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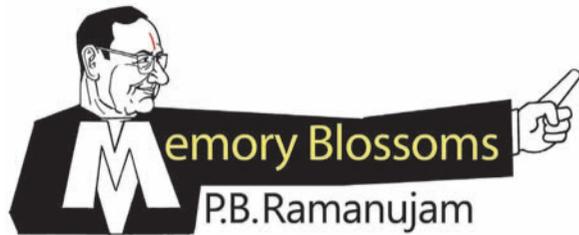
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### Acting like a good daughter

This incident happened nearly six years back.

A girl aged around 25-26 came to me bringing a notice she had received from an advocate. I read the contents and found that the notice had been issued by a woman advocate on behalf of the girl's husband. It said that their marriage had been celebrated six months earlier, and because of serious differences of opinion, the couple had been staying away from each other in the last two months. Advancing a few more allegations against the girl, the husband was asking for divorce from her.

From the language of the notice, I surmised that the advocate herself must be quite young and new to the profession.

Under the Hindu Marriage Act, a spouse cannot seek a divorce within one year from the date of marriage and can only request for a separation during that time. So, I drafted and sent an interim reply stating that my client did not admit any of the allegations in the notice and that a detailed reply would follow within a fortnight.

Along with that reply, I enclosed a small chit saying 'Private and Confidential' stating as follows:

"Madam, You seem to be a young advocate. Normally you must try your best to save the marriage and not break it. If convenient to you, come to my office where we can discuss the matter".

Next day, I got a phone call from her saying that she would come to my office with her client.

I gave her an appointment for the next Saturday and the boy also came with her.

I asked him about his grievances. He said that his wife was disobedient to his mother and that he had no other grievances against her.

I asked him, "Your wife had left all her relatives - mother, father, brother - at the age of 24, and has joined you with lots of hopes and aspirations to lead a happy life with you, and not with your mother. Of course, it would take some time for her to adjust with your mother. Probably you are the only son to your mother?"

He said, "Yes".

I said, "Naturally your mother feels a sense of insecurity. She is afraid that, in the long run, you will desert her".

I then gave him some advice. "Take your wife out every Saturday evening. Go to a movie, dine outside and return home. On other days, she will be a good housewife, don't worry about it. Housewife means 'All work, no pay'".

By this time the girl also joined us. I asked the girl, "Are you good at acting?"

She replied, "Yes, sir. I have acted in both school and college dramas. I am a good actor".

"Excellent", I told her, "Then act like a good daughter to your mother-in-law. Everyday say 'Good Morning' to her. Help her in the kitchen. Tell her to teach you how to cook. Just act like this for a month and see her reaction. If you are in her position, you will also probably have behaved in the same way".

She said she would do as I suggested.

The couple followed my advice strictly. He took her out every Saturday evening and spent good time together with her, She participated with enthusiasm in the domestic chores and helped her mother-in-law in the kitchen. She started liking her mother-in-law and the mother-in-law too started liking her. Their life has been going on smoothly ever since.

I regularly get greetings from them on Diwali, Pongal and new year.

As for the young advocate, she also told me that, in future, she would also try to save the marriage first before initiating divorce proceedings.

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### அண்ணன் என்னடா தம்பி என்னடா?

I had appeared for Jumer Mal, a professional money-lender in a case against Poet Kannadasan. The poet had defaulted on a loan of Rs. 10,000 he had taken from Jumer Mal on a Promissory Note. The suit was decreed in favour of my client. Since no payment was forthcoming even then, I had followed it up with an execution petition for arrest.

His lawyer rang me up on the day the EP was coming up in the court and said that Kannadasan wanted to meet me.

The poet came and told me, "It is a fact that I had taken a loan but I have run into financial difficulties. If you give me a month's time I will definitely repay it".

I told him, "I am a great fan of yours and will be the last person to cause you any embarrassment, but I am only doing my duty as a lawyer. If you need a month's time, it can be easily managed".

I telephoned my client and informed him of Kannadasan's request. He said, "Kannadasan is a good man. Let him take as much time as he needs".

Just within 3 days, Kannadasan came and gave me Rs. 10,000 and said, "Here is the money. Please give it to your client".

He added, "Because of you I got an opportunity to write a song for a movie. After meeting you I went to my elder brother AL. Srinivasan and asked him for a loan of Rs. 10,000 but he refused. Yesterday the director of the movie 'பழனி' asked me for a song for his movie, narrating a situation in which a rich brother refuses the request for money by his poor younger brother, and I wrote the following lines, and I received this 10,000 rupees for it.

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## Auto driver killed in accident

A 58-year-old autorickshaw driver was killed after being knocked down by a speeding SUV in Vadapalani at night on March 14. The car driver, identified as Nishanth (29), was arrested by Pondy Bazaar Traffic Investigation Wing on March 17.

Police said that the victim, identified as Bhaskar, was a resident of VOC Street (Saligramam). When he was returning home in his auto on the Vadapalani - Nerkundram Road, a speeding SUV driven by Nishanth, approached from the opposite direction and dashed into his autorickshaw and fled the scene without stopping.

In the accident, the auto was completely damaged with Bhaskar killed on the spot. Pondy Bazaar Traffic Investigation police sent the body to Kilpauk Government Hospital for a postmortem. Police identified the driver of the SUV from the footage of a CCTV camera installed near the site of the accident.

Enquiries revealed that Nishanth was driving the vehicle at a high speed under the influence of alcohol. He was remanded in judicial custody.



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அங்கு கார் பார்க்கிங் வசதி இல்லாததால் டாக்ஸியில் போவதாக முடிவு. அந்த டாக்ஸி பயணம் குறித்துதான் இந்தப் பதிவு.

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வெள்ளை நிறத்தில் கிறிஸ்துவ மணப்பெண்ணின் கவுன்போல அழகாக இருந்தது. டாக்ஸியின் மண்டையில் ஒரு கொண்டை. போக்கிரி படத்து வடிவேலு போல. அந்தக் கொண்டைதான் கண்டவன் மேல் எல்லாம் டாக்ஸி மோதி விடாமல் பார்த்துக் கொள்கிறது.

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நாம் புக் செய்த Appல் Login செய்தால் மாயக் கதவு திறக்கிறது. உள்ளே ஏறினால் ஸ்கிரீனில் நம் பெயரைப் போட்டு வரவேற்பு சொல்கிறது.



டிரைவர் சீட்டில் எட்டிப் பார்த்தால் யாருமே இல்லை. மீதி நாங்கள் மூன்று பேர். இடல் தட்டில் மூன்று தட்டில் இடல் மாவு ஊற்றிவிட்டு ஒரு தட்டு காலியாக விட்டால் எப்படி இருக்கும்! அந்த மாதிரி இருந்தது.

'ஹலோ! நாங்க இங்கே உள்ளே, நீங்க எங்கே?' என்று கவுண்டமணியும், அர்ஜுனும் டீக்கடை ஊர்வசியிடம் கேட்பது போலக் கேட்டோம். பதில் இல்லை.

'போகலாமா?' என்று ஸ்கிரீன் சீக்கிரப்படுத்தியது.

போகலாம்தான், ஆனால் பத்திரமாக இறக்கிவிடுமா என்ற பயத்துடனேயே போகலாம் என்று ஸ்கிரீனைத் தொட்டோம். சீட் பெல்ட் எச்சரிக்கை மணி அடித்தது. பெல்ட் போட வேன்னா பிச்சுபடுவேன் படவா என்றது.

மெதுவாக வண்டி கிளம்பியது. ஆக்ஸிலேட்டரை யார் அழுக்கிறார்கள்? ஏதாவது அழுக்குப் பிசாசா? தெரியவில்லை. ஸ்டீயரிங் அதுவாகச் சுற்றியது.

ஏதோ ஒரு பேய் வண்டியை ஒட்டுகிறது என்று மட்டும் புரிந்தது. பேய் சாரதிக்கு நல்ல புத்தியைக் கொடு பார்த்தசாரதிப் பெருமானே என்று வேண்டிக் கொண்டோம்.

வண்டி புறப்பட்ட முப்பதாவது செகண்டில் மெயின் ரோடு வந்துவிட்டது. கார்கள் பும்ரா போட்ட பந்துகள் மாதிரி புர் புர்ரென்று போய்க் கொண்டிருந்தன.

எங்கள் காரும் ஜோதியில் கலந்து கொண்டது. ஐம்பது கிலோ மீட்டர் வேகம் எடுத்தது. எங்களுக்கு ஐம்புலன்களும் ஆட்டம் கண்டன. வயிற்றில் அன்லிமிடெட் ஆசிட் சுரந்தது என்னேவா நிஜம்.

சாலையின் வலது புறம் ஸ்டார்பக்ஸ் காபிக் கடை இருந்தது. சத்தியமாக ஸ்டார்பக்ஸில் சொருகப் போகிறது என பயந்து கொண்டிருந்தோம். அப்படிப்பட்ட அசம்பாவிதம் ஏதும் நடக்கவில்லை.

'காக்கக் காக்க கார் வில் காக்க' என்று கண்டபடி பிரார்த்தித்தோம். இந்த பயம் இரண்டு நிமிடங்கள்தான் இருந்தது. பிறகு ஒரு நம்பிக்கை வந்தது. கார் ஒரே சீரான வேகத்தில் போக ஆரம்பித்தது.

'தம்பி, நீ எந்த ஊர்?' என்று டிரைவரிடம் பேச்சுக் கொடுக்க முடியவில்லை. அது தம்பியா, இல்லை தங்கச்சியா?

பின் பக்கமாகத் திரும்பிப் பார்த்து, 'விஜய் எலெக்ஷனலே ஜெயிப்பாரா ஸார்?' என்று டிரைவர் விசாரிக்கவும் இல்லை. இந்தக் காருக்குக் கொண்டையைக் கொடுத்த ஆண்டவன் தொண்டையைக் கொடுக்கவில்லை.

ஒரு நாற்சந்தி சிக்னல் வந்தது. முன்னால் போகும் கார்கள் நிற்க ஆரம்பித்தன. எங்கள் காரும் நின்றது. ரவா கேசரியில் ஸ்பூன் நுழைவதுபோல ஸ்மூத் ஆன் ப்ரேக் பிரயோகம். முன்னால் இருந்த காருக்குப் பின்னால் இருபதடி இடைவெளி விட்டு நின்றது. டெபுடி கலெக்டர் முன் தள்ளி நிற்கும் ட்வாலி மாதிரி அதீத பவ்யம்.

சிக்னலில் வலது புறம் திரும்ப வேண்டும். ஹார்லிக்ஸ் பாட்டில் மூடியைத் திருவதுபோல ஸ்டீயரிங் அதுவாகச் சுற்றியது. துல்லியமாக கர்வ் அடித்துத் திரும்பியது. நம்முர் டிரைவர் விஸ்வம்கூட இந்த Invisible driver அளவுக்குக் கர்வ் அடித்திருக்க மாட்டார்.

சிறிது தூரம் போனதும் அதுவாக Lane மாறியது. ரியர் வியூ மிரர் பார்த்து அல்ல. கொண்டையிலிருந்து வந்த கமாண்ட் அது.

பத்து நிமிஷங்களில் எங்களுக்குப் பழகிவிட்டது. பயம் போய்விட்டது. அந்த அருபமான டிரைவர் மேல் பிரியம் வந்தது. 'புளியோதரை சாப்பிடுப்பா' என்று டப்பாவை நீட்ட வேண்டும்போல் இருந்தது. தொடு திரையுடன் மியூசிக் சிஸ்டம் இருந்தது. அணிந்த பாட்டு ஒன்றைப் போட்டு விட்டோம். அந்த ரோபோ டிரைவர் ரசித்திருக்க வேண்டும். ஏதோ ஒரு அமெரிக்கப் பாட்டுதானே அது!

மொத்தம் 28 நிமிஷப் பயணம். இந்த இடைப்பட்ட நேரத்தில் ரோபோ எங்களுடன் ராசியாகிவிட்டது. ஜாதகப் பரிவர்த்தனை செய்யும் அளவுக்கு நெருக்கமாகிவிட்டது.

சரியாக 28வது நிமிஷத்தில் ஸ்ரீராகவேந்திரர் பிருந்தாவனம் முன்னால் போய் நின்றது. நீங்கள் இறங்க வேண்டிய இடம் வந்துவிட்டது என்று சொன்னது.

அநேகமாக அடுத்த வருஷம் 'பூஜ்யாய ராகவேந்திராயா' என்ற ஸ்லோகத்தைக் கூட சொல்லிவிடும் என்று நினைக்கிறேன். நாங்கள் இறங்கினோம். டாக்ஸி ஒரு நிமிஷம் நின்றது. பிறகு யாரோ ஒரு Johnson அல்லது Wilsonயைத் தேடிப் போனது. விஸ்சன் என் மாதிரி வியாசம் எழுதமாட்டார்.

திரும்பி வரும்தோறும் இதேபோல Robotic Taxiயில் தான் வந்தோம். Robotic திரிர் தான் காரணம்.

மாலை இந்தியாவில் இருக்கும் என் நண்பருக்குப் பெருமையாக ஃபோன் செய்தேன். 'இங்கே எல்லாம் டிரைவர் இல்லாத டாக்ஸி எவ்வளவு இருக்கு தெரியுமா?'

'அட போய்யா, இங்கே எல்லாம் டாக்ஸி இல்லாத டிரைவருங்க எவ்வளவு பேர் இருக்க காங்க தெரியுமா?' என்றார் அவர் பதிலுக்கு.

என்னால் பதில் சொல்ல முடியவில்லை!

## 80 women participate in awareness program on cyber crime



By Our Staff Reporter

In connection with International Women's Day, Jothi Madhar Sangam (Sukalayam, 70/44, Burkit Road, T. Nagar) organised an awareness programme on Digitalisation, Cyber Security and Digital Safety in its premises on March 17.

More than 80 women participated in the session. K. Usha Rani (Cyber Crime Inspector, Central Crime Branch, Vepery) spoke on cyber security.

She educated the participants on various cyber threats and preventive measures to be taken to avoid getting caught in online scams like digital arrest, online trading, cyber stalking, morphing and fake loan app schemes.

## Awards presented to eminent persons



By Our Staff Reporter

In connection with Ugadhi, Telugu Brahmana Mahasabha (Kanchi Sankara Mutt, Easwaran Koil Street, West Mambalam) presented awards to eminent persons on March 19 in Sarada Shrine Hall (RKM Sarada Vidyalaya, Usman Road, T. Nagar).

The awardees were Durbhakula Kumara Sarma (Vedic Scholar), C. K. J. Parash Baba (Kuchipudi and Bharatanatyam dancer), Thirukootam Sathyamoorthy for public service and Carnatic vocalist Srirangam V Venkatanagarajan.

The awards were presented by Mangapathy Vivekanandan (Retired Joint Commissioner of Income Tax).

## World Telugu Federation awards for eminent persons



By Our Staff Reporter

World Telugu Federation (Ankur Plaza, 113, G.N. Chetty Road, T. Nagar) organised special programs for Ugadhi (Telugu New Year Day) on March 16 in Gandhi Nagar Ladies Club (Adyar).

The program was headed by Dr. V.L. Indira Dutt (President of World Telugu Federation).

In appreciation of her medical services, Dr. C. Swarnakumari (Senior Gynaecologist, Apollo Hospital) was presented the Woman Achiever Award.

For his work in propagating Telugu language, the BSR. Krishna Memorial Award was

presented to M. Sampath- Languages, Ministry of Kumar (Project Director, Education, Government of Central Institute of Indian India).

## EV charging station to be setup in T. Nagar

Chennai Corporation will soon install electric vehicle (EV) charging stations in Anna Nagar, T. Nagar, Nungambakkam, Adyar and Besant Nagar. Each site will feature two charging points. The stations will be set up alongside parking facilities in these areas, enabling motorists to charge their vehicles while they park.

"This will benefit not only private EV owners but also app-based taxi operators, logistics providers and delivery partners who increasingly rely on electric two-wheelers and cars," Chief Engineer B. Shankaravelu said. "Many gig workers spend long hours on the road. Access to reliable charging points in busy commercial and residential areas will improve operational convenience," he said.

டாக்டர் பாஸ்கரன் விடுமுறையில் அமெரிக்காவிற்கு செல்வதால் அவருடைய கட்டுரைகள் இரண்டு மாதங்களுக்குப்பின் தொடரும்.

## Education Expo in Kamarajar Arangam on Friday

By Our Staff Reporter

Vijay's Info Media, Rajalakshmi Institute of Technology and Prince Group of Institutions have jointly organised the 2<sup>nd</sup> edition of the Education Expo Career Counselling Fair from 9 a.m to 6 p.m on Friday, March 27 in Kamarajar Arangam (Teynampet).

According to the organisers, it provides an opportunity for students to explore different career paths, learn about college admissions, and gain insights into various fields of study

More than 50+ top medical, veterinary, engineering, nursing, pharma and aviation colleges/deemed universities from Chennai, Bengaluru and Coimbatore are participating in the expo.

Faculty from various training institutes will also be present to interact with the students and parents.

Std. 9 to Std. 12 students and graduates seeking higher education or career opportunities, individuals aspiring to study abroad and parents are all welcome to attend the fair to get the right guidance regarding higher education choices.

For more information, call 73391 87731.

## Free online classes on Thevaram and Thiruvassagam

By Our Staff Reporter

Gurukul Sloka Classes will conduct Thevaram and Thiruvassagam classes online from Saturday, April 18. Anyone above 8 years can join.

The classes will be held at 8.30 p.m on Saturdays and 11 a.m on Sundays.

To register, contact Sriram in 93825 13825.

## Chennai One App users get benefits on monthly bus passes

By Our Staff Reporter

In a move to streamline and subsidise public transport access, Tamilnadu Government has introduced fare concessions for monthly bus passes through the Chennai One App for city commuters.

Rs. 50 cashback is being offered to commuters buying monthly passes through the Chennai One App.

To avail the offer, commuters must select the 'Pass' option in the Chennai One App, choose either the Gold or Diamond monthly pass, and complete the transaction using the BHIM payment method.

The offer is applicable only to first-time users and will be available for a limited period.

The scheme is to promote buying monthly bus passes via the Chennai One App.

## Local psychologist produces film on women empowerment



The short Tamil film 'Ival Vera Madri' produced by Manimeghalai (Psychologist and resident of Ramasamy Street, T. Nagar) was screened on March 15 at a

local preview theatre.

The film is written and directed by Anandaraj Kannan. P. Sivagami (IAS) and other eminent personalities were present.

The film is about women empowerment and depicts a woman's bravery of handling adverse situations in her life.

For more details, call 98401 28040.

## B4 entrance at Nandanam Metro to be shut from March 23

By Our Staff Reporter

Chennai Metro has announced that the B4 entrance of the Nandanam Metro station, located towards the BSNL office, will be permanently closed from March 23 owing to ongoing Phase-II construction and integration works.

The closure is part of critical infrastructure development aimed at improving long-term connectivity, passenger convenience and operational efficiency under the Phase-II expansion project.

An official said that access to the existing Phase-I Nandanam station will continue through a new entrance that will be opened as part of the Phase-II works.

All other entry points are operational.

To assist passengers, directional signage and guidance boards have been installed at key locations around the station.



## Brahmotsavam in Kasi Viswanathar Temple till April 2

By Our Staff Reporter

In connection with Panguni, Brahmotsavam has been going on in Kasi Visalakshi and Kasi Viswanathar Temple (Easwaran Koil Street, West Mambalam) since March 20.

It will conclude on Thursday, April 2. Special pujas, alangaarams and abhishekams are held daily in the mornings and evenings.

The temple chariot will be taken in a procession at 5 a.m on Saturday, March 28.

The procession will go along Easwaran Koil Street, Kothandaramar Koil Street, Arangappan Street, Ellaiaimman Koil Street and Gandhi Street.

Devotees are requested to participate in large number and help in pulling the temple chariot. All are welcome.

## 3-day book exhibition in Panigraha Kalyana Mandapam

By Our Staff Reporter

National Journalists' Welfare Association has organised an exhibition-cum-sale of books from 11 a.m to 8 p.m on Friday, March 27, Saturday, March 28 and Sunday, March 29 in Panigraha Kalyana Mandapam (Arya Gowda Road, West Mambalam).

Books published by Dinamalar, Thamarai Brothers, Vijaya Bharatham, LKM Publications, Sri Bharathi Publications and 12 leading publishers will be on display.

Seminars will be held daily on various topics from 5 p.m to 8 p.m.

On March 27, Dr. H.V. Hande (Founder, Hande Hospital, Shenoy Nagar) will head the seminar, on March 28 by writer Tiruppur Krishnan and on March 29 by writer Kalachakram Narasimha. There is no entrance fee.

All are welcome. For more details, call 98415 02660.

## Radha Kalyanam in Vani Mahal today forenoon

By Our Staff Reporter

Naamasankeerthana Vaibhavam going on since March 13 in Thyaga Brahma Gana Sabha (108, G.N. Chetry Road, T. Nagar) will conclude on Sunday, March 22.

Unjavrithi and Radha Kalyanam will be performed by Pichumani Bhagavathar, followed by Mangala Harathi and Anjaneya Utsavam by Udaiyalur K. Kalyanaraman from 8 a.m to 1 p.m.

All are welcome. For more details call, 93810 01357.

## Satsang on Saturdays in Balaji Kalyana Mandapam

ISKCON (International Society for Krishna Consciousness) is conducting Satsang on Saturdays from 5.30 p.m to 8 p.m in Balaji Kalyana Mandapam, (Sundaram Street, T. Nagar). The following are the Satsang details:

5:30 p.m - Kirtan; 5:50 p.m - Tulasi Arathi; 6 p.m - Sandhya Arathi; 6:15 p.m - Discourse; 7:45 p.m - Prasadam distribution. All are welcome. For more details, call 82200 17695.

## Shop specializes in customized return gifts

By Our Staff Reporter

Prashaa Return Gifts is located at New No. 14, Old No. 51, Brindavan Street Extension, West Mambalam.

Its manager told *Mambalam Times* that the shop specializes in thoughtfully curated return gifts catering to auspicious occasions like marriage, Seemantham, engagement, housewarming, and Upanayanam.

He said that with focus on tradition blended with modern aesthetics, the brand offers unique gifting solutions that reflect both cultural values and contemporary tastes.

From elegant thamboolam trays to brass and other utility-based items, their collections are designed to suit every budget and preference.

The shop also offers customized packing of gifts.

It offers attractive discounts on bulk orders with timely delivery.

Its contact numbers are 97908 92235 and 81226 991342.

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## Distributes free buttermilk



By Our Staff Reporter

V. Anusha (resident of Ashok Nagar and member of Naam Tamilar Katchi) distributed free buttermilk to passersby on March 12 in Easwaran Koil Street (near Madley Subway, West Mambalam). Her contact number is 99406 18646.

## Appeal to expedite storm water drain work

By Our Staff Reporter

Chennai Corporation started widening the storm water drain on Lake View Road (near Kamakoti Street junction, West Mambalam) in mid-February.

Since last three weeks, there has been no progress in the work.

The trench dug to widen the drain is filled with water.

The open drain and the damaged road poses danger and hardship to motorists. Nearby residents appeal to Chennai Corporation to expedite the work early. This photo was taken on March 12.



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Garbage dumped on pavement

Sir, Garbage and household waste is frequently dumped on the pavement adjoining a TNEB junction box outside my house on Srinivasa Iyer Street (West Mambalam).

It is a severe health hazard.

I appeal to Chennai Corporation to prevent dumping of garbage at the spot. **Arun Nagarajan, 43/17, Srinivasa Iyer Street, West Mambalam, Ph: 99304 09983.**



### Open storm water drain poses danger

Sir, The cover is missing for the past 3 weeks from one of the storm water drain chambers on Soundarajan Street (T. Nagar).

It poses grave danger to pedestrians.

I appeal to Chennai Corporation to replace the missing cover to prevent any untoward incident. **C. Sridhar Varadaraj, Ph: 95000 39929**



## 128 vehicles deployed for election monitoring

By Our Staff Reporter

Following the announcement of the schedule for the 2026 Tamilnadu Assembly elections by the Election Commission of India on March 15, monitoring teams began operations to enforce election regulations across the 16 Assembly constituencies in the city including T. Nagar.

A total of 128 vehicles carrying flying squads, static surveillance teams and video surveillance teams were flagged off to commence election monitoring work.

Each of the 16 constituencies has been allotted eight vehicles comprising three flying squads, three static surveillance teams, and two video surveillance teams.

Each flying squad and static surveillance team vehicle will be led by an executive magistrate-rank officer, accompanied by an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Police, police personnel, an armed constable and a videographer.

The teams will monitor violations of the Model Code of Conduct, including movement of cash, liquor, arms and explosives, attempts to bribe voters, and expenditure related to election campaigns.

A toll-free control room number, 1800 425 7012, has been set up for the public to report election-related complaints.

This reporter spotted a flying squad carrying out vehicle checks on Usman Road (near Duraisamy Road junction, T. Nagar) at noon on March 18.



## Exhibition by women artists concludes tomorrow

By Our Staff Reporter

Thooriga is a collective of the artists Gayathri Balaji (resident of T. Nagar), Yamuna Bala, Sathya N. Prabhu, and Charanya Rajesh.

Their works celebrates the rich traditional and cultural heritage of Tamilnadu.

Their seventh group exhibition, sponsored by the Department of Art and Culture (Tamilnadu Government) is going on since March 20 in Kalpa Druma (Gopalapuram), and will conclude on Monday, March 23.

Charanya Rajesh transitioned from engineering to art. Her forte lies in realistic portraits and figurative works of women, reflecting cultural heritage, inner strength, and love for nature.

Gayathri Balaji began her journey with Tanjore paintings. With more than two decades of experience in the field of art, her works revolve around nature, travel, and India's rich cultural heritage, often incorporating textures, abstractions, and conceptual elements.

Sathya N Prabhu's specializes in contemporary and traditional acrylic paintings, blending Indian cultural themes, mythology, and murals.

Yamuna Bala has exhibited her works across Chennai, Puducherry, Hyderabad, Bangalore, Coimbatore, Bhopal, and Pune. Her art explores the inner journey of the human mind and spirit, encouraging introspection and self-awareness through a psychological lens.



## Rs 1.42 crores unaccounted cash seized by flying squad

The Static Surveillance Teams (SST) that have been deployed to monitor the movement of cash and other valuables in view of the election seized Rs 1.52 crores in undocumented cash in the city last week.

The bulk of the seizure happened in T. Nagar, from where Rs. 1.42 crores was seized.

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## Further delay in opening of Poonamallee-Vadapalani metro corridor

The opening of Chennai Metro phase II stretch from Poonamallee to Vadapalani is likely to be pushed to April or May.

Though Chennai Metro received provisional authorization from the Commissioner of Metro Railway Safety (CMRS) to operate trains from Poonamallee to Porur, the CMRS had directed that train operations be permitted in the Porur-Vadapalani stretch only when the 26 deck slabs in the double-decker Alapakkam-Alwarthirunagar stretch (in the corridor 5 section) are built.

Officials said that the construction of the deck slab in the Porur-Vadapalani stretch will be completed in the second week of April, after which the Poonamallee-Vadapalani stretch will be ready for opening.

As the Model Code of Conduct (MCC) for the upcoming Assembly election in Tamilnadu is likely to come into effect shortly, it is not clear whether the Poonamallee-Vadapalani stretch will be opened in April or will be delayed further.

Originally, Chennai Metro had planned to launch train operations between Poonamallee and Porur in

December last year. Subsequently, it modified the plan to provide direct connectivity to Vadapalani, skipping the stations between Porur and Vadapalani. It carried out trial runs till Vadapalani in January and announced that this connectivity would be ready by February.

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## Brahmotsavam held in Kesava Perumal temple



By Our Staff Reporter

Hundreds of devotees participated in the Brahmotsavam held in Kesava Perumal Temple (Govindan Road, West Mambalam) from Feb.27 to March 19.

Special pujas, abhishekam and alangaaram were performed daily.

On the concluding day, the temple chariot was taken in a procession through nearby streets.

## Woman entrepreneurs felicitated



By Our Staff Reporter

Sanju Women's Welfare Association (8, Police Quar-

## Special pujas for Rama Navami in Sai Seva Samaj

By Our Staff Reporter

In connection with Rama Navami, Shri Shirdi Sai Seva Samaj (21, Jaishankar Street, West Mambalam) has organised special pujas on Friday, March 27.

The following are the program details:

5.15 a.m: Kakkad aarathi.  
6.30 a.m: Ganapathi homam.

ters Road, T. Nagar) celebrated the 25<sup>th</sup> International Women's Day by fe-

## Special pujas for Rama Navami in Sai Seva Samaj

7.30 a.m to 11.45 a.m: Abhishekam, Sahasrana-amam and bhajans.

10.30 a.m: Annadhaanam.

12 noon: Noon aarathi.

12.30 p.m: Prasadam distribution.

6 p.m: Dhoop aarathi.

6.30 p.m: Sai Maharaj procession.

9.15 p.m; Shej aarathi.

All are welcome.

## Thirukalyanam in Rama Anjaneyar Temple on Saturday

By Our Staff Reporter

Under the auspices of Rama Anjaneya Sabha special pujas will be held for Rama Navami in Rama Anjaneyar Temple (Hanumar Koil Street, West Mambalam) on Friday, March 27 and Saturday, March 28.

Following are the details: Friday, March 27

8 a.m: Special abhishekam

8.30 a.m: Special alanga-

aram

9.30 a.m and 7 p.m: Sahasranaama archana

Saturday, March 28:

7.15 a.m: Vishnu

Sahasranaama homam

8.30 a.m: Sahasranaama

archana

5 p.m: Rama and Sita

Thirukalyanam

All are welcome.

## Free physiotherapy and Varma therapy today

By Our Staff Reporter

VSK Clinic will offer free physiotherapy and Varma therapy from 10 a.m to 1 p.m on Sunday, March 22 in its premises in 4/58, Subramanian Street, West Mambalam.

Persons suffering from knee, bank, neck and shoulder pain can avail the free treatment. For registration, contact Dr. V. Sivakumar in 98403 03156.

## Labourer dies after fall from under-construction building

By Our Staff Reporter

A 23-year-old migrant worker from Bihar died after falling from the terrace of a 4-storey under-construction building on Sivasailam Street (T. Nagar) in the early hours on March 18.

The deceased, identified as D. Abhishek Kumar, is a native of Bhagalpur (Bihar), and had been working as a labourer at the apartment building for the past 15 days.

Police said that after consuming alcohol, Abhishek and his co-worker Chotu Kumar were sleeping on the terrace.

Around midnight, due to a sudden downpour, the duo woke up and attempted to head downstairs.

In the process, Abhishek fell into an open lift shaft and died of his injuries.

Mambalam police retrieved the body and sent it to Royapettah Government Hospital for a post-mortem.

Further investigation is on.

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