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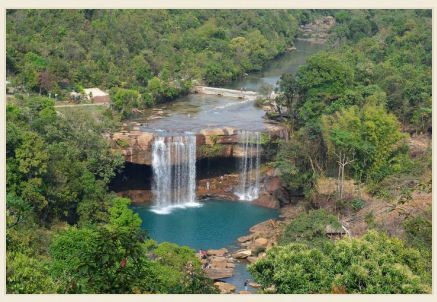
Sensex gains 107 points, Nifty back at 25,000, driven by falling oil prices and bank buying



The benchmark Sensex recorded a gain of 107 points, giving the Indian stock market a modest lift. At the same time the Nifty 50 crossed the important 25,000 level again, which had slipped earlier. Analysts say two main factors behind the rally are the decline in international oil prices and increased buying of bank stocks by investors. Lower oil prices have reduced costs for many companies, while improving fundamentals of banks have renewed investor interest in the sector. Market participants said both reasons have restored confidence after volatility, and the index direction will depend on further commodity prices and sectoral flows. Overall, the gain reflects positive sentiment among traders, while they watch monetary policy and global risk factors closely.

TECHNOLOGY

Meghalaya Technician Wins Global Hackathon Championship in the US



A team from Meghalaya, led by a local technician, emerged victorious at a global hackathon held in the US. While participants from around the world took part in the competition, the Meghalaya team secured the top spot and won the championship title. This achievement has highlighted the emerging technical talent from Northeast India and showcased the innovative solutions developed by the team. The win has shed light on the region's potential in the global technology sector.

POLITICS

Meghalaya Seeks Compensation for Landowners on Bangladesh Border



The Meghalaya state government has formally requested the central government to provide compensation to landowners situated along the Bangladesh border. Reports of land acquisition and displacement of local residents have emerged due to several infrastructure and security projects in the border area.

State officials said that many families have suffered losses in agricultural land and livelihoods but have not received adequate compensation. They emphasized the need for a transparent compensation framework that reflects current market values and resolves long-standing grievances.

The central government has not yet issued a public response to the request. Experts believe that resolving such border-area compensation issues could strengthen center-state relations and accelerate development projects that enhance security and connectivity in the Northeast.

The Chief Minister’s Office in Meghalaya stated that the state will continue dialogue with the relevant central ministries to expedite the process, noting that timely compensation is essential for the welfare of the affected communities.

EDUCATION

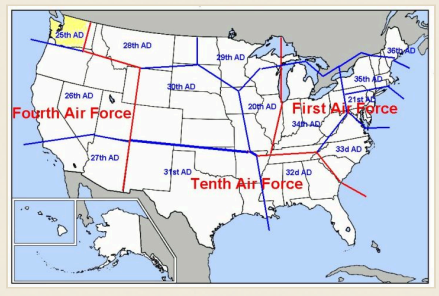
Meghalaya Teachers Begin Indefinite Strike Over Staff Shortages



Teachers in Meghalaya have launched an indefinite strike over the shortage of educators in state schools. The teachers' union stated that the lack of sufficient staff adversely affects the quality of education received by students. They are demanding immediate action from the state government to resolve this critical issue. The ongoing strike is expected to disrupt educational activities across Meghalaya until their demands are met.

LOCAL

Shillong Teer Results for November 10, 2026 – Winning Numbers Now on News18



News18 has published the daily results for the popular Teer lottery in Meghalaya for November 10, 2026. The official winning numbers were displayed on the site immediately after the draw, allowing players to easily verify their tickets.

The Teer draw is held every evening by the Meghalaya State Lottery Department, with results typically available online within minutes. This transparency helps maintain the trust of the large number of participants in Shillong and surrounding districts.

Local retailers and online bettors are advised to check the published numbers before making any claims. News18’s listing also includes a brief guide on how to read Teer numbers, which is useful for new players.

The authority stated that the Teer lottery is conducted under state regulations and that the Meghalaya State Lottery Department should be contacted for any disputes. No additional information has been released beyond the results.

Readers can follow News18’s dedicated lottery section for Teer results and related guidelines.

AGRICULTURE

Mengipathar Railway Station Provides Meghalaya Farmers with Easier Access to Guwahati Markets



Mengipathar Railway Station, the first railhead in Meghalaya’s Garo Hills region, was inaugurated this month and connected to the national rail network. The line links Mengipathar to Guwahati, a commercial hub in Assam, via broad-gauge tracks that traverse hilly terrain.

Local farmers, who previously relied on roads and often faced weather-related delays, can now transport their produce directly to Guwahati’s wholesale markets. Rail transport has reduced travel time from several days to a few hours and lowered freight costs.

State officials say improved logistics will enhance farmers’ bargaining power and lead to better crop prices, as fresh vegetables, fruits, and horticultural products will reach the market in better condition. The rail line is also expected to encourage the development of supporting industries, such as cold storage and packaging, in the region.

Beyond agriculture, this new connection is part of broader efforts to integrate Meghalaya’s economy with the rest of the country, boosting both tourism and trade. Initial reports indicate steady demand for passenger services, highlighting the station’s role in regional development.

RELIGION

Garo Hills Riders Group Supports the 50th Wangla Festival in Meghalaya



Meghalaya's prestigious Wangla Festival, a harvest celebration of the Garo community, is set to celebrate its 50th anniversary this year. Local motorcycle clubs named Garo Hills Riders have expressed their support for the event, pledging logistical assistance and promotional activities.

involvement would aid in crowd management, transport of cultural groups, and outreach to young audiences across the state. This collaboration reflects growing community group support for strengthening traditional events.

The 50th Wangla is expected to draw thousands of spectators to the Garo hills, featuring traditional dance, drums and trumpets, and a grand feast. State officials welcomed the riders' contribution, stating that such grassroots help reinforces Meghalaya's cultural foundation.

The celebrations will begin in early November, with the main rituals held at the historic Wangla ground near Tura. Security and health measures are being coordinated to keep the festival safe and vibrant.

The Garo Hills Riders' support reflects a broader sense of community, as local youth groups increasingly engage in heritage festivals, ensuring the continuity of Garo traditions for future generations.

SARKARI YOJANA

Meghalaya CM inaugurates projects worth Rs 26.72 crore in Chokpot, announces 92 SGH projects worth Rs 941.48 crore



Meghalaya Chief Minister Conrad Sangma inaugurated development works worth a total of Rs 26.72 crore in Chokpot. Local officials and community representatives attended the ceremony.

During the inauguration, Sangma highlighted the state government's broad development agenda, noting that the Meghalaya government is currently managing 92 projects with a total value of Rs 941.48 crore. He said that the projects in Chokpot are crucial for strengthening connectivity, healthcare services, and livelihood opportunities.

This initiative aligns with the state's goal of addressing the lack of basic infrastructure in remote areas and promoting economic activities. Officials stated that these projects will be completed within the next 12–18 months, with regular monitoring to ensure timely implementation.

The state has committed to ensuring transparency and community participation so that the maximum benefits of public investment reach the local population.

Short-Serve Teachers in Meghalaya Declare Indefinite Strike from November 11



Short-serve teachers in Meghalaya have decided to go on an indefinite strike starting November 11. They are demanding the government resolve issues regarding arrears in salaries and dearness allowance (DA).

These teachers, who are working in short-serve positions, stated that the state government has failed to make pending payments, prompting their decision to shut down classes.

The Meghalaya Education Department has not yet issued an official statement on the matter, and the strike is likely to affect several schools across the state.

AGRICULTURE

Meghalaya CM Conrad Sangma Inaugurates ₹9.26 Crore Farmer's Market in Chokpot



Meghalaya Chief Minister Conrad Sangma officially inaugurated a state-funded farmer's market in Chokpot today. Built at a cost of approximately ₹9.26 crore, the facility is designed to provide local producers with a direct platform to sell their produce to consumers and traders.

The market complex includes covered stalls, cold storage units, and basic processing facilities, which will help reduce post-harvest losses and enable small farmers to fetch better prices. Officials stated that regular training sessions on modern farming techniques and market access will also be conducted at the venue.

The inauguration is part of the Meghalaya government's broader efforts to strengthen the agricultural value chain and create rural employment. By consolidating scattered trading points into an integrated, well-equipped center, the state aims to improve the income of farming communities and increase agricultural production.

Communities Trial New Methods to Protect Ancient Caves



Community members have begun experimenting with new conservation methods to protect ancient cave sites. The initiative aims to strengthen cave structures, monitor environmental impacts, and involve local stakeholders in preservation efforts. By combining traditional knowledge with modern technology, the projects aim to ensure the long-term stability of these heritage sites.

The experiments include activities ranging from the installation of protective barriers to regular assessments of the cave ecosystem. Community volunteers play a crucial role in implementing and maintaining these measures, which fosters a sense of ownership and responsibility.

Experts believe that such a grassroots approach could serve as a model for similar conservation challenges across India, where many historic caves face threats from tourism, pollution, and natural decay.

JOBS & CAREER

Meghalaya Announces Eight Radiology Technician Posts for 2026 – Apply Online



The Department of Health Services (DHS) has announced eight vacancies for the post of Radiology Technician in Meghalaya for 2026.

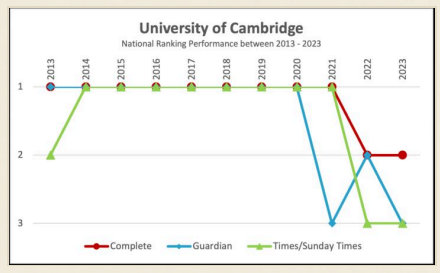
Interested candidates must apply online through the official DHS recruitment portal. The application process involves filling out the required form, uploading documents, and paying the application fee as specified on the website.

Details regarding eligibility criteria, necessary qualifications, and the selection process are available on the DHS website. Candidates are advised to carefully review these conditions before submitting their applications.

This recruitment drive is part of the DHS's efforts to strengthen cancer treatment services in the state. Selected candidates will be appointed to various government hospitals and cancer treatment centers across Meghalaya.

Applications will be accepted until the deadline mentioned on the application portal. Eligible candidates are encouraged to apply early to secure their positions.

Meghalaya MLA Meets Cambridge Experts to Discuss Economic Development



An economic development drive prompted a Meghalaya legislator to meet with experts from Cambridge University. The session, held in the state capital, focused on investment opportunities and improving the business environment.

The experts emphasized the importance of leveraging local resources and fostering entrepreneurship. The meeting underscored the need for policy reforms to attract domestic and foreign investors. Representatives from the state legislature expressed commitment to implementing the recommendations discussed.

Officials noted that this collaboration aims to chart a roadmap for sustainable development, emphasizing technology adoption and skill development. The outcomes of the discussions are expected to guide Meghalaya's future economic planning.

SPORTS

Lando Norris secures win for McLaren at Sao Paulo Grand Prix



McLaren driver Lando Norris secured victory at the Formula 1 Sao Paulo Grand Prix, competing for the team in Brazil.

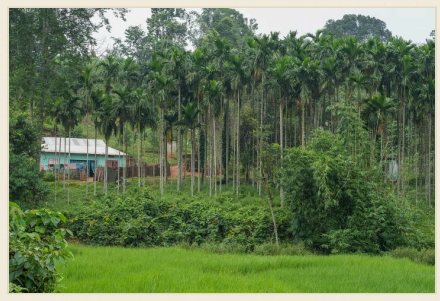
The race was held at the Autódromo José Carlos Pace in Sao Paulo.

Norris's win is a significant achievement for McLaren in the current season.

This victory earns the team valuable points in the championship race.

CRIME

Three Men Sentenced to 20 Years in Jail for POCSO Offences in Ri-Bhoi, Meghalaya



The District Court in Ri-Bhoi sentenced three accused men to 20 years in prison in two separate cases under the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act.

The court found the accused guilty of sexual offences against children as defined under the POCSO Act, 2012.

The verdict reflects the judiciary's strict stance on child protection and underscores the importance of child safety in the state.

No information regarding appeals was provided during the hearing, and the court noted that the sentence would serve as a deterrent for similar offences.

enforce legal provisions against child protection and sexual exploitation in Meghalaya.

POLITICS

Meghalaya MLAs in UK to study governance systems



A group of Meghalaya MLAs is on a trip to the UK to study governance systems. The MLAs aim to observe and learn from the UK's political and administrative systems, hoping to gain insights that will improve governance in their state. Specific areas of focus during the trip have not yet been disclosed publicly.

CRIME

Meghalaya HC Highlights Staff Shortages and Equipment Deficiencies in Forensic Lab, Demands Prompt Action



The Meghalaya High Court has highlighted serious deficiencies in the state's forensic lab, including a shortage of qualified staff and a lack of necessary equipment.

The court expressed concern that these deficiencies could affect the lab's capacity to process evidence, potentially causing delays in criminal investigations and the administration of justice.

The order directed the state government and the forensic department to take prompt steps to fill staff vacancies and upgrade the lab's equipment.

The court also stated that it would monitor the implementation of these measures and could issue further directions if the issues are not resolved promptly.

WEATHER

Meghalaya records warmest year since 1901; monsoon rainfall 43% below normal



The India Meteorological Department (IMD) released data indicating that Meghalaya recorded its warmest year since 1901 in 2025. The average temperature for the year was the highest in the state's recorded history. Monsoon rainfall was 43% below the long-term average, leading to dry conditions in the region. The reduced rainfall could impact agriculture and water resources, causing growing concern among farmers and local officials.

Baiernihat, Meghalaya, Records AQI of 80 After Joint Pollution Control Measures



The Air Quality Index (AQI) in Baiernihat, Meghalaya, was recorded at 80 on Tuesday, according to the State Pollution Control Board. This figure indicates a clear improvement from levels that remained above 100 during the previous monsoon season.

The board attributed this decline to joint pollution control measures implemented by local authorities, which included strict enforcement of vehicle emission standards, a temporary ban on open burning, and public awareness campaigns on the health risks of poor air quality.

Officials stated that this collaborative effort involved the district administration, the local fire department, and community volunteers. The board will monitor the AQI daily for the next month to assess the long-term impact of the measures.

Residents welcomed the improvement, citing clearer skies and a reduction in respiratory diseases. The board will continue working with state agencies to permanently reduce pollution levels in Meghalaya.

POLITICS

Meghalaya Speaker honoured at UK Parliament, meets Lord Nagaraju



The Speaker of Meghalaya was honoured at a ceremony at the UK Parliament in London.

exchange program, during which UK officials gave the Speaker a formal welcome and a certificate of appreciation.

Following the honour ceremony, the Speaker met with Lord Nagaraju, former Governor of Meghalaya, to strengthen ties between the state and the United Kingdom.

The trip highlighted efforts to deepen diplomatic and cultural relations between Meghalaya and the UK.

AGRICULTURE

Meghalaya villages move towards restoration and new livelihoods after coal mining



Several villages in Meghalaya are taking steps to recover from the environmental and economic impacts of coal mining. Recognizing the need for sustainable practices, these communities are actively participating in land restoration projects. They aim to reclaim damaged land and promote biodiversity. Alongside restoration efforts, rural residents are exploring alternative livelihoods to reduce dependence on coal mining. This includes initiatives in agriculture, tourism, and handicrafts.

Orchid Cultivation Opens New Livelihood Avenues in Meghalaya



A growing number of farmers in Meghalaya are adopting orchid cultivation as a profitable alternative to traditional crops. The state's humid climate and abundant rainfall make it suitable for growing orchid species, which fetch high prices in both domestic and international markets. The local agriculture department and non-governmental organizations are providing training programs and seedling support. This shift is expected to diversify rural income, reduce migration, and boost the local economy.

POLITICS

Meghalaya Officials Participate in Leadership Training in the UK



A delegation from the state of Meghalaya is on a visit to the UK, where it is participating in a specialized leadership training program. Designed by UK experts, the program aims to provide Meghalayan officials with advanced skills and knowledge in governance and public administration. The training is expected to contribute to improving the efficiency of government operations and enhancing service delivery in Meghalaya.

Meghalaya CM Launches Tourism Asset Upgradation Plan, Allocates Rs 20 Crore for Highway Facilities



The Chief Minister of Meghalaya has announced a Tourism Asset Upgradation Plan aimed at enhancing the appeal of the state's hospitality sector. Under the scheme, financial assistance will be provided to owners of hotels, homestays, and other tourism-related properties to facilitate the installation of modern amenities.

Additionally, the government has released Rs 20 crore for the improvement of highway facilities, which will be used for the construction of rest stops, signboards, and sanitation facilities. This step has been taken to improve the traveler experience and promote local job creation.

Officials stated that the plan will be implemented in phases, with priority given to areas with the highest tourist footfall. Regular audits and feedback from stakeholders will be conducted to monitor progress.

Emphasizing the importance of tourism to Meghalaya's economy, the Chief Minister pledged continued support for the development of the sector.

RELIGION

Wangla Golden Jubilee Kick-Off in Meghalaya with 1,000 Drums



Meghalaya marked the beginning of the Golden Jubilee of the traditional harvest festival Wangla, celebrated by the Garo tribe, with a grand performance featuring 1,000 drums. The event, held at the state's cultural center, highlighted the sonic tradition of Wangla.

journey, and this milestone was celebrated with the convergence of 1,000 drums, symbolizing the tribe's unity and gratitude for a bountiful harvest.

State officials and tribal leaders participated in the inauguration ceremony, emphasizing the cultural significance of the festival. The jubilee program, which will last several days, features traditional dances, folk music, and cultural fairs, expected to boost tourism in the region.

Local traders have expressed hope for a growing number of visitors, while cultural scholars believe that such a grand celebration could help gain national recognition for other tribal festivals as well.

INTERNATIONAL

Indonesia's Vice President Resigns Amid Eligibility Questions



Indonesia's Vice President has resigned after questions were raised regarding their eligibility for the position. This resignation follows ongoing investigations and debates concerning their qualifications. No public explanation has yet been provided regarding the eligibility concerns. The Indonesian government is expected to address the situation and announce the process for selecting a new Vice President.