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Chandapura, Anekal citizens were protesting for basic roads on Sep 28th, from chandapura bus depot to thirumagondanahalli via green apple hikes apartment.



Maximum recorded temperature in Electronics City is 35.28°C from the past four weeks and average humidity of 73.44.



Mega operation repurpose drive initiated by NGO's across bengaluru conducted on Oct 2nd, PES college campus in ECity venues for collection of plastic, cloths, e-waste, etc.



Yellow line Metro Update: 3 train sets are to be available by Nov-Dec 2024, and commissioning of Section with three trains is targeted by January 2025.



New Patch road work started, following with the residents of Rayasandra & Gattahalli, in protest demanding for basic infrastructure on September 21st.

Pragathi Nagar Residents Push for Independent Resolution of Kaveri Water Supply Issues



Residents of Pragathi Nagar, a community under BBMP limits, are increasingly concerned about ongoing water scarcity, particularly during the summer months. Despite promises of access to Kaveri water through Stage 5 of the Kaveri water facility under the 110 village project, progress has been slow. Residents continue to rely on costly private water suppliers as they await the connection.

Political representatives recently indicated that water meter installations and surveys would commence once Stage 5 is inaugurated.

However, with ongoing issues in Karnataka's political

ladscape, including the MUDA dispute, residents worry that further delays are inevitable. In response, representatives from Pragathi Nagar visited the offices of the Chief Minister, Deputy Chief Minister, and Chief Secretary at Vidhana Soudha on October 3, 2024, submitting a formal request to expedite the Kaveri water supply to their locality.

residents' resolute independence. Living in the area for over 20 years, they feel empowered to address issues without relying on anyone claiming to be their local leader. They believe they are fully

capable of handling civic matters that impact their lives. **99**

Rather than waiting for others to act, they've taken matters into their own hands.

The community remains optimistic that their efforts will bring about positive change. Pragathi Nagar stands united in resolving its challenges, proving that they are resourceful and determined to address their issues independently, without the need for external intervention.



- Shubhankar C, Legal Associate, General Secretary, SMSC Trust.

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CopConnect Café



Bengaluru is witnessing an increase in cybercrimes these days with victims losing hefty amounts to complex cyber frauds. To help citizens fight cybercrimes, the Information Sharing & Analysis Center (ISAC) in association with corporates, industry associations and educational institutions, has established CopConnect cafes. Three such CopConnect cafes are set-up in the city at Rotary Bangalore Udyog, Peenya, AMC Engineering College, Bannerghatta Road Campus in association with Zscaler & Dayananda Sagar Academy of Technology and Management, Kanakapura Road in association with Zscaler.

CopConnect serve as a vital resource for both the local community and thousands of employees from nearby industries. Such a facility provides a safe space for individuals to seek guidance and support regarding cyber security. The availability of 'Hacked or not kiosk' (HONK) tool at the café provides a report on data breaches from smart devices without being intrusive & alert on banned apps present in the phone. 600 of Faculty members and students have been trained as cybercrime first responders, significantly contributing to a safer learning environment and a safe camIn addition to these initiatives, ISAC has successfully trained close to 75 Cyber Crime Intervention Officers (CCIOs) in & around E City. This training enhances the area's capacity to respond to cyber threats, ensuring that both organizations & individuals are better prepared to tackle cybercrimes.

For more information on Cop-Connect Cafes, please contact Mr. Vinay Chandra: Mail:vinaychandra@isacfoundation.org +91-9731746616



- Chetan Anand, National Cyber Security Scholar and Cyber Crime Intervention Officer

A commercial hub - Doddathogur



Take a walk in Doddathogur in Electronic city and you will be struck by the innumerable array of shops. No matter what your requirement is, you will find a store or a business that caters to it.

Hospitals, schools, textile shops, banks, vegetable shops, supermarkets, salons, temples, pet food stores, bakeries, clinics, pharmacies – you name it, vou will find it here.

This has truly made life so convenient here that we need not travel to other areas. We get everything in one place with ease and at very affordable prices.

The commercial boom in Doddathogur in the past few years has also led to a rise in real estate. People are more than happy to invest in a home here, thanks to the availability of benefits and services in this area.

6 Coddathogur has also become a preferred spot for retired persons as they don't have to struggle in commuting long distances for hospital check ups or medications. Even house help is readily available here at nominal prices.



- Madhumita P, Freelance Writer.

Status on Commissioning of Reach-5 Line (Yellow Line) from RV Road to Bommasandra

Civil / System works have been substantially completed.

Commissioning Plan

- Testing with Proto-Type Train is under progress
- Technical sanction of Railway Board w.r.t. Traction is received
- For Signalling System and Rolling Stock are in advance

stages

Rolling Stock Availability

- 3 Train Sets will be available by Nov-Dec 2024
- Commissioning of Section with Three Trains is targeted by January 2025 with the Headway of 30 minutes Section will be offered for CMRS Inspection

December 2024

- Further, Trains will be received from TRSL at the rate of 2 Trains per month w.e.f. March 2025 and Head-way will be reduced progressively
- All the 15 Trains sets for Reach-5 line will be available by August 2025



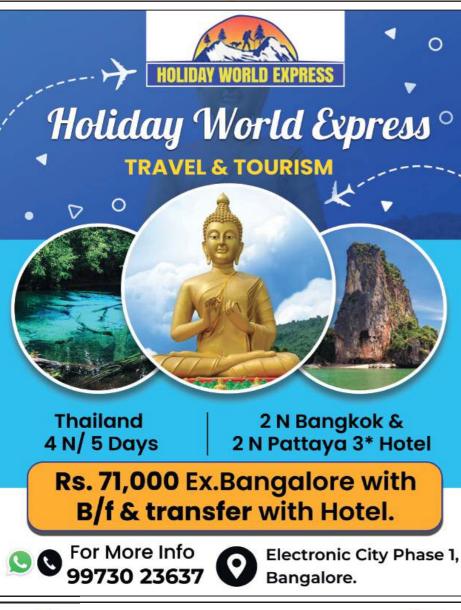
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Vegan Makhana Shake A Delicious & Nutritious



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Recipe Overview:

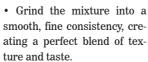
Almond Milk -1 Cup, Fox Nuts (Makhana) $-\frac{1}{2}$ Cup Almonds -1 tbsp, Cashews -1tbsp, Seedless Dates -6 pieces, Grated Coconut -1 tbsp



Crafted with care, this beverage is a revitalizing addition to your day, offering a delicious boost of energy and flavor in every sip.

Preparation Method:

• Soak all the ingredients together for 30 minutes, allowing the flavors to meld and nutrients to enrich.



• Refrigerate for 10 minutes to chill and enhance the drink's freshness.



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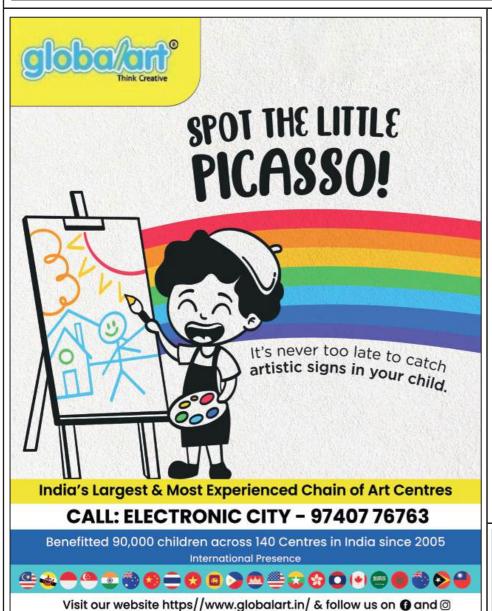






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Your Journey, Your Success **Coaching for Young Adults**



One of my clients was a 12th grader. He was pursuing Sciences, although his interest was in law. Why did he do this? His parents felt Sciences were compelling and hence had advised him to pursue it in 11th and 12th. They were fine with him pursuing law later for graduation.

My client was so disappointed in having to pursue science in the immediate term, that he lost sight of the fact that his dream of becoming a lawver was still achievable. This dissonance between his short term and long term goals translated to his lack of focus towards studies

Sesions with me allowed him to realise that science at school was a necessary bridge to get to his long term goals. This clarity proved to be beneficial for him. When I circled back with him, I was glad to know he was successful with his schooling.

∠ Life coaching is like having a partner who helps you figure out where you want to go in life and how to get there. It's not about telling you what to do but helping you find your own answers. ??

Example: Imagine you're at a crossroads in your career. You're unsure whether to stay in your current job, switch to

a new field, or maybe even start vour own business. A life coach would ask questions to help you clarify your goals, identify what's holding you back, & come up with a plan to move forward. They might help you set small, achievable steps, keep you accountable, & challenge any self-doubt or limiting beliefs along the way.

So, it's like having someone who helps you navigate important life decisions, giving you the tools & support to make the best choices for vourself.



- Archana Sudhir. ICF-certified Youth Foundation Coach. GetMeClarity.







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Occupational Therapy in Pediatric Society

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Occupational Therapist: We work with mentally and physically challenged children who have conditions such as autism, **ADHD (ADD)**, cerebral palsy, Down syndrome, and those with poor tolerance, poor peer group interaction, behavioral issues, and handwriting problems in academic areas.

Occupational therapy interventions are structured to promote developmental skills, cognitive skills, independence in daily living, academic performance, and social interaction and communication skills. Various approaches in occupational therapy, such as sensory integration, neurodevelopmental therapy, and applied behavioral analysis, help children overcome barriers and achieve their potential.

We have been in the field for the past three years, working to standardize our profession and services for the neurodiverse community. Our experienced and dedicated professionals provide customized therapy plans, advanced interventions, social programs, and home-based parental guidance to ensure development. "Accept Different, Make a Difference" for a neurodiverse society.



- Dr.Tamilarasan Nagaraj Director Tiny CDC and Rehab

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Balancing Mental and Physical Health for a Fulfilling Life



Mental and physical health are equally important components of overall health. Mental health refers to our emotional, psychological, and social well-being, while physical health refers to our fitness, flexibility, nutrition, and immunity levels. Although the mind and body are

often viewed as separate, mental physical health are closely related, with mental health affecting our physical health both positively & negatively.

Regular exercise boosts our mood, reduces stress, decreases body fat, strengthens bones, and increases our energy and stamina. Eating a well-balanced diet that includes protein, fat, and carbohydrates, along with staying hydrated, is essential.

Getting adequate sleep between 6 to 9 hours—is important for maintaining a calm mind and focused concentration. Exposure to sunlight every day promotes healthy skin. Practicing good oral hygiene, listening to music, picking up a new sport or hobby, and reducing screen time by taking breaks from social media all contribute to overall well-being. Staying connected with people & spending time with family & friends is important, as is contributing to society through volunteering in areas that align with our abilities & interests. Practicing mindfulness & gratitude

also enhances well-being.

66Good mental & physical health help us cope with

the daily stresses of life, maintain healthy relationships, & enjoy life to the fullest.



- Asha Balasubramaniam, Cafe Croffle Tummy Fuel Eatery.

Managing Anger Strategies for a Healthier Life

Anger is a natural emotion that affects everyone at some point in their lives. However, unmanaged anger can lead to serious consequences, affecting relationships, mental health, and overall well-being. Effective anger management involves understanding the causes of anger, recognizing its signs, & developing strategies to manage & express anger in a healthy manner. Being aware of anger signs is crucial for effective management. These signs may include increased heart rate and blood pressure, tight muscles and clenched fists, irritability and mood swings, raised voice or aggressive tone, and physical symptoms like headaches or stomach aches.

Identifying personal trig-

gers and recognizing early signs of anger are vital steps in managing anger. Relaxation techniques such as deep breathing exercises, progressive muscle relaxation, mindfulness meditation, yoga, and physical exercise can help.

Journaling thoughts and feelings helps in processing and releasing anger. Seeking support from a trusted friend, family member, or mental health professional can provide valuable insight. Letting go of resentment and anger through forgiveness is another essential strategy.

Additional tips for managing anger include practicing gratitude, engaging in physical activity, limiting alcohol and caffeine consumption, and getting enough sleep.

Geffective anger management requires patience, self-awareness, and practice. By understanding the causes of anger, recognizing its signs, and implementing these strategies, individuals can manage anger in a healthy, constructive way, leading to improved relationships, mental well-being, and overall quality of



Seema,Educator, Artist,Psychological Counsellor.



Inclusiveness is a way of life where individuals support one another in both joyous and challenging times. In the past, strong bonds enriched com-

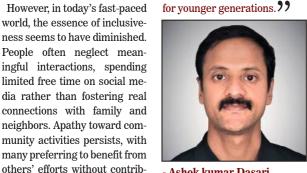
Inclusiveness for

Beneficial Societies

munities, creating a harmonious environment. Community events and initiatives united people, ensuring success and offering moral support.

However, in today's fast-paced volunteering for local causes volunteering for local causes can foster a sense of belonging.

6 Let us practice inclusiveness by engaging with our communities, supporting one another, & setting an example for younger generations.



- Ashok kumar Dasari Employee in a Life Sciences company.



Paper cups can give you health hiccups!!

Paper cups are widely used to consume coffee, tea or any beverage. The reason for their popularity is the myth that paper cups are eco-friendly. Most of us think that paper cups are just made of paper. Let us pause and reflect if paper cups were only made of paper, would it be able to hold liquid? No! Paper cups are lined with polyethylene (plastic) that functions as a moisture barrier.

A research by IIT Kharagpur gives evidence of microplastic contamination in the hot beverage (tea, coffee etc.) consumed from disposable paper cups. The research quotes: "A

person drinking three cups of tea in disposable paper cups will end up ingesting 75,000 tiny microplastic particles". Not only these, these microplastics also act as carriers for contaminants like ions, toxic heavy metals such as Palladium, Chromium, Cadmium, Lead etc. When human beings ingest these heavy and toxic metals, the health consequences could be as serious as cancer.

CCAlthough it seems safe to drink cold water in paper cups, we must think twice before using them as paper cups are the largest litter waste

product only outdone by plastic bottles. **??**Let us discuss solutions now:

• We can easily carry our own bottle, glass/ cup for ourselves and our family while traveling, visiting public places or during

any outdoor visits.

• While organizing any function at home, we can use steel/ glass cutlery if we have enough or borrow it from neighbors/ friends if possible

• While organizing functions at large scale, we can rent steel cutlery as there are many organizations which provide cutlery on rent at a certain rate.

• Organizations/ Apartments

can also invest in steel cups/glasses. This one-time investment can serve both the purposes of saving our health & avoiding littering.

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On September 29th, Narayana Health City,

Bengaluru, proudly organised a walkathon in celebration of World Heart Day, held along Neeladri Road in Electronic City. The event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of maintaining a healthy heart and promoting cardiovascular well-being in the community.

With over 1000+ participants the walkathon united people of all ages in a spirited show of support for heart health. Dr Kapil Kumawat - Sr Consultant Cardiology - Adult, Narayana

Bengaluru, September 29th, 2024 — Kauvery Hospital,

Electronic City, successfully hosted the fourth edition of its flagship event, Kauvery BEAT 2024, celebrating World Heart Day. The triathlon-style event brought together over 3500+ enthusiastic participants, aged from 2 to 80 years, promoting heart health awareness through walking, running, & cycling activities.

The event's highlight was the formation of Karnataka's biggest heart shape, symbolizHealth City, Bengaluru addressed the gathering with heart-healthy tips, emphasising the vital role of lifestyle modifications to keep heart diseases at bay and suggested having regular health-checkups to prevent any cardiac event.

EVENTS

(6Narayana Health remains committed to fostering health awareness and empowering individuals to take charge of their heart health. We extend our gratitude to everyone who joined us in this important initiative. ?)

- Narayana Health City, Bengaluru.

ing unity for a healthier future. Attendees pledged to care for their heart health by imprinting handprints on a giant pledge board, while each participant was awarded a medal and a sapling to symbolize growth & a commitment to wellness.

66 With expert talks, fun fitness activities, & a powerful message for heart health, Kauvery BEAT 2024 was more than just an event—it was a movement towards a hearthealthy lifestyle.

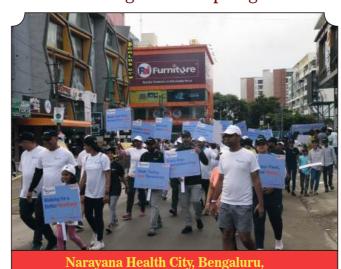
- Kauvery Hospital, Bengaluru.



Walking Towards Health: Empowering Communities for Heart and Cancer Awareness

Communities united in impactful walkathons, function of Breast Cancer raising awareness for heart health and breast cancer through these inspiring events.

With the Communitative function of Breast Cancer Awareness Month. The oncological unit of the hospital supported that early properties.



Hosts Successful Walkathon for World Heart Day



Steps of Strength: A Mini Walkathon for Breast Cancer Awareness by Apollo Hospitals, Bannerghatta Road

A mini walkathon was held on 2.10.24 at Apollo Hospitals,

Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru in connection with the commemorative function of Breast Cancer Awareness Month. The oncological unit of the hospital supported that early diagnosis and screening of breast cancer among other activities helped them successfully carry out this encouraging event.

The 2nd Annual "Pink Saree Run" was a creative and noteworthy concept wherein people wore pink sarees for the cause of breast cancer awareness. The 6 am walk started from Apollo Hospitals and went to Delmia Circle, in which more than 700+ enthusiastic participants, including the hospital staff, doctors, patients, and their relatives and friends took part.

Dr. Manish Mattoo, CEO, Apollo Hospitals-Karnata-ka and Central Region; Dr. Jayanti Thumsi, Lead Surgeon – Breast Oncology; & Dr. Vijay Agarwal, Lead & Senior Consultant, Medical Oncologist, Dr. Vishwanath S Senior Consultant & Academic Advisor-Department of Medical Oncology led the medical parade.

"This initiative motivates

many women to turn self-screening or having a mammogram or a breast exam into a priority," stressed Dr. Thumsi. "It will also encourage them that catching the disease early allows for quick and efficient treatment."

The Pink Saree Run was also an extremely significant march for hope, & even for happiness. "Saree-clad participation provides a creative and cultural perspective to the event, thus increasing the level of participation, as well as enjoyment," asserted Dr. Manish Mattoo, CEO Apollo Hospitals-Karnata-

66 It also works towards bringing people together in the spirit of fitness and breast cancer awareness.

ka and Central Region.

Such a humane approach served as helpful rehabilitative strategies encouraging mothers and their families to adopt health as part of their normal daily living which in turn transformed households and reinforced the society

- Apollo Hospitals, Bannerghatta Road.

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Ganga Vertica Onam Celebration 2024 A fiesta of colours



Onam was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Ganga Vertica, Neeladri Road, on Saturday, September 28th, 2024.

The cultural programs began around 7 PM, starting with Thiruvathirakali, a tribute to Kerala's rich cultural heritage. This was followed by children's dance and skit per-

formances, along with Onam songs.

A mesmerising Mohiniyattom performance by Vismaya C. A., Sneha K. S., and Indulekha, trained by Kalamandalam Kavya took the whole program to another level. The highlight of the evening was the much-anticipated Kathakali performance by

Kalamandalam Shijukumar and Kalamandalam Aryajith, who delivered a captivating 25-minute excerpt from Narakasura Vadha.

Onam 2024 celebration left a lasting impact on both the audience & organisers, making it a day filled with cultural pride, joy, and togetherness.

- Meenakshi Nair

Ajmera Hosts Creative Navratri Lippan Art Activity



The Ajmera Infinity Durga Pooja Association hosted a pre-puja Lippan Art activity on October 6th for Ajmera residents. Lippan art, originating from Kutch, Gujarat, is a traditional craft that uses clay and mirrors to form intricate designs. Focusing on the Navratri theme, children celebrated the occasion by crafting beautiful images of Maa Durga using clay and mirrors, displaying both creativity & cultural pride.

- Ajmera Infinity.



With Dussehra, the magnificent nine-day Navratri celebration comes to a conclusion. This fortunate festival's tenth day represents the triumph of good over evil. The seventh month of the Hindu Luni-Solar calendar, Ashvin, is when it is typically observed. That falls between September and October on the Gregorian calendar. This event is also known by the names Vijaya Dashami, Dasara, and Dussehra.

Different regions of India and Nepal mark Vijayadashami for different rea-

sons and celebrate it in diverse ways.Vijayadashami, which commemorates goddess Durga's victory over Mahishasura to restore and safeguard dharma, marks the conclusion of Durga Puja in the southern, eastern, northeastern, and certain northern provinces of India.

It commemorates the deity Rama's victory over Ravana and signifies the conclusion of Ramlila in the northern, central, and western states. Alternatively, it symbolizes respect for a facet of the deity Devi Durga.

Dussehra Celebration









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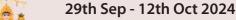
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