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The Indian Space Research Organisation has successfully carried out today morning the landing of its Reusable Launch Vehicle Pushpak at the Aeronautical Test Range in Challakere in Chitradurga in Karnataka. A message on microblogging site X said the landing signifies the precise landing of the winged launch vehicle RLV in autonomous mode. The ISRO in its social media post further stated that the mission successfully simulated the approach and high-speed landing conditions of an RLV returning from space. With the RLV-LEX-02, ISRO has re-validated its indigenously developed technologies in areas such as navigation, control systems, landing gear, and deceleration systems, which are essential for performing a high-speed autonomous landing of a space-returning vehicle.

Information and Broadcasting Minister Anurag Singh Thakur has congratulated the scientists of ISRO for another outstanding accomplishment with the successful autonomous landing of Pushpak (RLV-TD). In a social media post, Mr Thakur said that India has once again demonstrated its commitment to leading space exploration and pushing frontiers. He said, the constant dedication and inventiveness of our scientists are commendable and helping the country to reach new heights in space exploration.

Governor Lt. General KT Parnaik, PVSM, UYSM, YSM (Retd.) presented the Governor's Citation to 6th Battalion of The Assam Rifles today in the Vivekananda Hall at Raj Bhavan, Itanagar. Citing the Battalion for their alert operational duty and good work in extending valuable help and assistance to the Civil Administration and the local population, the Governor commended Colonel Aman Ahluwalia and all Ranks of the 6th Battalion of Assam Rifles for effectively performing their operational role, strengthening synergy with the District Administration and creating an excellent bonhomie with the local population in their area of deployment.

India has launched Operation Indravati to evacuate its nationals from Haiti to the Dominican Republic. In a social media post, External Affairs Minister Dr S Jaishankar said that 12 Indians have been evacuated yesterday. He said that the Government of India is fully committed to the security and well-being of the Indian

nationals abroad. Dr Jaishankar also thanked the Government of the Dominican Republic for their support.

The National Investigation Agency, NIA chargesheeted three persons engaged in conspiracy, fabrication of explosives and IEDs, and fund-raising for the global terror organisation ISIS. The chargesheet was filed before the NIA Special Court, Patiala House, New Delhi yesterday. The Agency informed that the accused were actively involved in promoting anti-India agenda of the proscribed terror outfit. Investigations revealed that they were also involved in promotion of its extremist and violent ideology.

BJP has released its third list of nine candidates yesterday for the ensuing Lok Sabha polls. Union Minister of State for Information and Broadcasting L Murugan will contest from Nilgiris Lok Sabha seat while former Telangana Governor Tamilisai Soundarrajan will fight from Chennai South seat. State BJP Chief K Annamalai has been fielded from Coimbatore Lok Sabha constituency. Earlier, the party had released name of 267 candidates for the General elections.

As a part of the International Day of Forests Bamboosa library, Tezu and AMYAA NGO, Roing conducted a "Nature Trail" for the students of Tezu yesterday. The event was under the Wipro Earthian Community Engagement Programme, to sensitise the community about the importance of conservation of earth resources. WIPRO Earthian Programme is dedicated to promoting environmental awareness and sustainable practices among the youth and community members, ensuring a harmonious coexistence between man and nature.

The Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Rajiv Gandhi University in collaboration with the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development Itanagar and Society for Conservation of Natural Resources, West Bengal, has successfully organised a two-day international conference on the theme "Climate Change and Biodiversity" from March 20th to 21st, 2024, at the Rajiv Gandhi University. The Mission of the conference were to create a common interface for collaboration and showcase the best R&D activities from different educational and research institutions and industries across the states of India and world, to create an environment conducive for the development of local indigenous technologies and

innovations, creating the scope and laying the foundation for the promotion of Translational Research and entrepreneurship and to achieve the deliverables of the Sustainable Development Goals through R&D interventions to tackle the issues of climate change.

As part of Poshan Pakhwada 2024, DDICDS East Siang, WCD department today organized a District level Nutrition Fair competition participated by Pasighat, Mebo and Ruksin ICDS projects. A variety of recipes were presented using locally available nutritious food items to create mass awareness on the importance of balanced nutrition to combat malnutrition of children, pregnant and lactating mothers and also sensitize the masses on wholesome balanced nutrition in today's world where many health ailments are caused by wrong dietary habits and dependence on processed food. DDICDS & Nodal Officer, Poshan Abhiyan, Machi Gao, on the occasion informed that the weeklong Poshan Pakhwada and Nutrition fair is organized with the aim to promote Poshan bhi Padhai Bhi, promote traditional and local dietary practices, healthy pregnant mother and Infant and young child feeding practice in every household and family. It also stressed the importance of nutria-gardens (Poshanvatikas) for providing fresh and organic nutritional fruits and vegetables year round adding that a model poshan garden is being set up in Napit.

World Water Day is being celebrated today. The day is observed every year on 22nd of March, to honor the importance of freshwater. World Water Day brings people, organizations, and governments together to confront urgent water challenges and strive toward guaranteeing that everyone has access to clean water and sanitation through awareness-raising events, educational programs, and community-driven campaigns. The theme for this year is 'Water for prosperity and peace'. It emphasises the critical role water plays in fostering cooperation and stability around the world. PHE & WS Division Tezu Observed World Water Day by Organising a Tour to water treatment plant cum Sharmdaan at Catchment Area at Duraliang and Demwe Village. VWSC members, Beneficiaries and ISAs took part in the celebration.

That's all in this news bulletin, Namaskar