before the shooting, the military said. Lieutenant General Jody Daniels, the head of the US Army Reserve Command, ordered an investigation into his death and -- should be able to do so without fearing for our lives," he said in a statement. High-profile civil rights attorney Ben Crump, representing the family of Massey, called it "one of the worst videos of a police shooting ever."

Julian Assange reappears in smiling beachside family photo

AFP | Sydney, Australia



The wife of WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange has offered a rare glimpse into his post-prison life, releasing a candid family photo showing him basking in freedom on a deserted beach. Assange, 53, returned to his native Australia in June after a deal was struck to end his 14-year legal struggle with the US Department of Justice.

He has shunned the spotlight since his reunion with wife Stella at Canberra Airport in Australia's capital. Simply captioned "Family photo", Stella released a picture on social media overnight showing a smiling Assange on a beach with young sons Gabriel and Max. The photo did not specify a location, although local media said it appeared to be somewhere in Australia. Lawyer Stella, who married Assange while he was locked up in London's Belmarsh prison, has previously said he would use his freedom to "swim in the ocean every day." "He plans to sleep in a real bed. He plans to taste real food. And he plans to enjoy his freedom," she told reporters in Australia shortly after his arrival.

UK warned Israel over 'out of control' troops in 2002

AFP | London, United Kingdom



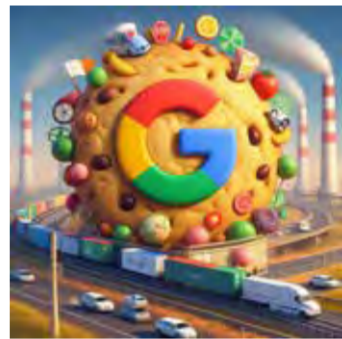
Israel's Prime Minister Ariel Sharon (L) laughs with Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Senator Joe Biden (R) during a meeting at the US Capitol 11 June 2002

Britain accused Israel of allowing its troops to run "out of control" during a huge military operation in the occupied West Bank two decades ago, UK government archives showed yesterday. The newly-released files highlight Western concern over the Palestinian death toll during Operation Defensive Shield launched by then-Israeli premier Ariel Sharon in March 2002. The comments are similar to concerns expressed by some Western allies over Israel's current military operations against Hamas in the Gaza Strip. Britain's ambassador to Israel at the time warned Sharon's foreign policy adviser that the incursion by the Israel Defense Forces (IDF) was a "major strategic mistake" which was undermining support for Israel among its allies. "If some of the reports we were receiving were credible, the IDF's behaviour was more worthy of the Russian army than that of a supposed-civilised country," Sherard Cowper-Coles told the adviser,

according to his report of the meeting. "I was not suggesting that such behaviour was a matter of policy. But there was no doubt that individual soldiers were out of control and committing acts which were outraging international opinion," the diplomat added. The operation came amid the Second Intifada, or Palestinian uprising, which occurred between 2000 and 2005. Sharon launched the operation in the West Bank after a wave of suicide attacks claimed dozens of Israeli lives. The Israeli military surrounded the compound of then-Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat in Ramallah. Troops cut off phone lines and power supplies, while intense street-to-street fighting raged for eight days further north in the Jenin refugee camp.

In U-turn, Google sticks with tracking 'cookies'

AFP | Washington, United States



Google on Monday said it was ditching its long mooted plan to block tracking "cookies" on its Chrome browser after years of resistance from online publishers and questions from regulators. Cookies are snippets of code that allow third-party companies to track Chrome users' movements across the web. Information gleaned from them is used by third party publishers and websites to sell their own advertising. They have been

websites to give permission to have them deployed. In January 2020, Google announced its "Privacy Sandbox" project as a better approach that would no longer track users individually, but its implementation has been delayed several times. Online publishers that widely deploy cookies argued that the project would increase Google's dominance since the giant holds mountains of data on consumer behavior that will be denied to others.

Indian priests invoke heavenly powers for Kamala Harris

AFP | India

Harris hits trail with Democratic nomination locked in

AFP | Washington, United States

Kamala Harris hits the US campaign trail Tuesday after effectively clinching the Democratic presidential nomination, heading to the battleground state of Wisconsin to renew her attacks on Republican candidate Donald Trump. The vice president took just 36 hours to secure enough delegates to be nominated, moving with lightning speed after President Joe Biden's exit from the

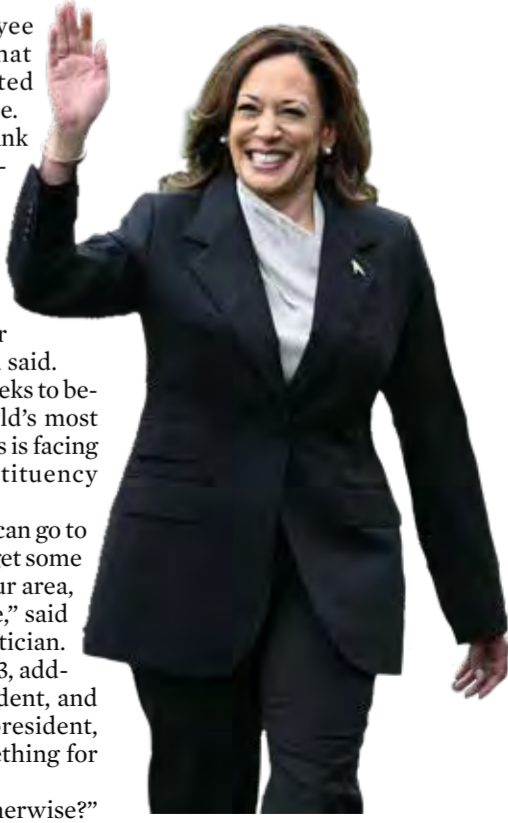
race triggered one of the largest election upheavals in modern US history. Hollywood star George Clooney -- one of the first high-profile Democratic activists to urge Biden to drop his reelection bid -- on Tuesday joined a series of heavyweights in backing 59-year-old Harris to face Trump in November. On her trip to Milwaukee, Harris is expected to launch another attack on convicted felon Trump as she leans into her past role as a California prosecutor and state attorney general. "She is prepared to prosecute the case against Donald Trump," said Wisconsin campaign spokeswoman Brianna Johnson. The theme is set to resonate throughout Harris's campaign, as she lashed out at Trump in similar terms in a speech to staff on Monday in which she said that, as a prosecutor she knew "Donald Trump's type." Backed with the endorsement of Biden and other key party figures, US media reported that

Harris had on Monday sailed past the number of delegates needed -- 1,976 out of nearly 4,000. The first female, Black and South Asian vice president in US history said in a statement that she was proud and "I look forward to formally accepting the nomination soon." Harris should now be able to secure the nomination on August 7 -- nearly two weeks before the Democratic convention in Chicago. The party plans to hold an online vote of convention delegates. again, the celebrations will be grander than anything the village has ever seen," the priest said. "After becoming president, she must visit." The offerings were "donated by the people of the village," said J Sudhakar, 50, an influential local leader whose wife is the local councillor. "This time if she wins



A woman walks past a poster of US Vice President Kamala Harris in her ancestral village of Thulasendrapuram in the south Indian state of Tamil Nadu

Government employee Vijay Kumar insists that the village has benefited from Harris' high profile. "A local commercial bank donated 10 million rupees (\$120,000) to rejuvenate a long-dead reservoir in the area. "They did that only because of Kamala Harris' association with our village," the 59-year-old said. But even before she seeks to become leader of the world's most powerful country, Harris is facing demands from a constituency continents away. "Only the very bright can go to America, but if she can get some companies to open in our area, our kids can work there," said Sudhakar, the local politician. And farmer T Selvi, 53, added: "She was vice president, and now she will become president, but she should do something for us too. "What is the point otherwise?"



X TOP 4 TWEETS

01 [Image of Joe Biden]

The failure of countries to unite for solutions to common challenges reflects a deeper dysfunction in our world. Multilateralism is falling behind. The Summit of the Future in September is a pivotal opportunity for renewal. @antonioгутerres

02 [Image of Joe Biden]

It has been -- and remains -- the honor of my life to work for @POTUS for the past twenty-two years. He has restored U.S. leadership around the world and delivered historic accomplishments as President. I look forward to building on that record with him over the next six months. @SecBlinken

03 [Image of Narendra Modi]

The #BudgetForViksitBharat ensures inclusive growth, benefiting every segment of society and paving the way for a developed India. @narendramodi

04 [Image of Dr. Tros]

Saddened by the news from #Ethiopia and the deaths of dozens of people due to the landslides. I'm thinking of all the families who have been affected. @WHOethiopia team is deployed to support the immediate health needs. @DrTros

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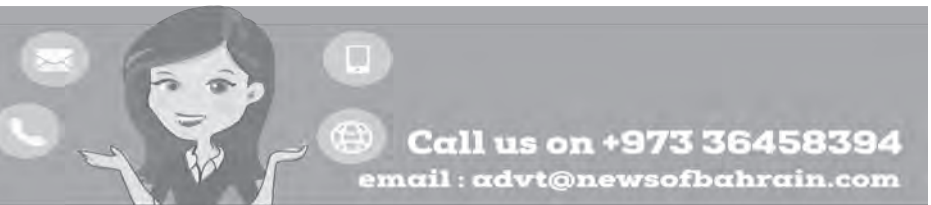
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Guardiola assures De Bruyne's stay

Manchester City manager dismisses Saudi transfer rumours, insists Belgian star will remain for the season

● **De Bruyne has one year left on his City contract**

● **Al-Ittihad reportedly interested in the 33-year-old midfielder**

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Pep Guardiola insists Kevin De Bruyne will not leave Manchester City this season after reports the Belgium star could move to Saudi Arabia.

De Bruyne has just one year left on his current City contract and the midfielder revealed recently he has spoken with his wife Michele about his future plans.

"For Michele an exotic adventure is OK," De Bruyne said in a hint that he could end his successful spell at Premier League

champions City.

Saudi Pro League club Al-Ittihad were believed to be interested in De Bruyne.

But UK press reports yesterday said City manager Guardiola had rejected any thought of the 33-year-old being allowed to walk away this season.

Speaking ahead of Manchester City's friendly against Celtic in North Carolina, Guardiola told reporters "Kevin isn't leaving".

De Bruyne returned after missing the first half of last season due to injury and helped

City make history with a fourth successive Premier League title.

He has been with City since joining from Wolfsburg in 2015, winning 15 major trophies including six Premier League titles and one



Since joining Manchester City in 2015, Kevin De Bruyne has been instrumental in winning 15 major trophies, including six Premier League titles and a Champions League crown

Champions League crown.

While Guardiola is adamant, his influential playmaker will stay at the Etihad Stadium this term, it remains to be seen if he can persuade the Belgian to remain in Manchester longer than that. "My eldest (child) is now eight years old and knows nothing but England.

He also asks how long I will play at City. Once the time comes, we will have to deal with it in a certain way," De Bruyne said in a recent interview.

"At my age, you have to be open to everything. You talk about unbelievable amounts in what may be the end of my career. Sometimes you have to think about that.

"If I play there for two years, I will be able to earn an incredible amount of money."

Meanwhile, Guardiola claimed City would not make major changes to his squad before their Premier League season kicks off against Chelsea on August 18.

Crystal Palace winger Eberechi Eze has been linked with the champions, while City goalkeeper Ederson has potential offers from Saudi Arabia.

"Of course, until the last day, we have chances (to make transfers), I don't rule it out the option to have new players but I think there is an 85,90 per cent chance we will have the same squad," Guardiola said.

"I feel comfortable, because the quality of human beings we have in the squad is difficult to



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be replaced, and the quality is there.

"But we'll see, I don't know in the last moment if someone comes for some players and they leave, we're going to decide.

"If someone leaves, we're going to talk about that."



Pierre-Emile Hojbjerg

Marseille sign Tottenham's Hojbjerg on loan

AFP | Marseille

French Ligue 1 club Marseille announced Monday the arrival on loan of Danish midfielder Pierre-Emile Hojbjerg from Premier League side Tottenham Hotspur.

"Olympique de Marseille are delighted to announce the signing of

Pierre-Emile Hojbjerg from Tottenham Hotspur FC.

The 28-year-old midfielder has joined the club on loan with an option to buy after passing his medical," the club said in a statement on its website.

Denmark international Hojbjerg has 81 caps and played in all four

of his country's matches at Euro 2024, where they were eliminated at the last-16 stage by hosts Germany.

The 28-year-old began his professional career at German Bundesliga giants Bayern Munich before moving to England when he signed for Southampton in 2016.

After four years on the south coast, Hojbjerg joined Tottenham in August 2020 and went on to make 184 appearances for the club.

Marseille have not specified the financial terms, but several sports media have reported a compulsory purchase option of around 13 million euros (\$14 million).

Sri Lanka names Charith Asalanka to lead T20 team

AFP | Colombo

Sri Lanka has named Charith Asalanka their new T20 captain yesterday ahead of a white ball series against visiting India, the island's cricket board said yesterday.

The 27-year-old middle-or-

der batsman replaces Wanindu Hasaranga, who stepped down 11 days ago following Sri Lanka's early exit from the T20 World Cup in June.

The board did not say if it was making changes to the ODI squad currently led by Kusal Mendis, while Dhananjaya de

Silva remains Test captain.

The Indian team arrived on Monday ahead of the first of three T20 matches on Saturday at Pallekele in Kandy. The three-match ODI series will be played at the Premadasa Stadium in Colombo from August 2.



Charith Asalanka

Ismail Dawood shines at London Diamond League



Ismail Dawood

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Qatar's Olympic-bound athlete, Ismail Dawood, delivered an impressive performance in the 400m hurdles at the London Diamond League, securing a third-place finish with a personal best of 47.72 seconds.

Dawood beat his previous personal best, coming in behind Brazil's Alison Dos Santos, who won his fifth Diamond League meet this season, and Jamaica's Roshawn Clarke. "That was a huge PB for me, so I am very excited now for Paris," Dawood said,

expressing confidence for the upcoming Olympics.

Dawood finished just behind Clarke, who clocked 47.63 seconds, with Kyron McMaster from the British Virgin Islands placing fourth at 47.81 seconds.

Joining Dawood in Paris will be other top Qatari athletes, including high jumper Mutaz Barshim, who is aiming to defend his Olympic title. Barshim, however, withdrew from the London meet due to technical issues but remains focused on the Olympic Games.

This new era for Qatari athletics promises excitement and high expectations for the Paris 2024 Olympics.

Miami's Messi, Suarez out for MLS All-Star Game

AFP | Miami

Argentina star Lionel Messi and Inter Miami teammate Luis Suarez will miss Wednesday's Major League Soccer All-Star Game with injuries, the league and team announced Monday.

An updated MLS roster for the match-up against Mexico's Liga MX All-Stars at Columbus, Ohio, listed Messi and Uruguayan striker Suarez among those who would not play.

Inter Miami detailed the injuries, with Messi still sidelined after missing two MLS matches last week with a right ankle injury suffered in Argentina's Copa America final triumph over Colombia.

"Messi will miss the All-Star



Inter Miami's Luis Suarez (L) and Lionel Messi react during a match (file photo)

Game due to an ankle injury while Luis Suarez, who recently returned from international

duty after over 40 days away from the club, will miss the All-Star Game due to knee discom-

fort," Inter Miami said.

It would have been the first MLS All-Star appearance for 37-year-old Messi, who joined Inter Miami last July.

Eight-time Ballon d'Or winner Messi, who helped spark Argentina to the 2022 World Cup title, led Miami to last year's inaugural Leagues Cup crown in a tournament of MLS and Mexican league squads.

But Miami said Messi's status and that of Suarez remain in doubt for Saturday's home match against Mexico's Puebla, Inter's first step in defending the Leagues Cup title.

The availability of Messi and Suarez will be determined by their "daily recovery process" according to the team statement.

Murray announces Olympic farewell

Two-time Olympic champion to retire after Paris Games, ending illustrious career

● Murray to compete in singles and doubles at fifth Olympics

AFP | Paris

Andy Murray confirmed yesterday that he will retire after the Paris Olympics, closing another chapter in tennis's golden age.

The 37-year-old, a two-time Olympic champion, is planning to play in the singles and doubles at his fifth Games.

"Arrived in Paris for my last-ever tennis tournament @ Olympics," the three-time Grand Slam champion and former world number one posted on social media.

"Competing for Great Britain has been by far the most memorable weeks of my career and I'm extremely proud to get to do it one final time."

Murray has been ravaged by injuries in recent years, slumping to 121st in the world.

The Scot has played with a metal hip since 2019 and suffered ankle damage earlier this



Murray became the first player to win two Olympic singles gold medals and famously ended Britain's 77-year Wimbledon title drought, cementing his legacy in tennis history

year before undergoing surgery to remove a spinal cyst, which ruled him out of singles at Wimbledon.

Instead, he played doubles with brother Jamie and was defeated in the first round before an emotional tribute arranged by tournament chiefs.

"It's hard because I would love to keep playing but I can't," admitted Murray at the All England Club.

"Physically it is too tough now, all of the injuries, they have add-

ed up and they haven't been insignificant."

Murray famously ended Britain's 77-year wait for a men's champion at Wimbledon when he triumphed in 2013, defeating career-long rival Novak Djokovic in the final.

He added a second title in 2016, taking his career majors total to three after breaking his duck at the 2012 US Open.

Murray won gold at the 2012 Olympics on an emotional day at the All England Club when he defeated Roger Federer just weeks after he had lost the Wimbledon final to the Swiss on the same Centre Court.

Four years later, he defeated Juan Martin del Potro to become the first player, male or female, to win two Olympic singles golds.

Murray also led Britain to the Davis Cup title in 2015, the country's first in 79 years.

'Big Three'

He has won 46 titles in all and banked around \$65 million in prize money.

International Tennis Federation president Dave Haggerty said Murray had "lived and



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ANDY MURRAY

breathed the values of tennis throughout his long career, championing equality and helping to send the message that our sport is for everyone".

Scotland's First Minister John Swinney hailed Murray as "our greatest-ever sportsman".

"Heartfelt thanks to @andy_murray for an outstanding and inspiring career which has made a profound impact on so many," he posted on X.

Murray's mother, Judy, commented in a post on X: "5th Olympics. Final tournament," followed by a symbol representing an explosion.

The British star's success came in an era dominated by Federer, Djokovic and Rafael

Nadal.

The so-called 'Big Three' have hoovered up 66 Grand Slam titles between them but time is catching up with the icons of the sport.

Federer won 20 majors before he retired in 2022.

Nadal, a 22-time Grand Slam winner, is 38 years old and has played just six tournaments all year as he battles injury.

Djokovic, 37, the holder of 24 majors, has been deposed as Australian Open and Roland Garros champion in 2024.

Jannik Sinner, the 22-year-old Italian, succeeded him as champion in Melbourne and took his world number one ranking.

Carlos Alcaraz, 21, won the French Open and successfully defended his Wimbledon title, sweeping Djokovic off court in a one-sided final earlier this month.

If Djokovic loses his US Open title in September, it will be the first time since 2002 that at least one of the three giants has failed to win a Slam title.

The tennis competition in Paris begins at Roland Garros on July 27 and ends on August 4.



Andy Murray

Leagues and unions take legal action against FIFA over international calendar

AFP | London

Two major bodies representing footballers and football clubs in Europe are filing a complaint to the European Commission accusing FIFA of abusing its position.

Football's world governing body has taken "unilateral decisions" and its conduct "infringes EU competition law and notably constitutes an abuse of dominance", FIFPro Europe and the European Leagues body said in a statement yesterday.

FIFPro is the global players' union while European Leagues brings together more than one thousand clubs from 33 countries around Europe. Its member leagues include the English Premier League, as well as the leagues in Italy, Germany and France.

They say FIFA's conduct with regards to the international match calendar has "harmed the economic interests of national leagues and the welfare of players" and argue FIFA's role as a regulator and competition organiser is a conflict of interest.

FIFA has been accused of a



Manchester City fans invade the pitch to celebrate their team's win (file photo)

failure to consult over recent changes to the calendar, such as the introduction of a 32-team Club World Cup.

The first edition of the expanded Club World Cup is set to take place in the United States in June and July next year and 12 European clubs are due to feature.

Many of the continent's leading players will therefore be obliged to participate at a time when they would otherwise have been afforded a long close-season break, a year ahead

of the expanded 48-team World Cup in North America.

"The international match calendar is now beyond saturation and has become unsustainable for national leagues and a risk for the health of players," FIFPro and European Leagues said.

"FIFA's decisions over the last years have repeatedly favoured its own competitions and commercial interests, neglected its responsibilities as a governing body, and harmed the economic interests of national leagues and the welfare of players."



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"National leagues and player unions, which represent the interests of all clubs and all players at the national level, and regulate labour relations through collectively agreed solutions, cannot accept that global regulations are decided unilaterally."

"Legal action is now the only responsible step for European leagues and player unions to protect football, its ecosystem and its workforce from FIFA's unilateral decisions."

PSG President Nasser Al-Khelaifi joins Olympic torch relay

AFP | Paris

PSG President Nasser Al-Khelaifi participated in the Olympic Torch relay, fulfilling a lifelong dream ahead of the Paris 2024 opening ceremony. Al-Khelaifi, greeted by enthusiastic fans, carried the torch through Vigneux-sur-Seine.

Recognized for his significant impact on French sports, Al-Khelaifi carried the torch 500 meters before passing it to Marie-Rolande Biro, a former judo club head. His participation symbolizes unity and pride for Arabs worldwide.

Al-Khelaifi expressed pride in PSG's 26 athletes competing in the Games across various sports, marking a significant representation. PSG's Parc des Princes will host key football matches, highlighting the



Nasser Al-Khelaifi

club's ongoing Olympic involvement.

Qatar sends 14 athletes to Paris, including high jumper Mutaz Barshim and weightlifter Fares Ibrahim Hassouna, both gold medalists from Tokyo 2020. Al-Khelaifi's involvement underscores Qatar's commitment to the Olympic spirit.

Bordeaux relegated to French third-tier after withdrawing appeal

AFP | Paris

Former French Ligue 1 champions Bordeaux said yesterday they will play in the third-tier next season after withdrawing their appeal against relegation for financial failings.

Bordeaux, who won the last of their six first division titles in 2009, were sanctioned on July 9 by French football's financial watchdog, the DNCG, as they needed to find 40 million euros (\$43.6 million) to balance their books.

They had been in talks with the owners of Liverpool, Fen-

way Sports Group (FSG), before the American investors pulled out of negotiations earlier this month.

"Even if discussions had restarted in recent days, representatives of FSG told Bordeaux and their majority shareholder yesterday, Monday July 22, it no longer wanted to pursue talks despite guarantees brought by the different interested parties," Les Girondins said in a statement.

"Due to the lack of new information, Bordeaux have withdrawn their appeal against the DNCG's decision of July 9, 2024."

Bahrain Paralympic Athletics Team Departs for Kazakhstan Training Camp in Preparation for Paris 2024

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The Bahrain Paralympic Athletics team departs for a training camp in Kazakhstan in preparation for the Paris 2024 Paralympics.

The Bahrain Paralympic Athletics team, participating in the 2024 Paralympic Games

to be held in France from August 28 to September 8, 2024, has left for Kazakhstan to prepare for the major sporting event.

The training camp in Kazakhstan will take place from July 22 to August 19, 2024, and includes athletes Ruba Al-Omari and Hussein Mohammed, as well as Abdullah Jameel, who

is a partner and guide for a visually impaired athlete. The coaching staff includes Hassan Miftah, a specialist in throwing events, Musa Hassan, a running coach, and Abdullah Al-Shamri, also specializing in throwing events.

This training camp in Kazakhstan is aimed at preparing the team ahead of the 2024

Paralympic Games in Paris, focusing on intensive training sessions and friendly competitions during this period.

The Bahrain team hopes to achieve remarkable accomplishments at the upcoming Paralympic Games, building on their successful participations in previous tournaments.