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Quick Read

Fast bowler Amir tested negative in first COVID-19 test

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: Pakistan's first bowler Muhammad Amir has been tested negative in the first COVID-19 test.

"It was the first test and the second will be carried out tomorrow, Wednesday, and after getting its result we will be making arrangements for his travel plan to join Pakistan. Cricket squad in England", said a spokesman of the PCB while taking to APP here on Tuesday.

Amir opted out not to tour England due to birth of his daughter and Pakistan teams head coach, Misbah ul Haq persuaded him to change his decision in the larger interest of country's cricket.

As part of the process, Amir requires two negative tests to be eligible to travel to the United Kingdom. After two successive negative tests Amir will be moved to a bio-secure environment here. Amir is expected to leave for England over the weekend. As soon as Amir will join the squad, reserve wicketkeeper-batsman Rohail Nazir will be released from his duties.

Court sends Ashraf Jalali to jail on judicial remand

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: A local court on Tuesday sent Ashraf Asif Jalali to jail on 14-day judicial remand in a hate speech case. Judicial Magistrate Wajeha Khawaj Chaudhry conducted case proceedings, wherein the police produced the accused.

The investigation officer said the accused, nominated in an FIR, was arrested on July 20 by the police. He asked the court to send the accused to jail as police had to question about his video speech. The defence counsel took the plea of mala fide intention by the police in registering the case. The court, after arguments by both sides, sent the accused to jail on 14-day judicial remand.

Police record sought on nurses' bail plea

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: An additional district and sessions court on Monday sought record from Racecourse police station on a bail matter of nurses allegedly involved in a brawl for taking over mess of nurses hostel. The court of Additional District and Sessions Judge Ilyas Rehan Khan has sought record of the case against nurses, including Shamshad, Niaz and others. A large number of nurses were present in the courtroom.

The judge while seeing such number of nurses remarked, "if you are here then who is taking care of patients in the hospital." The judge further remarked that he would not like to see such a crowd of nurses on next hearing. The court adjourned the hearing until 5th August. As per incident details, a group of nurses of Services Hospital had been running the mess at the nursing hostel for the last many months.

Punjab govt playing role in development of Balochistan: CM

-Delegation led by Balochistan Home Minister calls on Buzdar

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: A delegation led by Balochistan Minister for Home and Tribal Affairs Mir Ziaullah Longove called on Chief Minister Punjab Sardar Usman Buzdar at his office and discussed matters of mutual interests.

Talking on this occasion, the CM thanked for the warm hospitality extended to him during the recent Balochistan visit and added that he cannot forget this love.

He continued that the Punjab government is playing its role in the development of Balochistan province and a hundred-bed hospital and community centre will be built in Turbat and Taftan areas, respectively.

I have given one billion rupee cheque to Chief Minister Jam Kamal Khan for this purpose and it is a message of goodwill by the Punjab government for the people of Balochistan, he said.

Different facilities are also provided to Musakhel including transport for girl students and the Bank of Punjab branch. Similarly, rescue service will be provided to shift patients of Balochistan province from border areas to DG Khan and DG Khan Institute of Cardiology will provide medical facilities to patients from Balochistan province, he added.

The people of Balochistan are very respectable for us. I have always noticed the warmth of love while visiting Balochistan



and Punjab is also reciprocating the emotions of love and affection, he said.

Ziaullah Longove stated that CM Usman Buzdar has won the hearts of the people of Balochistan and his services are praiseworthy for promoting interprovincial harmony. Exchange of delegations has promoted passions of love and affection between the provinces, he added.

Prays for good health of Saudi King Buzdar telephonically contacted ambassador of Saudi Arabia and enquired about the health of Saudi King Salman Bin Abdulaziz. He expressed good wishes for the Saudi King and prayed that may Allah Almighty grant good health to Shah Salman Bin Abdulaziz.

Condoles loss of lives in accidents Buzdar has expressed a deep sense of sorrow over the loss of precious human lives due to

caving in of roof in Tandlianwala area of Faisalabad and sought a report from the commissioner. He also expressed a deep sense of sorrow over the loss of human lives in different accidents occurred in Faisalabad, Kasur and Multan and extended sympathies to the bereaved heirs. He has directed to provide best treatment facilities to the injured and asked the administration to supervise the rescue operations.

Cabinet expresses complete trust over Buzdar leadership The Punjab cabinet which held its meeting here on Tuesday unanimously approved the resolution presented by Law Minister Raja Basharat to express complete confidence over the leadership of Chief Minister Punjab Sardar Usman Buzdar.

The resolution stated that this cabinet session expresses full confidence over the lead-

ership of Chief Minister Usman Buzdar adding that the journey of development will be continued under the dynamic leadership of chief minister and no hurdle will be allowed in this journey nor anyone would be permitted to interrupt it. It further stated that CM Usman Buzdar has moved forward the vision of composite development. The services of Usman Buzdar with regard to development of backward and deprived areas, including that of southern Punjab, are praiseworthy in every respect.

The meeting also strongly condemned the elements engaged in baseless and vicious propaganda against CM Usman Buzdar and it also expressed concern over it.

The resolution demanded that action be initiated under rules at the relevant forum against those distorting facts because some elements are running the baseless campaign against him with some specific agenda. The whole cabinet including Senior Minister Abdul Aleem Khan and provincial ministers Raja Basharat, Mian Mehmood ur Rasheed, Fayyaz-ul-Hassan Chohan, Akhtar Malik and Amar Yasir expressed their complete confidence over CM Usman Buzdar.

Talking on the occasion, Law Minister Raja Basharat stated that there is no corruption allegation against CM Usman Buzdar or any cabinet member and added that it is a credit of the Punjab government that no scandal has surfaced during the two years.



LAHORE: Merchants display sacrificial animals for selling purpose at a Cattle Market in Sagiah area.

Court summons Mir Shakil on August 5

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: An Accountability Court (AC) on Tuesday summoned Jang /Geo Group Editor-in-Chief Mir Shakil-ur-Rahman (MSR) on August 5, accused in illegal plots allotment case.

The court also issued notices to former Prime Minister Muhammad Nawaz Sharif, former Lahore Development

Authority (LDA) Director General Humayun Faiz and former LDA Director Land Development Mian Bashir Ahmed in the case.

Accountability Court Judge Asad Ali conducted the proceedings on reference filed against Mir Shakil and others. To a court query about non-appearance of accused, the NAB Prosecutor Haris Qureshi told that only Mir Shakil was under custody, whereas Muhammad Nawaz Sharif had gone abroad. He further submitted that former LDA Director General Humayun Faiz and former LDA Director Land Mian Bashir Ahmad were not arrested yet. At this, the court questioned that why Mir Shakil was not produced. To which, the NAB Prosecutor replied that he was not produced due to COVID-19 protocol.

Subsequently, the court adjourned further proceedings on reference till August 5 and summoned all accused. It is pertinent to mention here that National Accountability Bureau (NAB) had filed a reference against Mir Shakil and others.

Besides Mir Shakil, former prime minister Muhammad Nawaz Sharif, former Lahore Development Authority (LDA) director general Humayun Faiz, former Director Land Development Mian Bashir Ahmed had been named as the accused in Rs 143.5 million reference.

Govt providing best medical facilities to coronavirus patients, says Yasmin

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: Punjab Health Minister Dr Yasmin Rashid on Monday said the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) government had taken all possible steps to provide best possible medical facilities to the coronavirus patients.

She was addressing the current session of Punjab Assembly which started one hour and 33 minutes behind its scheduled time with Panel of Chairman Mian Shafi Muhammad in the chair.

She said the government had given a special discount in Actemra injection to facilitate the patients, adding that all govern-

ment hospitals were providing best medical treatment to the patients. Dr Yasmin Rashid said that number of testing laboratories in Punjab had been increased, adding, the government had to contribute Rs 5,000 for each test.

-Says govt giving a special discount in Actemra injection to facilitate patients

The minister said that the Expo Center Field Hospital had incurred expenses of only Rs 70 million including electricity bill, adding that medical equipment used in Expo Centre Field Hospital could be installed in other government hospitals once the coronavirus pandemic would be

controlled. She asserted that when the PTI came into power, 28,000 vacancies were vacant in the Health department which were filled by the incumbent government, adding that the government had also provided 6,000 jobs.

Earlier, addressing the session, Punjab Minister for Education Dr Murad Raas said the Punjab government had decided to introduce a new act for bringing private educational institutions under the law. He said the Punjab government was making legislation regarding fee, uniform, books, and

other issues in private educational institutions, adding that under the new act, private educational institutes could not charge additional fee. The provincial minister said the Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz had been in power for ten years but they did nothing for educational institutes.

Murad Raas said that the private schools would give 20 per cent discount in fee till eradication of the coronavirus pandemic. About 36 schools had been fined in this regard, he maintained.

Later, on completion of agenda, the Panel of Chairman adjourned the session till Tuesday at 2:00 pm.

Realme C11 launched with MediaTek G35

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LAHORE: realme Pakistan revealed its second C series phone in 2020. The realme C11 is an entry-level smartphone. Launching the other day and will be on Hot Sale Price Rs 16,499 on Daraz from 9pm-12pm.

The realme C11 is one of the first smartphones, housed with new MediaTek Helio G35 chipset. The realme C11 is powered by the MediaTek G35 SoC, a chip designed for gaming on budget smartphone.

The realme C11 is priced at Rs 16,999 with flash sale price for today at 16,499 is introduced in a single 2GB RAM and 32GB storage configuration. However, the device has a dedicated microSD card slot for storage expansion up to 256GB.

It is available in two colour options - Mint Green and Pepper Grey. Which will be available for sale by July 23, 2020

Starting with the display of the device, the realme C11 flaunts a 6.52-inch HD+ mini-drop display with a tall 20:9 aspect ratio and a 1,600 x 720 pixel resolution. The display of the device is protected by a Corning Gorilla Glass 3. The device measures 164.4x75.9x9.1mm and weighs in at 196 grams.

On its rear is perhaps the most attractive feature of the phone. It has a tidy-looking back panel, one that highlights what realme calls as a Geometric Art Design. The panel also sports a texture that should help users in terms of grip. For the photography enthusiasts out there, the Realme C11 comes with a dual rear camera setup, which includes a 13MP primary camera with f/2.2 aperture and a 2MP depth sensor with f/2.4. At the front, the realme C11 sports a 5MP selfie shooter with f/2.4 aperture. The back panel of the de-

vice also sports a dual-camera setup, housed in a modern square-like module. Note that the phone is the first one from the brand to wear a new camera layout. The system comprises AI-powered 13MP wide and 2MP depth sensors. Also, there is an LED flash, HDR, and panorama. The realme logo can be seen as well.

Other key camera features include portrait mode, chroma boost, "slo-mo" video, and the capability to shoot 1080p videos. Meanwhile, the handset's selfie snapper features a 5MP wide sensor. On the software side of things, the realme C11 reports the latest Android 10 OS with the company's in-house realme UI skin baked on top of it. Coming to the battery of the device, the realme C11 boasts a massive 5,000mAh battery, which has scope for 10W charging over a micro

UHS issues MBBS annual exams schedule

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: The University of Health Sciences (UHS), on Tuesday, notified the schedule of MBBS annual examinations 2020. According to the notification issued, first professional MBBS annual examinations will commence on January 01, 2021, second professional MBBS annual examinations on January 12, 2021, third professional MBBS annual examinations on December 11, 2020, fourth professional MBBS annual examinations, January 26, 2021 while final professional MBBS annual examinations will start from February 2, 2021.

UHS Controller of Examinations, Dr. Saqib Mahmood, issued the notification after the approval of the Board of Studies in Medicine. The notification will be applicable to UHS affiliated medical colleges.

