

## Red alert: Holiday for schools today

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**PANJIM:** In the wake of heavy rains and the red alert issued by India Meteorological Department (IMD) Goa, the Directorate of Education on Sunday announced holiday for educational institutions from Nursery to Class XII on Monday, July 15.

Speaking to O Herald, Director of Education Shailesh Zingade said, "Earlier I had told that it was discretionary for the school managements to declare holiday in case of water logging. But it was decided to declare holiday from Nursery to Class XII as heavy rains with winds are expected tomorrow. We are not taking any risk."

The IMD has extended the red alert issued till July 15.

## Alcaraz stuns Djokovic, clinches second consecutive Wimbledon title



**AP, LONDON:** Carlos Alcaraz defeated Novak Djokovic 6-2, 6-2, 7-6 (4) in the Wimbledon men's final here on Sunday to collect his fourth Grand Slam title at the age of 21.

It was a rematch of last year's championship match on the grass of the All England Club. **Pg 12 >>**

# "FIGHT, FIGHT, FIGHT, FIGHT"



Former President Donald Trump gestures as he is surrounded by US Secret Service agents after surviving an attempt on his life when a young gunman fired multiple shots at him at a campaign rally in Pennsylvania, injuring his right ear

## Bleeding assassination survivor Donald Trump enroute turns dark life attempt into a red letter day

**Bullet meant to take his life grazes ear, draws blood, and hits and kills a rally attendee, leaves two others critical; shooter killed on the spot; Trump asks people to fight as he's whisked away to safety**

**AGENCIES, WASHINGTON:** Republican presidential candidate Donald Trump survived an attempt on his life when a young gunman fired multiple shots at the former US president at a campaign rally in Pennsylvania, injuring his right ear, an incident that could dramatically change the already volatile political scene ahead of the high-

stakes presidential election. Seventy-eight-year-old Trump was addressing his supporters at the packed outdoor election rally in Butler town on Saturday when bullets started flying. Video footage showed him grabbing his ear as shots were fired. Trump was seen with blood on his ear and cheek as he was rushed off the stage by Secret Service agents.

The crowd started screaming behind him and then someone yelled: "Get down, get down, get down, get down!" as Secret Service agents piled on top of Trump to shield him.

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The shooting created chaos with people in the back of the venue immediately running to the exits.

As he was being rushed off the stage, a defiant Trump boldly pumped his fist into the air and told the crowd to 'fight!' He was then whisked away in a car to a Pittsburgh-area hospital.

"Let me get my shoes," Trump said as he was escorted to the safe place.

The shooting, which left one spectator dead and two others critically injured, is

**"Everybody must condemn the suspected assassination attempt. We cannot allow this to be happening. The idea that there's violence in America like this is just unheard of"**  
— Joe Biden, US President

**"It was God alone who prevented the unthinkable from happening. I will remain 'resilient'. Our love goes out to the other victims and their families"**  
— Donald Trump, Republican presidential candidate on social media

**"There is absolutely no place for political violence in our democracy. Although we don't yet know exactly what happened, we should all be relieved that former President Trump wasn't seriously hurt, and use this moment to recommit ourselves to civility and respect in our politics"**  
— Barack Obama, former US President

being investigated as an attempted assassination. The attacker was also shot dead.

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## REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATES BLAME BIDEN'S 'RHETORIC' FOR ATTACK

**AGENCIES:** JD Vance, the potential running mate of former US President Donald Trump, has blamed President Joe Biden's 'rhetoric' for the attack on the business tycoon-turned-politician. Vance said the Biden campaign has projected Donald Trump as an 'authoritarian fascist' who must be stopped at all costs, leading to the attack.

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## THERE WERE TWO BURSTS OF FIRE - FIRST THREE SHOTS, AND THEN FIVE: EYEWITNESS ACCOUNT

**AGENCIES:** New York Times reporter Simon Levien, an eyewitness to the shooting said, "Trump had just started to talk about immigration in his stump speech when several shots rang out from the bleachers to his right. Everyone immediately ducked — myself included." He wrote: "There were two bursts of fire — first three shots, and then five."

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## 20-YEAR-OLD SHOOTER WAS A REGISTERED REPUBLICAN

► Twenty-year-old Thomas Mathew Crooks, the shooter behind the assassination bid on Donald Trump was a registered Republican who would have voted for the first time in the presidential election in November

► Was shot dead by the Secret Service personnel, after firing a volley of shots at Trump from an 'elevated position outside of the rally venue'

► Federal Election Commission records show he gave USD 15 to a Democratic-aligned political action committee called the Progressive Turnout Project in Jan 2021

## 'COREY DIED A HERO': GUV SHAPIRO REMEMBERS FORMER FIRE CHIEF KILLED AT TRUMP RALLY

**AGENCIES:** Governor Josh Shapiro said Corey Comperatore, the man who was killed during an assassination attempt on the life of former President Donald Trump on Saturday, died a hero during a press event on Sunday.

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# Organisers have sought permission to hold Sunburn, govt will think over it: CM

**Opposition condemns Chief Minister justifying Sunburn; says it has gradually degraded Goa's cultural and traditional values**

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**PANJIM:** Chief Minister Pramod Sawant on Sunday said that the Sunburn organisers have sought permission from the government to conduct the Electronic Dance Music (EDM) festival at a certain site.

## SUNBURN HANKY-PANKY ISSUE

Speaking to mediapersons on the sidelines of a programme, he said, "Sunburn is a private festival. I do not know why the Opposition is blaming the government for the private festival. This time they have announced to hold it in

## OPPN ASKS: WILL CM DARE REGISTER FIR AGAINST ORGANISERS?

**MARGAO:** In view of the fact that the advertisement appeal for pre-sale tickets has been posted on the official verified 'X' handle of the Sunburn Festival, Leader of Opposition (LoP) Yuri Alemas questioned whether Chief Minister Pramod Sawant would dare to register an FIR against the organisers for issuing advertisements without the State government's approval or if he is complicit in what Alemas termed as 'match-fixing'.

He said, "After converting North Goa into a hub of drugs and crime, the BJP govt, under CM and Tourism Minister Rohan Khaunte, is now turning its evil eye on South Goa."

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South Goa and have sought permission for the venue where they want to hold. The government will think over the request. They have applied for the permission."

Recently, the Sunburn organisers had announced on social media that they will hold the festival this year in South Goa. They have also started registration for pre-sale tickets

## SUNBURN IS A DRUGS FESTIVAL, NOT GOAN CULTURE: CAPT VIRIATO

**VASCO:** Stating that Sunburn EDM festival is a drugs festival and not Goan culture, South Goa MP Capt Viriato Fernandes appealed to all the political parties to unite in the fight against such events.

Speaking to reporters during a felicitation at Chicalim on Sunday, Capt Fernandes said that people from South Goa will have to wear boxing gloves now and that they will not allow South Goa to get spoiled. He said that "the people of North Goa gave a good fight to the Sunburn event last year, and now we all will give support to save the tiny State for the future generations".

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online on BookMyShow portal. Goa Congress president Amit Patkar posted on 'X': "We demand the @goacm @DrPramodPSawant must immediately file FIR against

the organiser @Sunburn-Festival for blatantly misusing and taking @GovtofGoa for granted."

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## SPAIN DRAW FIRST BLOOD



Spain's midfielder #17 Nico Williams celebrates after scoring his team's first goal during the UEFA Euro 2024 final football match against England at the Olympiastadion in Berlin

# Murder at Candolim, man found with his throat slit

**The deceased 69-year-old Arnaldo Soares, an OCI card holder residing in Canada, had returned to stay at his family house at Orda; the accused fled with the victim's car which was later recovered at the Sinquerim helipad; police say no valuables were stolen and are yet to nab the accused**

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**CALANGUTE:** In a shocking incident, a 69-year-old Arnaldo Soares, a resident of Orda, Candolim, was allegedly murdered by unknown assailants on the intervening night of Saturday-Sunday. His body was found with his throat slit on Sunday afternoon.

The accused allegedly fled with the deceased's car which was later found abandoned at the helipad in Sinquerim. Police said no valuables were stolen from the house. No arrests were made till late Sunday.

Top police officials rushed to the spot on Sunday afternoon.

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Police at the crime scene at Orda; (inset) the victim Arnaldo Soares

tigations, the assailants entered by removing some roof tiles of the traditional Goan house. A neighbour reported that at around 2.30am on Sunday, he heard some commotion from the part of the house occupied by the deceased. When they went to check, someone

from inside said there was nothing to worry about. The neighbour then went away. The assailants then left from the main door of the house and drove away with Soares' car which was found abandoned at the helipad at Sinquerim.

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sold most of their land.

Sources in the police said that they are looking into the case from all angles and checking out the CCTV footage of the car which was abandoned at Sinquerim.

## Assembly Monsoon session begins today; Oppn set to corner govt on various issues

**First three days will have discussion on budget; Fridays to be reserved for private reservations**

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**PANJIM:** The Opposition will try to corner the government on the various issues plaguing the State in the Monsoon Session of the Goa Legislative assembly which begins on Monday, July 15.

According to Legislative Assembly Speaker Ramesh Tawadkar, 648 starred questions and 1,942 unstarred questions have been tabled by members.

"The assembly will also pass a vote on account for the next six months during the session. MLAs are expected to raise issues of their respective constituencies and it is hoped that good discussions will take place on the floor of the House, centred

## ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED

Law and order, controversy related to demolition of a house at Assagao by using bouncers and role of police, transfer of outgoing DGP Jaspal Singh, Mhadei water diversion, PRAWAH Committee visiting Goa and Karnataka, shoddy work in the Kala Academy renovation, landslides along the highways, opposition to EDM, airlines shifting operations to Mopa from Dabolim, political reservation for STs, hike in power bills and shoddy Smart City works

around the development of the State," the Speaker said.

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