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Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Tanzanian President Samia Suluhu Hassan held wide-ranging talks in New Delhi yesterday. The two leaders reviewed various facets of bilateral ties and discussed ways to further deepen the close and historic ties between the two countries. Both sides also held delegation level talks. Addressing the joint media briefing with President of Tanzania following the talks, Prime Minister Modi said, it is a historic day for India-Tanzania ties as the age old friendship has been elevated to a Strategic Partnership. Modi said India and Tanzania are working on an agreement to increase trade in local currencies. The Prime Minister said India and Tanzania have agreed on a five year roadmap to significantly expand defence cooperation. Through this, new dimensions will be added in areas like military training, maritime cooperation, capacity building, and defense industry. He stated that the two countries are unanimous that terrorism is the most serious security threat to humanity. India and Tanzania also inked six MoUs providing for cooperation in the digital domain, culture, sports, maritime industries and white shipping information sharing.

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Following the Election Commission's announcement of the schedule for the conduct of Bye-election to 43-Tapi Assembly Constituency on November 7, the Model Code of Conduct has come into force with immediate effect in the district of Mon. Chief Electoral Officer (Officiating) Nagaland Ruokuovituo Khezhie said model code of conduct will be applicable to all candidates, political parties and the state government and to the Union Government.

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World Mental Health Day is being observed today. It is a day dedicated to raising awareness about mental health issues and promoting mental well-being globally. According to WHO, one in every eight individuals worldwide suffer from mental health disorders, which can have an adverse effect on their physical health, wellbeing, social interactions, and livelihoods. This year the theme for the campaign is, "Mental health is a universal human right." World Mental day aims to highlight the importance of mental health and to mobilise efforts in support of mental health education, awareness, and advocacy. The day serves as a platform to spread awareness about mental health issues, reduce stigma, and encourage open discussions about mental well-being. It also aims to educate individuals and communities about mental health, its

potential impact on people's lives, and the available resources for seeking help and support.

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The National Integration Tour for students of Nagaland who tour Ahmedabad, in Gujarat, was flagged-in by Inspector General of Assam Rifles (North), Major General Vikas Lakhera, Sena Medal, yesterday at Ghaspani. The tour was organised by the Assam Rifles wherein a total of 18 students- nine girls and nine boys from Modern College, Piphema along with two professors participated . The ten-day tour was flagged-off from Ghaspani on 28th of September, aimed to provide the students of Nagaland a comprehensive exposure to various inspirational, educational and industrial institutions in the state of Gujarat, and to bring about all round growth. The tour included visits to monuments of national importance like Statue of Unity, National War Memorial, Sabarmati Ashram, ISRO Space Centre, Science City and the coveted Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad among many other places. During flagging-in ceremony, Lakhera highlighted the commitment of Assam Rifles towards the bright future of people of North East, especially Nagaland. He also enunciated that the experience and exposure obtained by the students during the tour will certainly help in bringing a positive change in personal lives of students and also the future of their home state of Nagaland.

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American Professor Claudia Goldin has won the 2023 Nobel Prize in Economic Sciences for her comprehensive research on women's contribution to the labor market. Making the announcement yesterday, the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences said that the Nobel Memorial Prize in Economic Sciences 2023, officially known as The Sveriges Riksbank Prize in Economic Sciences, has been awarded to economist Claudia Goldin for advancing the understanding of women's labour market outcomes.

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