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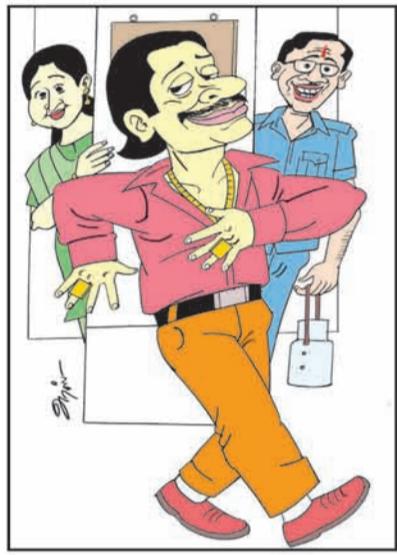
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அருகிலுள்ள டீக்கடைக்கு தினமும் போவான். அங்கு ஒரு உள்நூர் அரசியல் பிரமுகர் பஜ்ஜி சாப்பிட வருவார். பஜ்ஜியில் எண்ணெய் வளம் அதிகமாக இருக்கும். பூபதி அந்த பஜ்ஜியை ஒரு தினத்தந்தி பேப்பரில் வைத்து நசுக்கி அவரிடம் கொடுப்பான். உபரி எண்ணெய் வெளியே வந்துவிடும். கன்னித் தீவு கதை பஜ்ஜியில் ஒட்டிக் கொண்டுவிடும்.

கையில் இருக்கும் உபரி எண்ணெயைத் தலைக்குத் தடவிக் கொண்டுவிடுவான். கொல்லுண்டராலிலிருந்து தன்னைக் காப்பாற்றும் பூபதி மீது அந்த அரசியல் பிரமுகருக்கு கொள்ளைப் பிரியம். எனவே ஒரு அரசாங்க வேலை வாங்கிக் கொடுத்துவிட்டார்.

வேலைக்கான உத்தரவு கிடைத்ததும் ஒரு புது சட்டையுடன் தன் அப்பாவின் முன்னால் வந்து நின்றான் பூபதி.

'என்னடா புதுத் துணி?' என்றார் அவனுடைய அப்பா. 'புது வேலைக்குப் போகப் போறேன் இல்லே?'



'பணம் ஏது?'

'கந்து வட்டிக்கு வாங்கி நேன்.'

'அடப்பாவி, எப்படித் திருப்பிக் கட்டுவே?'

'நான் கட்டறது இருக்கட்டும், நீ வேட்டையைத் திருப்பிக் கட்டு. அழுக்கா இருக்கு.'

'திருப்பிக் கட்டினது தான்டா இது.'

'அப்பா, ஒரு பெரிய பண்ணையாற்று எல்லார்கிட்டேயும் சொல்லியிருக்கேன். ஊர்லே நூறு ஏக்கர் நிலம் இருக்கிறதாவும் சொல்லியிருக்கேன்.'

'நூறு ரூபாக்கட்க கையிலே இல்லே. நூறு ஏக்கர் நிலமா?'

'ஆமா, நாம் பரம்பரைப் பணக்காரங்க. என்னுடைய தாத்தா, அதாவது உன்னோட அப்பா பெருமாள் கோவிலுக்கு ஐம்பது ஏக்கர் நிலத்தை தானமா கொடுத்தாருன்னு சொல்லணும்.'

'டேய், அந்தப் பெருமாள் கோவிலே தினமும் புளியோ தரைக்கு வரிசைலே நிக்கிறவண்டா நான்.'

அடுத்த நாள். ஒரு அதிர்சம் சைலுக்கு ஒரு வாட்ச் வாங்கிக் கட்டிக் கொண்டான். ஒரு பூரான் அகலத்துக்குக் கழுத்தில் செயின் போட்டுக் கொண்டான்.

ஒரு செகண்ட் ஹேண்ட் கார் விற்கும் ஷோரூமுக்குப் போனான். 'ஒரு கார் வேணும்' என்றான்.

'இந்தக் காரைப் பாருங்க. இஞ்ஜின் நல்ல கண்டிஷன்ல இருக்கு.'

'இஞ்ஜின் கண்டிஷனைப் பத்திக் கவலை இல்லே. கார் பார்க்கறதுக்குப் பளபளன்னு இருக்கணும்.'

பெங்களூர் தக்காளி மாதிர் இருந்த ஒரு காரைத் தேர்ந்தெடுத்தான்.

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'அப்படி எல்லாம் ஒட்ட முடியாது.'

'விடுங்க, என் தலைவர்கிட்டே சொன்னா ஸ்டிக்கர் ஒட்டிக் கொடுத்துடுவாரு.'

தான் வேலையில் சேரப் போகும் அலுவலகத்துக்குப் போனான். ஆபீஸரைப் பார்த்தான்.

'நான் இன்னும் ரெண்டு வாரத்துலே வேலைலே சேரப் போறேன்.'

'சேருங்க.'

'ஆபீஸ் வாசலிலே ஒரு பேனர் வைக்கப் போறேன்.'

'எதுக்கு?'

'பேனர் வைச்சு, நான் வேலைக்கு சேர்ந்த முதல் நாள் எல் லோருக்கும் பார்ட்டி தரப் போறேன்.'

'ஓ, அன்னைக்கே ரிட்டாயரும் ஆகப் போறீங்களா?'

ஆபீஸர் அறையை விட்டு வெளியே வரும்போது பியூனைப் பார்த்தான்.

'நான் இங்கே வேலைக்கு சேரப் போறேன். நான் பரம்பரைப் பணக்காரன்.'

'ஓ, அப்படியா?' பல்லைக் காட்டி சிரித்தான் பியூன்.

'எங்க அப்பா பயங்கர ஜபர்தஸ்து. ஒரு தடவை போட்ட சட்டையை இன்னொரு தடவை போட மாட்டாரு' என்றான் பூபதி.

'எங்க அப்பா ஒரு தடவைகூட சட்டையே போட்டதில்லே' என்று அப்பாவியாக பதில் சொன்னான் பியூன்.

ஒரு பெண் ஊழியரிடம் போனான்.

'ஈஞ்சம்பாக்கத்துல என் தங்கை ஒரு இஞ்சினீயரிங் காலேஜ் கட்டிக்கிட்டிருக்கா. நீங்க கல்வித் தந்தையைப் பார்த்திருப்பீங்க. இப்போ முதல் தடவையா ஒரு கல்வித் தங்கையைப் பார்க்கப் போறீங்க.'

வேலைக்குப் போகும் நாள். அலுவலக வாசலில் ஒரு பேனரை வைத்துவிட்டான். ஆறு தலைமுறை நாட்டாமைகள் என டில்லி அப்பளம் சைனில் ஆறு லீபோட்டோக்கள் அதில் இருந்தன. ஆறாவது அப்பளமாக அவன் இருந்தான்.

மாலையில் வீட்டுக்குப் போனதும் அவனுடைய அப்பா கேட்டார்.

'எதுக்குடா எல்லார்கிட்டேயும் பரம்பரைப் பணக்காரன்னு பீலா விட்டுக்கிட்டிருக்கே?'

'அப்பா, நான் சேரப் போற அரசாங்க வேலையிலே ஏகப் பட்ட கிம்பளம் வரும். நானும் ரெண்டு கையாலே வாங்குவேன். பஞ்சப் பரதேசியா இருக்கிற நான் திடீர்னு பணக்காரன் ஆனாலஞ்சம் வாங்கினது தெரிஞ்சும். இப்பவே பரம்பரைப் பணக்காரன்னு சொல்லிட்டா வாங்கற லஞ்சம் அப்பட்மா தெரியாது. எப்படி என் ப்ளான்?' என்றான் பூபதி.

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Car lying on Neelakanta Mehta Street



An unused car (TN 02 D 0987) has been lying abandoned on Neelakanta Mehta Street, T. Nagar for several days.

Dr. V. S. Natarajan's book on geriatric health released

The book '60 Plus Q & A' written by geriatrician Dr. V. S. Natarajan (resident of Q 18, Q Block 17th Street, Anna Nagar) was released at a function in Indian Officers' Association (Royapettah) last week.

The 95-page book is priced at Rs.200.

Dr. Natarajan told *Mambalam Times* that the book provides details about common ailments and their treatment in a simple question-and-answer format. It explains ailments like high blood pressure, heart problems, incontinence, joint pains, psychological problems, and brain and nervous system disorders. Other topics covered include nutrition, mental health and exercises.

He said the book will be useful for elders and physicians.

Dr. Natarajan is a Padma Shri awardee and has written more than 40 books on geriatric medicine and care. He is Director of Athi Parasakthi Memory Clinic (Kilpauk) and a member of National Council for Older Persons (NCOP) set up by Government of India. His contact numbers are 2626 7282 and 2641 2030.

Std. 12 State Board exams begin

By Our Staff Reporter

The exams for State Board Stds. 11 and 12 students began on March 13 and 14 respectively, and will conclude on April 3 and 5 respectively.

A total of 8,51,303 students from Tamil Nadu and Puducherry are appearing for the Std. 12 exams. The board exam for Std. 10 students will begin on April 6 and conclude on April 20.

A senior teacher of Vidyodaya School (T. Nagar) told *Mambalam Times* that the present Std. 12 students did not appear for Std. 10 boards due to Covid lockdown and wrote Std. 11 exams with a truncated syllabus. But, a series of revision tests conducted last month have helped them prepare for the exams, she said.

142 dogs sterilized in Kannamapet ABC

By Our Staff Reporter

Chennai Corporation has intensified sterilizing stray dogs since March 1.

Till date, 773 dogs have been caught, of which 651 have been sterilized, including 142 in Kannamapet Animal Birth Control Center (T. Nagar).

The highest of 96 dogs were caught from Ambattur zone, followed by 71 in Anna Nagar, 58 in Adyar and 46 in T. Nagar/West Mambalam.

A resident of Postal Colony (West Mambalam) told this reporter that the number of stray dogs in his area has more than doubled in the last two months and he has complained to Chennai Corporation to relocate at least some of them, but no action has been taken so far.

Anna Nagar Tower to be reopened to public

By Our Staff Reporter

After a gap of 12 years, the 135-foot-tall Visvesvaraya Tower in Anna Nagar Tower Park will be reopened to the public later this month.

Visitors can have a bird's eye view of the city from atop the tower.

Entry to the tower was stopped in 2011 after a couple jumped to their death from its top.

The work on strengthening the safety of the tower at a cost of Rs. 30 lakhs was started a year back.

For safety of the visitors and to prevent suicide attempts, the viewing gallery at the top has been fenced.

To add to the aesthetics, the stairs and the floor in the viewing area have been carpeted and murals have been painted on the retaining walls and pillars.

The Tower Park, which covers an area of 15.35 acres, has ample greenery and facilities like amphitheatre, a bird-watching deck, badminton courts, play area for children, a skating rink and a lake.

It gets around 3,000 visitors daily and double that number on weekends.

'Thiruvvasagam Mutruvodhal' today

Nirmala Ravi and party will present 'Thiruvvasagam Mutruvodhal' from 8.30 a.m to 1.30 p.m on Sunday, March 19 in Siva-Vishnu Temple, Usman Road, T. Nagar.

All are welcome.
More details can be had in 99417 55111.

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Virgo Events Management and SIMS Hospital presented awards 2023' in a function in 'WOW woman excellence Hotel Ramada Plaza on March

11 as part of International Women's Day celebrations.

The awards were presented by Padmapriya Ravi (MD-PERS) to Padma Janaki (CEO and Co-founder, Mind and Mom), T. Gayatri (Co-founder, V-Empower) and Ineya (Actress and Founder of Anora). 'RampWalk', and dancing and singing contests were conducted.

Actress Poornima Bhagyaraj was the chief guest and actress Gayatri Ravi presented the prizes to the winners of the various contests.

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Chakrapani Street damaged by Metrowater workers



By Our Staff Reporter

Metrowater workers dug a trench across Chakrapani Street to repair an underground pipe a week back.

After completion of the work, the trench was not closed properly.

As the road width has been reduced, vehicle drivers are forced to drive through the narrow gap in the damaged stretch.

Nearby residents have appealed to Chennai Corporation to close the trench properly and blacktop it.

Bus tyres get stuck in improperly filled trench



By Our Staff Reporter

The front wheels of an MTC (11 H route, TN 01 N 5348) got stuck in an improperly filled trench at the junction of Jubilee Road and Thambiah Road, West Mambalam at around 5p.m on March 13. The passengers were shifted to other buses. No one suffered injuries.

The bus was removed with help of a JCP machine.

Kothandaramar Temple tank to be restored before Theppam festival

Chennai Corporation will restore the Kothandaramar Temple tank (West Mambalam) and make it ready by April for the Theppam(float) festival in the first week of May.

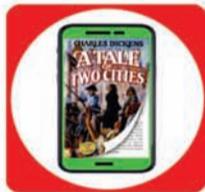
Health minister Ma Subramanian, who inspected the tank on March 13, said the temple authorities had asked for construction of a few steps.

"The Corporation is renovating the temple at a cost of Rs. 1.08 crores. The work will be completed by April," he said.

As part of the restoration, the Corporation is securing the compound, creating walkways and installing LED lights and CCTV cameras for security.

The 15-foot-deep tank is now full.

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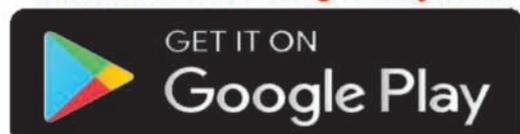
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Concrete blocks removed following report



By Our Staff Reporter

Following the report 'Damaged concrete blocks dumped on G. N. Chetty Road' published in *Mambalam Times* (March 12 - 18 issue), the heap of large concrete blocks from a construction site dumped on the carriageway of G.N. Chetty Road (opposite Gurudwara Sahib Shri Guru Nanak Sat Sangh Sabha, T. Nagar) was removed.

Tree trunks lying on street



By Our Staff Reporter

The trunks of trees uprooted on Jagadeeswaran Street, T. Nagar have been lying on the street margin for several days.

Waste segregation

By Our Staff Reporter

A conservancy worker was seen segregating waste collected from households and commercial establishments in Postal Colony (West Mambalam) on March 15.



Udavum Karangal appeals for donation to help paraplegic persons

By S. Vidyaaakar

In March 2022, Udavum Karnagal embarked on an initiative to help ostracized paraplegic persons by starting the 'paraSpara' program. Paraplegic is a person affected by total paralysis of the legs and lower body.

The aim of the program is to provide them basic needs, nutritious food, help them lead a painless life and teach them skills to earn a livelihood. Life of paraplegics who are left to fend

for themselves is highly challenging due to their immobility. Life for them comes to a standstill and they exist in the process of slow death. A dedicated team, formed under me to help them, is headed by Mohan (Health Manager) with two social workers, paramedical staff, two helpers and a driver.

The team has so far helped around 400 such persons in Chennai, Tiruvallur, Chengalpet, Thiruvannamalai, Villupuram, Kallakuruchi,

Vellore and Kanchipuram by providing monthly provisions, air bed, medical cot and free medicines.

In the next phase, the team has identified 350 paraplegics in the above places and Salem, Erode and Coimbatore.

The cost of providing full relief materials to one paraplegic person is around Rs. 20,000.

I appeal to the readers of *Anna Nagar Times* to support Udavum Karangal in this humane initiative through

donations.

One can also opt to volunteer to assist these paraplegic persons during their spare time under the guidance of the Udavum Karangal team. A few hours of volunteering can transform their lives and bring happiness.

Contribution may either be by cheque drawn in favour of Udavum Karangal to be sent to Old No.34, New No.41, Ganesh Flats, Kannadasan Road, T. Nagar, Chennai-600 017.

Online payments can be done through our website www.udavumkarangal.org.

Donors or anyone who would like to volunteer to help paraplegic persons may contact me in 9940188011 / 9841035511 or send email to udavumkarangal@gmail.com.

Vidyaaakar is the Founder of Udavum Karangal. It has provided care and rehabilitation to thousands of destitute including infants, abandoned at birth.

Watermelon sold on pavements



By Our Staff Reporter

With summer setting in, the demand for thirst-quenching watermelon is picking up. Vendors are selling the fruit on the pavements of Govindan Road and Arya Gowda Road (West Mambalam). S. Delhibabu (resident of Jaffer Khanpet) has been selling watermelon on Arya Gowda Road since mid-February.

He said that the watermelon season, which usually starts in the third week of March, has come a month earlier. The fruit is priced at Rs. 15 per kg. He is available from 7 a.m to 10 p.m on all days.

Commuters face hardship at bus stop

By Our Staff Reporter

Due to delay in construction of a storm water drain on Arya Gowda Road (West Mambalam), residents are facing hardship.

The photo shows an old lady waiting at a bus stop on the road with access to the road cut off by the 6-foot-deep and 3-foot-wide drain.

A metal plank placed across the drain serves as a platform for passengers waiting at the bus stop to cross and board buses.

It is unsafe, especially for elderly persons.

As mandated, there are no barricades kept on either side of the open drain for the safety of pedestrians.



Motorists at risk on Balakrishnan Street

By Our Staff Reporter

There are wide openings between the barricades kept in front of the 5-foot-deep storm water drain under construction in Balakrishnan Street (West Mambalam).

As the width of the 60-foot-wide road has been reduced by half, motorists and pedestrians are put at risk.

The photo shows a 2-wheeler rider forced to drive close to the open drain as the road width is almost used up by a van coming from the opposite side.

The photo also shows an old lady and a youth forced to walk

on the road as the pavement on the opposite side has been encroached upon by roadside vendors.

Though Chennai Corporation has mandated that enough barricades should be placed in front of a drain for safety of road users, it is being violated by the contractors.



Free coaching for competitive exams

By Our Staff Reporter

The Government has announced free coaching for those appearing for competitive examinations for UPSC and TNPSC.

Those interested can apply online in the website www.civilservicecoaching.com till March 31.

The classes will be conducted in Government Arts College for Men (Nandanam) for 300 candidates and in Sir Thiagaraya College (Old Washermenpet) for 500 candidates.

The classes will commence on April 10 and continue for six months.

Local cricket club's opener scores double ton

By Our Staff Reporter

Opener B. Sachin (member of UF Cricket Club (UFCC), T. Nagar) scored a double century to lead his team to an 82-run win against MCC in the VAP Trophy Tournament in TI-Murugappa Cricket Ground on March 15.

UFCC, batting first, scored 349-6 in 50 overs and its bowlers restricted MCC to 267-7.

A. Mohammed Tibivan took 3 wickets for UFCC.

More escalators for metro stations

By Our Staff Reporter

With daily patronage crossing 2.6 lakhs, Chennai Metro will install new/additional escalators in 22 stations including Nandanam and AG-DMS stations for the benefit of passengers.

Post installation, on an average, each metro station will have six functioning escalators.

According to an official, an escalator each will be installed in Little Mount, Teynampet, Thousand Lights, Government Estate, High Court, Mannadi, Washermanpet, Tondiarpet, Nehru Park, Anna Nagar East and St. Thomas Mount Metro stations and two escalators each in Nanganallur Road, Guindy, Nandanam, AG-DMS, Theagaraya College, Egmore and Ekkattuthangal metro stations.

Subsequently, three escalators will be installed in Anna Nagar Tower metro station, four each in Vada-palani and Meenabakkam metro stations and five escalators in Thirumangalam metro station.

Is anything interesting happening in your street or locality? Please inform **Mambalam Times!**

Award for actor Baskar



By Our Staff Reporter

Actor and dubbing artiste M. S. Baskar was recently presented Lifetime Achievement Award for his 'exemplary contribution to the film industry' by the Viscom and Animation Department of Dr. MGR University, Maduravoyal, during its annual Cultural Fest Ammara 5.0.

Activist wins 2nd prize in contest

By Our Staff Reporter
Activist K. Gopinath, who suffers from a disability, won the second prize in 'Katturai Potti' conducted by AAVIN Women's Welfare Association during an International Women's Day function in T. Nagar on March 7.

Dairy Development Minister S. M. Nazar presented the prize to Gopinath who is the State General Secretary of Tamilnadu Udavikkaram Association for the Welfare of Differently - abled (TNUAWDA).

For more details call 97908 20194/9444891338.



Minister Nazar presenting the prize to Gopinath. Others in the picture are Vanitha (Aavin DGM, Finance) and Sivagama Sundari (President, AAVIN Women's Welfare Association).

'Nalayira Divya Prabandam' taught on weekends

By Our Staff Reporter
S.V. Balaji Swami is teaching 'Nalayira Divya Prabandam' at 5.30 p.m on Saturdays and Sundays in Sudharsan, 121, Habibullah Road, T. Nagar.

All are welcome. More details can be had in 9444043765.

Free diabetes camp conducted

By Our Staff Reporter
Many persons attended the free diabetes camp organized by Anjaneyar Baktha Sabha (53rd Street, Ashok Nagar) on March 12 in its premises.

It also conducts free yoga classes in the temple premises from 5 a.m to 7 a.m on all days. More details can be had in 9940497147.

Samashti Upanayanam on March 27

By Our Staff Reporter
Thamizhnadu Brahmin Association, West Mambalam, is organising Samashti Upanayanam in Sringeri Saratha Mutt, Venkatanarayana Road, T. Nagar on March 27.

Interested parents of Brahmin boys less than 15 years old may contact 99628 84355/95662 60643.

Post-upanayanam, the boys will be trained in Vedas through online classes.

Bike parked on pavement

By Our Staff Reporter

A 2-wheeler (TN10-BL2317) is seen parked on the pavement under the 'Pavement only for walking' cautionary sign board on Pinjala Subramanian Street (West Mambalam).

It is blocking the way for pedestrians.

The photo was taken at around 2 p.m on March 15.



Velammal School felicitates Agricultural Scientist

By Our Staff Reporter

Velammal Main School (Mogappair) felicitated N. Parasuraman (Agricultural Scientist, M. S. Swaminathan Research Foundation, Chennai) on March 8.

He spoke on the career prospects in the field of agriculture, technical advancements in the field and the scope for further scientific research.

It was followed by an interactive session by him with Std. 11 and 12 students.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Ashok Nagar Park in bad condition



Sir, The Ashok Nagar Corporation Park (opposite Ashok Pillar) is in very bad condition due to poor maintenance.

The Tower Clock and radio have not been working for years. The artificial waterfalls remain dry. Flower plants are withering as they are not being watered. The walkers' path is in poor condition.

The toilets are in bad condition due to lack of maintenance. The washbasins and water pipes need to be replaced.

The wash equipment needs replacement. There is no drinking water facility.

Many senior citizens like me visit the park in the evening. I request the Corporation to renovate the park and maintain it properly. **G. Rajashekaran, Mahalakshmi Flats, 53/20, Kavara Street, West Mambalam**

Jeeva Park entrance muddy



Sir, The northern entrance of Jeeva Park (facing Arulambal Street) in T. Nagar becomes muddy and waterlogged even when there are light showers. Some digging work was done two months back, presumably to clear storm water drains, and the work has remained suspended. It is causing inconvenience to park visitors. The work should be resumed and completed soon. **K. S. Ragavan, 14, Sarangapani Street, T. Nagar. Ph. 87545 35770**

Need for ward sabha members

Sir, The Chennai Corporation Commissioner had announced that every ward will have sabha members consisting of voters of the constituency but no announcement has been made yet for sabha members for Ward 134 in West Mambalam. Such sabhas will address the genuine grievances of the residents. **A. S. Thirumalai, 5, Vinayagam Street, West Mambalam**

2-wheelers parked in front of bus stop in Pondy Bazaar

Sir, Passengers waiting at the bus stop in Pondy Bazaar (Thyagaraya Road, T. Nagar) are put to hardship as the space in front of the bus stop is misused for parking 2-wheelers.

With no free space in front of the bus stop, MTC drivers are forced to halt in the middle of the road, thereby putting the lives of both boarding and alighting passengers at risk, especially during peak hours.

Chennai Corporation permits parking on the road margins on both sides of the road and not in front of public spaces like bus stops.

This is gross misuse of the facility and traffic police are not taking any action against the offenders.

I appeal to the officers of Chennai Corporation and the traffic police to prevent parking of vehicles in front of the bus stop in Pondy Bazaar. **N. Muthukrishnan, Nana Street, off Pondy Bazaar, T. Nagar.**

TTD's new temple on G.N. Chetty Road consecrated



By Our Staff Reporter

Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanam's new temple dedicated to Goddess Padmavathi Ammavaru (the divine consort of Lord Venkateswara) in 83,85/41, Lakshmi Colony, G. N. Chetty Road, T. Nagar, was consecrated with MahaKumbhabhishekam on March 17.

Special poojas and yagams were conducted daily from March 13 as a prelude to the Kumbhabhishekam.

The erection of the 'Dwajasthambham' (flagpost) was done on Feb. 23. It had been built at a cost of Rs. 8 crores of which Rs. 1.1 crores was for the Rajagopuram. The cost of Rajagopuram was sponsored by AJ Sekhar Reddy (Special invitee to the TTD Trust Board).

The 14,880 sq.ft plot for the construction of the temple was donated to TTD by noted South Indian actress P. Kanchana. According to Sekhar Reddy, a series of religious rituals starting with the Ankurarpnam was held before performing the Mahakumbhabhishekam.

Tree branches near library axed following report



Before By Our Staff Reporter Now

Following the report 'Tree branches near library lying low' published in *Mambalam Times* (March 12 - 18, issue), the low lying branches of the trees near the branch library on 3rd Avenue, Ashok Nagar, were axed.

Fallen street name board placed against wall

By Our Staff Reporter

The name board of Moorthy Street (T. Nagar) fell across the pavement a month back.

It was set upright and placed against the compound wall of a house on the street.

The residents have appealed to Chennai Corporation to re-install the name board.



Police go to wrong house for inquiry, attacked

By Our Staff Reporter

A woman police inspector and a constable were allegedly beaten up when they went to a wrong address for inquiry in K.K. Nagar at night on March 12.

There was no power at the time in the locality.

Police said the crime investigation wing of Virugambakkam station is investigating the burglary of gold jewellery and other valuables worth Rs. 1.5 crores from the house of the owner of a colour lab in Saligramam.

While making enquiries, the suspicion fell on an employee of the lab.

Crime Inspector Sumathi, accompanied by Constable Tamil Ilakkiya, went in search of the house of the employee located in K.K. Nagar.

As there was no power at that time, the two policewomen entered a neighbour's house by mistake and started making enquiries.

It led to a verbal duel following which the residents attacked them, but were overpowered by the two policewomen.

Later, K.K. Nagar police reached the spot and took the attackers into custody.

They were later let off with a warning.

Humour Club meets today

By Our Staff Reporter

Humour Club (The Stenographers' Guild, T. Nagar, Behind Siva-Vishnu Temple) will conduct its monthly meeting at 4 p.m on Sunday, March 19.

Saraswathi Srinivasan, teacher, writer and orator will be the guest speaker.

Entry is free.

All are welcome.

Three held for running brothel, 7 women rescued

By Our Staff Reporter

The Anti-Vice Squad (AVS) of Chennai Police arrested three persons for operating a brothel under the guise of massage centres on March 11.

The police team rescued seven women and shifted them to a government registered home.

A senior police official said the Pondy Bazaar police received a tip-off about a massage centre being used for prostitution.

A special team raided the place and arrested B. Sajjin of Kanyakumari district and P. Anupkumar of Kerala.

Similarly, Kodambakkam police team searched a massage centre in Varadarajpet Main Road and found that the premises was being used as a brothel. The police team arrested M. Sandeep of Mylapore.

All the three arrested persons were produced before a judicial magistrate and sent to prison.

Strength training for women in Natesan Park

By Our Staff Reporter

A group of women has been practising strength training (Calisthenics) in Natesan Park (T. Nagar) since March 1.

It includes hand-stand, swinging from bars and doing push-ups.

They have become popular among the daily walkers, who look with amazement at the skill of these women performing swings, flips or handstands.

Calisthenics, or street workout, is a form of strength training in which practitioners use their bodyweight to do strength building exercises and bars to do static holds and dynamic or freestyle movements such as swings and flips.

The women include housewives, working professionals and school students.

38-year-old Hanny Mardia (Fitness Trainer and member of the group) said that she learnt calisthenics to upgrade her skills and build strength.

She said it improves mobility and helps them to keep fit.

Ananya (member and Std. 11 student of PSBB School) said she has been learning Parkour (a freestyle form of running, vaulting, jumping, climbing, rolling and other movements) for many years, and recently started calisthenics.

Anyone interested in calisthenics, can join the group.

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Chief Secretary inspects road re-laying work

Chief Secretary V. Irai Anbu on March 13 inspected road work in various parts of the city, checking whether the milling of roads was properly carried out ahead of the re-laying. He also checked whether the roads were re-laid as per the prescribed standards and directed engineers to ensure that traffic flow was not disrupted at the work sites.

He visited Teynampet Zone and inspected the work along Valluvar Kottam Main Road, which was implemented at an estimated cost of Rs. 1.09 crore.

He also inspected Ramakrishna Mutt Road, which was being re-laid at an estimated cost of Rs. 1.21 crore. He checked the camber of the roads at the project sites to ensure that rainwater drains immediately from the road surface. Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department (MAWS) Secretary Shiv Das Meena, Corporation Commissioner Gagandeep Singh Bedi and other officials accompanied the Chief Secretary during the inspection. The Corporation will be relaying 1,157 roads in various parts of the city under several schemes shortly. In addition to this, another list of 1,408 roads has been readied for re-laying at an estimated cost of Rs. 151 crores.

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Lec-dem on 'Marvels of manodharma' today

By Our Staff Reporter

Under the auspices of Sri Thyaga Brahma Gana Sabha, Sriram Parasuram will give a lecture-demonstration on 'Marvels of manodharma' at 10 a.m on Sunday, March 19 in Vani Mahal, G. N. Chetty Road, T. Nagar. All are welcome.

Velammal student excels in karate tourney

By Our Staff Reporter

Balakumaran S (Std. 7 student in Velammal Main School, Mogappair Campus) won the second prize in Kumite, Brown Belt in the U-14 category in the WMSKF All-India Open



Karate Championship 2023 tournament conducted recently in Manohar Parrikar Indoor Stadium, Goa.

The event, in which 1500 karatekas participated, was organised by World Modern Shotokan Karate Association

Fence around vacant plot slanting



By Our Staff Reporter

The fence around a vacant plot on Hanumanth Street, T. Nagar opposite Corporation Playground has been slanting for several days.

Flyovers to get facelift under Singara Chennai project

By Our Staff Reporter

Chennai Corporation will soon beautify underpasses of some flyovers including Usman Road and G.N. Chetty Road flyovers at a cost of Rs. 1.6 crore.

According to a statement, under the Singara Chennai 2.0 initiative, the underpasses of Kodambakkam flyover in ward 127 will also be restored at a cost of Rs. 34 lakhs.

In Wards 110 and 113 of Teynampet Zone, the Usman Road-Mahalingapuram Road flyover will be given a facelift at an estimated cost of Rs. 25 lakhs and in Ward 117 of the same zone, G.N. Chetty Road flyover is being given a facelift at a cost of Rs. 40 lakhs.

The work includes beautifying the walls with murals.

Pay water tax by March 31

Metrowater has stated that consumers should pay the drinking water and sewerage tax by March 31.

Payment of tax can be done in all area offices or regional offices and collection centers operating in the head-office on all working days, including Saturdays and the last Sunday of the month, from 8.30 a.m to 1.30 p.m.

The consumers should pay the tax within the deadline to avoid surcharge, disconnection and confiscation.

They can also pay their dues online using a credit or debit card, UPI, Net banking or QR on the website- https://bnc.chennai.metrowater.in/#/public/customer.

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APJ Academy offers several programs

By Our Staff Reporter

APJ Academy is located in Ashok Nagar and West Mambalam whose founder and director is Devaki Balaji.

Devaki Balaji is an eminent speaker, entrepreneur, handwriting evangelist and is active in many social causes networks.

APJ Academy, about a decade old, caters to basic academic needs of Classes 9 to 12 (CBSE/ ICSE) (maths, science, physics, chemistry and accounts), and Classes 6 to 8 (All subjects)

It has online programs like Speed Mathematics (Age 10+), Handwriting (Age 7+), Coding (Age 7+), Robotics (Age 8+), Vocal and Carnatic music (Age 8+), English and Tongue tip (Age 8+) and much more which draw students from all over the world.

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Shivprasadh's play on Lord Muruga staged

By Our Staff Reporter

The Puranic Tamil play 'Thirumurugaatrupadaie', which touches on five subjects showing how Lord Muruga blessed Tamil scholars of yore like Nakkeerar, Avvaiyar, Pagazhikoothar, Poyyamozhi Pullavar and Kumaragurubarar in person, was presented on March 11 by Madurai Thamizh Isai Sangham during its 46th Thamizh Isai Vizha.

The play, produced by S. Shivprasadh under his banner 'Nataka Kavalar Chemal R.S.Manohar's NXGs', was written by Dr. K. P. Arivanadham in which S. Sruuthi (Granddaughter of stage thespian R. S. Manohar) acted as Lord Muruga while co-directing the play along with her father Shivprasadh (Nephew of R. S. Manohar) who enacted the role of Poyyamozhi Pullavar.

Traffic diversions on Venkatanarayana Road

By Our Staff Reporter

To facilitate Chennai Metro work near Panagal Park, the Traffic Police have placed restrictions and vehicle diversions on Venkatanarayan Road (T. Nagar).

Vehicles from Burkit Road signal proceeding to Anna Salai along Venkatanarayana Road are diverted along Hindi Prachara Sabha, South Boag Road, Ma. Po. Si. Junction and Anna Salai.

Vehicles coming on Burkit Road from Madley Road side and going to Anna Salai through Venkatanarayana Road are diverted along Mooparappan Street, Link Road and Anna Salai. Motorists can take Venkatanarayana Road from Nandanam junction to Panagal Park as usual.

The photo shows barricades splitting Venkatnarayana Road into 3 parts before Hindi Prachar Sabha Road junction forcing motorists to turn right into the road.



Drain under construction in Postal Colony

By Our Staff Reporter

A 3-foot-wide and 5-foot-deep storm water drain is under construction in Postal Colony 1st Street (West Mambalam).

The contractor in charge of the work told *Mambalam Times* that the work will be completed within 2 weeks.



Appeal to remove tree stump

By Our Staff Reporter

The stump of an axed tree with its roots, is blocking the carriageway of Krupasankari Street, West Mambalam outside Saradambal Apartments.

A resident of the apartment complex told this reporter that the leaning tree was cut more than a year back as it was likely to fall and its roots had started to damage the compound wall of the building.

He has appealed to Chennai Corporation to remove the stump.



Title conferred on Radhakrishna Bhagavathar

By Our Staff Reporter

The title of 'Sri Kanchi Mahaswami Nama Sudha Vani' was conferred on V.V.Radhakrishna Bhagavathar jointly by Sri Thyaga Brahma Gana Sabha (Vani Mahal, T. Nagar) and Sri Kanchi Mahaswami Vidya Mandir (Rajakilpakkam) on March 4 during the 15th Namasankeerthanam Vaibhavam in Sri Chandrasekarendra Saraswathi Mahaswami Auditorium.

He was felicitated by Deccan N.Krishnamoorthy (President, Sabha), V.Raja Rao (Mridangist), D. Chandrasekhar (Vice-president), T. K. Raghunathan and R. Srinivasan (Honorary Secretaries) and R. Seshadri (Honorary Treasurer).

Radhakrishna Bhagavathar has been performing Namasankeerthanam for over 50 years. He also performed 108 Divyanamam and Dolotsavam in 1991.

He released the first audio cassette on 'Sampradhaya bhajans' in 1989.

He has been presenting Dhanur Madha Veedhi bhajans in Kesava Perumal and Srinivasa Perumal Temples for more than 50 years.



'Craft bazaar' till March 26

By Our Staff Reporter

National Art and Crafts has organised 'Craft bazaar', an exhibition-cum-sale of handicrafts and handloom textiles from all over India in Bharathiram Kalyana Mandapam, 195, Lake View Road, West Mambalam (near post-office). Ph: 99626 19531, 8851697119.

The exhibits include handicrafts and bedsheets from Rajasthan, blue pottery from Uttar Pradesh, terracotta items, brass articles, artificial

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It is open from 10 a.m to 9 p.m. It will conclude on March 26.

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