

Collector Sumit Kumar, MLA Jagan Mohan Attend PM-Kisan Fund Release

Chittoor, June 20 | TPN Bureau

The district-level programme for the release of the first installment of financial assistance under the Annadata Sukhibhava-PM Kisan Scheme for the 2026-27 financial year was held at the Zilla Parishad meeting hall in Chittoor on Saturday. The event was attended by Chittoor District Collector Sumit Kumar and Chittoor MLA Gurajala Jagan Mohan. The programme coincided with the state-level event at Linganguntla village in Palnadu district, where Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu credited financial assistance directly into the bank



accounts of farmers. Across Andhra Pradesh, 46.85 lakh farmer families received assistance amounting to ₹3,125 crore. Speaking on the occasion, Collector Sumit Kumar said the state government is giving top priority to farmer welfare and contin-

uously reviewing issues faced by farmers from cultivation to marketing. He noted that senior officials, ministers, and representatives from the Chief Minister's Office regularly monitor agricultural challenges and take prompt action to resolve them. He

added that schemes such as Annadata Sukhibhava-PM Kisan provide direct financial support and strengthen farmers economically. MLA Gurajala Jagan Mohan said the government believes that the prosperity of farmers is essential

for the development of the state and the nation. He stated that the direct transfer of funds helps farmers meet cultivation expenses and reduces financial stress. He also highlighted the government's support to mango growers through a subsidy of 24 per kilogram. Officials said that farmers in the Chittoor Assembly constituency received ₹7.469 crore under the first installment, benefiting 11,336 farmer families. The assistance included ₹5.668 crore under Annadata Sukhibhava and ₹1.801 crore under PM Kisan. Several public representatives, officials, farmer leaders, and farmers participated in the programme.

Prasanna Kumar Reddy should change his ways



Nellore, June 20 | TPN Bureau

Telugu Desam Party former State Secretary Chemukula Krishna Chaitanya strongly condemned the derogatory personal remarks made by former Kovur MLA Nallapur eddy Prasanna Kumar Reddy against Kovur MLA Vemireddy Prashanthi Reddy. Addressing a press conference at the VPR camp office, Chaitanya alleged that the former legislator had crossed political decorum with offensive language that demeans women. Chaitanya contrasted this behavior with the dignified public conduct of Prashanthi Reddy. He also criticized the previous YSRCP regime for fostering political intimidation, citing past incidents of violence and property damage. Highlighting regional progress, the leader claimed that development

works worth nearly ₹770 crore had been executed over the last two years under the current leadership. These projects spanned irrigation improvements, welfare activities, temple development, healthcare services, and the social initiatives of the VPR Foundation. Furthermore, Chaitanya challenged YSRCP district president Kakani Govardhan Reddy to a public debate regarding previous irregularities in gravel, sand, and infrastructure works, warning against further personal attacks.

The briefing concluded with strong support from local party representatives, who echoed the developmental vision shared by Kovur MLA Vemireddy Prashanthi Reddy. Nellore MP Vemireddy Prabhakar Reddy, and YSRCP district president Kakani Govardhan Reddy.

'Swachh Swarnamukhi' Movement Launched To Revive River

Srikalahasti, June 20 | TPN Bureau

Tejohbarat founding president and Srikalahasteshwara Swamy Devasthanam board member Kola Visali announced the launch of a public movement named 'Swachh Swarnamukhi' to preserve and revive the polluted Swarnamukhi river. She submitted a petition to Srikalahasti legislator Bojjala Venkatasudhir Reddy during an alliance meeting, seeking his support and leadership for the campaign. Visali highlighted that the river holds immense spiritual, cultural, and ecological significance, sustaining the famous Srikalahasteeshwara temple and the local Kalankari art. Expressing concern over waste disposal and encroachment, she explained that the initiative aligns with successful river restoration models like Namami Gange and Sabarmati Riverfront. The movement plans to document highly polluted zones,



conduct regular sanitation drives, plant local species in catchment areas, and establish waste collection facilities. It also aims to conduct wide-scale awareness campaigns across schools, colleges, and public places, building a large volunteer network under the slogan "Nature Seva - Samaj Seva" to ensure a clean river for future generations.

The presentation program saw active participation from various regional leaders, including Tirupati TUDA Chairman Dollar Diwakar Reddy, BJP Coordinator Kola Anand Kumar, and Srikalahasti Legislator Bojjala Venkatasudhir Reddy.

Kola Anand's Birthday Celebrated In Srikalahasti



Srikalahasti, June 20 | TPN Bureau

Jana Sena leader Kuppala Venkatesh met BJP state vice-president Kola Anand on Saturday to convey his heartfelt birthday greetings. To mark the occasion, Dummu Royal hosted a celebratory event where he warmly felicitated Kola Anand with a traditional shawl and presented him with a bouquet of flowers. Following the felicitation, Dummu Royal participated in a poor feeding and food distribution

program, where he personally served meals to the public. Commending Kola Anand's continuous public service, which transcends caste and creed, the organizers wished him immense prosperity, good health, and greater leadership positions in the future. The event concluded successfully, reflecting strong political camaraderie within the alliance, with numerous local leaders and grassroots activists taking part in the birthday celebrations.

District Collector Calls For Plastic-Free Villages In Anantapur

Ananthapuram, June 20 | TPN Bureau

District Collector O. Anand participated in the "Swachh Andhra - Golden Andhra" program held at Prasannayanapalli village, focusing on the theme "Plastic-free society and Operation Clean Sweep." During his visit, he inspected the local Wealth-from-Garbage Manufacturing Center and directed officials to sell the produced vermicompost to local farmers. The Collector led an awareness rally with



women, planted saplings at the Secretariat, and announced a district-wide initiative to plant 200 saplings per gram panchayat. Addressing a public meeting, he urged self-help group women to

lead the eradication of plastic, prompting residents to pledge to eliminate its use within two months. He also released promotional posters and distributed saplings to attendees.

MLA Paritala Sunitha Warns Anganwadi Staff Against Mismanagement

Anantapur, June 20 | TPN Bureau

MLA Paritala Sunitha warned of strict action against any mismanagement of Anganwadi centers during her inspection of two facilities in Kakkalapalli Colony. Assessing the kitchen, sanitation, and food quality, she actively participated in the Graduation Day event, distributed certificates, and shared a meal with the children. Addressing regional infrastructure gaps, she immediately ordered the construction of a 210 lakh compound wall to secure the



combined premises of the centers, village secretariat, health clinic, and sanitary complex. Later, the legislator hosted a public darbar at her camp office to address grievance petitions concerning land disputes, pensions, agricultural equipment, and employment. She directed

mandal officials and department engineers to resolve all public issues within a stipulated timeframe, emphasizing that citizens should not face unnecessary institutional delays. The administration concluded the oversight program under the guidance of MLA Paritala Sunitha.

MLA Gouri Charitreddy Launches Harithandhra Sapling Drive

Kurnool, June 20 | TPN Bureau

Panyam MLA Gouri Charitreddy and Municipal Corporation Commissioner Challa Obulesu led the Harithandhra environmental protection initiative at Nagireddy Colony Park. During the program, fruit saplings were distributed to pedestrians to promote local green cover. The MLA urged citizens to plant a tree in honor of their mothers, aligning with the national "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" campaign. The Commissioner announced



needed a comprehensive plan to transform the city into a green hub, initiating the distribution of 8,000 plants in the first phase. Following the launch, the leaders actively participated in the Swachh Andhra - Swachh Andhra cleanliness drive by

sweeping public roads and shifting collected garbage into municipal disposal vehicles. The program concluded with extensive monitoring by municipal officials, including SE Ramanamurthy, ME Manohar Reddy, and DEE Krishnalatha.

Fines To Be Imposed For Littering In Kurnool

Kurnool, June 20 | TPN Bureau

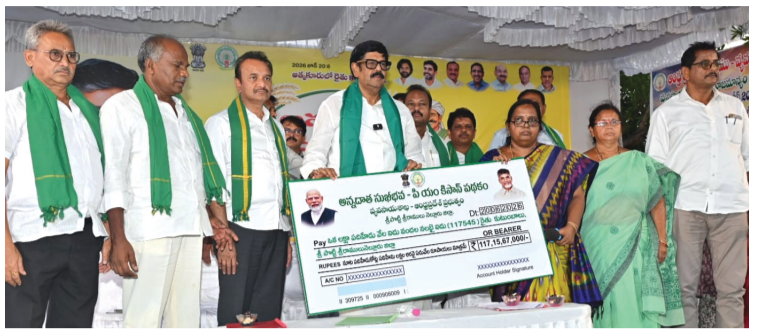
District Collector and Municipal Special Officer A. Siri declared that urban cleanliness relies on public cooperation and warned that fines will be levied on individuals littering streets. Participating in the Swachh Andhra program at the Collector rate premises alongside Municipal Commissioner Challa Obulesu, she led employees and citizens in taking a cleanliness pledge. The Collector highlighted that the four-week 'Operation Clean Sweep' initiative must become a continuous process. She



emphasized the mandatory segregation of wet, dry, harmful, and hazardous waste before handing it over to municipal garbage collection vehicles. The Commissioner noted that the multi-phase campaign successfully cleared roads, canals, markets, and public toilets. He urged residents to consis-

tently support sanitation workers to maintain the city's hygiene standards. The comprehensive waste management program concluded with active monitoring by Deputy Commissioner Satish Kumar Reddy, Public Health Officer M. Raghu, and Sanitary Supervisor Ramesh Babu.

Anam Ramanarayana Reddy Highlights Government's Commitment to Farmers



Atmakur, June 20 | TPN Bureau

Endowments Minister *Anam Ramanarayana Reddy* reaffirmed the coalition government's commitment to farmer welfare, stating that it is fulfilling its election promises despite financial challenges. He made the remarks while participating in the release of the first installment of *Annadata Sukhibhava-PM Kisan* assistance for the 2026-27 financial year at an agricultural field near Vasili village in Atmakur mandal. The minister interacted with farmers and reviewed their concerns before joining them in watching the state-level fund release programme led by Chief Minister *N. Chandrababu Naidu* from Linganguntla in Palnadu district. Prime Minister *Narendra Modi* and the Chief Minister addressed farmers through live broadcasts displayed on LED screens. Speaking on the occasion, Anam said the government had deposited ₹7,000* into the accounts of eligible farmers under the first installment, including ₹75,000 under Annadata Sukhibhava* and ₹2,000 under PM Kisan. Across Andhra Pradesh, more than ₹46.85 lakh farmers* received benefits worth ₹3,125 crore*. In Nellore district, ₹1,77,545 farmers* received ₹117.16 crore, while ₹34,223 farmers* in the Atmakur constituency benefited from ₹22.84 crore*. The minister urged farmers to embrace modern agricultural technologies, increase the use of organic farming practices, and diversify into horticulture and commercial crops. He also encouraged the cultivation of agarwood as an intercrop, citing its strong international demand and income potential. Anam said the government's two years in office reflect its commitment to trust, development, and welfare, and assured continued support for the farming community in the years ahead.

Andhra Pradesh Disburses RS.3,125 Crore Under Annadata Sukhibhav - PM Kisan Scheme

Atmakur, June 20 | TPN Bureau

The Andhra Pradesh government launched the first phase of the 2026-2027 Annadata Sukhibhav - PM Kisan funds release program, with Chief Minister Nara Chandrababu Naidu depositing ₹3,125 crore into the bank accounts of 46,85,838 farmers across the state. Each beneficiary received a total of ₹7,000, combining 5,000 from the Annadata Sukhibhav scheme and ₹2,000 from the PM Kisan fund. In the Nellore district, 1,77,545 farmers benefited from a total allocation of ₹117.16 crore, with ₹22.84 crore distributed to 34,223 farmers within the Atmakur constituency area. State Endowments Minister Anam Ramanarayana Reddy led the distribution in Vasili village, Sangam



Mandal, where he interacted directly with local farmers in an open agricultural field to discuss their welfare. The local gathering watched the main event virtually, which included addresses by Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Chief Minister Nara Chandrababu Naidu. The event concluded successfully with local leaders and farmers celebrating the timely financial assistance.

120 YSRCP Leaders and Activists Join TDP in Sullurpet

Doravarisatram, June 20 | TPN Bureau

In a significant political shift, approximately 120 leaders, activists, and youth from the YSR Congress Party officially joined the Telugu Desam Party in Doravarisatram mandal. The mass defection was driven by widespread admiration for the public welfare and development initiatives launched by the ruling alliance government. Welcoming the new members into the party fold by covering them with traditional party scarves, Sullurpet MLA Nelavala Vijayasri stated that citizens are voluntarily aligning with the party due to its transparent governance and developmental vision. She added that she would work with greater responsibility to maintain the public's trust and collaborate closely with every grassroots worker for the overall development of the Sullurpet con-



stituency. She further assured all newcomers that every dedicated party worker would receive due respect, recognition, and support within the party structure. The event witnessed a massive gathering of alliance leaders, public representatives, party cadres, and local supporters. The political transition highlights the growing public support for the governance of Chief Minister Nara Chandrababu Naidu, Deputy Chief Minister Pawan Kalyan, and Sullurpet MLA Nelavala Vijayasri.

RS.17.83 Crore Disbursed to Sullurpet Farmers Under Annadata Sukhibhav - PM Kisan



Doravarisatram, June 20 | TPN Bureau

The coalition government launched the first phase of the "Annadata Sukhibhav - PM Kisan" scheme at the Doravarisatram MPDO office. Sullurpet MLA Nelavala Vijayasri attended the event and virtually watched the central launch program alongside local beneficiaries. Speaking on the occasion, the legislator emphasized that farmer welfare remains the top priority of the ruling alliance. The state and central governments are executing this joint initiative in total coordination to make agriculture

profitable and strengthen the financial condition of farming households. Under this phase, each eligible farmer receives ₹7,000 directly into their bank accounts, combining ₹5,000 from the Andhra Pradesh government and ₹2,000 from the central PM-Kisan fund. A total financial assistance of ₹17.83 crore will benefit 26,563 eligible farmers across the Sullurpet constituency, significantly easing their cultivation expenses. The program concluded with interactions between local leaders, agricultural officials, and the beneficiary farming community.