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March 20

- Cyclone winds and floods that swept across southeastern Africa affected more than 2.6 million people and this would be one of the worst weather-related disasters recorded in the southern hemisphere.
- GATE 2019 Score Card is releasing today @gate.iitm.ac.in
- Mindtree's founders came together before the media to describe L&T's move as a grave threat to a "unique" organization and value-destructive for all shareholders.
- Sourav Ganguly said IPL will decide India's No.4 for the world cup. He commented on Kohli's position saying that Kohli can play at any position and will score runs. But I prefer NO.3 for him.
- Nitin Gadkari says "I am sure that the work done under PM Narendra Modi will result in a full majority," He also said No '220 club' in BJP hoping to replace PM Narendra Modi.
- Over 10kg e-waste has been collected by 8,000 students of 40 schools in Bengaluru over the past four months, as a part of an e-waste management drive.
- Chief Minister HD Kumaraswamy on Tuesday assured representatives of various citizen groups, who are demanding cancellation of the controversial elevated corridor project tender that the government won't move ahead with the plan without holding public consultations.

March 21

- Warner Bros. chief Kevin Tsujihara, one of the highest ranking Hollywood executives to be felled by sexual misconduct allegations, stepped down from the studio on Monday following claims that he promised roles to an actress with whom he was having an affair.
- Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) is offering college guides for students that helps students to make right choices in selecting specific courses and colleges.
- Indian Spinner Kuldeep Yadav says Mahendra Singh Dhoni's understanding of match situations beats that of the bowlers and the former captain's presence behind the stumps makes his job easy.
- According to statistics issued by the US Department of State, 585 such conditional green cards were issued to Indians during the 12-month period ending September 2018, as against 174 in fiscal 2017.
- Rescue personnel on Wednesday pulled out five more bodies from the debris of the collapsed four-storey building in Dharwad, taking the toll to seven. Officials said at least 30 people, including 12 girls who were at a cyber cafe in the eastern part of the building, are still trapped in the rubble.
- Bengalureans may face the toughest-ever summer this year, at least on the water front: around 618 bore wells dug by the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) in core areas have dried up over the last four years.
- Karnataka Government sets ball rolling to get air taxis in Bengaluru. The Silicon may soon be the country's first city to have air-taxis if everything goes according to the state government's plan.

March 25

- The Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) will launch an advanced 436 kg electronic intelligence satellite EMISAT, developed by Defense Research and Development Organization (DRDO), on April 1 that will be used to sniff out enemy radars and for collecting imagery and communication intelligence.
- IPL 2019: Russell leads KKR to dramatic win against SRH. Catch the Match 4 today at 8:00 PM IST of RR vs KXIP.
- RTE reimbursement delay hinders audit at schools. Private schools associations say that government has to give schools over Rs 600 crore for implementation of RTE.
- Around 124 class XII students from vocational streams have been selected by different companies in the first-ever job fair organized for students by the UT education department.
- Karnataka transport department set to revoke Ola ban today. The Karnataka government on Sunday decided to withdraw its order suspending the license of cab aggregator Ola for six months.
- Donald Trump reacted to the release of Muller chief findings with a mix of celebration, personal grievance and calls for political retribution.
- Italy's participation in China's giant "Silk Road" infrastructure project sparked an outcry in Germany on Sunday, including a call for the European Union to block such deals with a veto.

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March 26

- In a bid to outdo the Modi government's populist outreach through its welfare schemes, Congress pledged that if voted to office, it would provide Rs 6,000 a month to 20% of India's poorest households, the bill for which is expected to add up to Rs 3.6 lakh crore.
- The menace of garbage burning has claimed the life of a three-year old girl, who succumbed to the burns she suffered after accidentally falling into a pile of branches set ablaze in police quarters, Shivajinagar.
- In a late-night development, the BJP on Monday decided to field L S Tejasvi Surya, a nephew of Basavanagudi MLA Ravi Subramanya, from Bengaluru South constituency.
- Money kept for a kidney transplantation surgery was stolen from the home of Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO) scientist on March 16. The 40-year old Nagamaheshwar, suspects his house maids of stealing Rs 6,20,000 which was kept in his cupboard.
- Soon the lights in the Cubbon Park will automatically brighten or dim based on the movement of people in the park, the time of the day and the season, thanks to the over 800 smart LED lights fitted with motion sensors and environmental sensors currently being installed there.

- Pentagon Chief said that the US department of Defense shifted \$1 billion to plan and build a 57-mile section of “Pedestrian fencing”, roads and lighting along the border between the US and Mexico.

March 27

- Amid rumblings over ticket denials, BJP names 43 more nominees for Lok Sabha polls.
- MS Dhoni remained associated with the Amrapali group for around six years but parted ways in 2016 after duped homebuyers launched a social media campaign against the cricketer for promoting the company.
- Kempegowda International Airport (KIA) will soon use drones for aerial site photography to monitor the progress of ongoing construction projects.
- A women from West Bengal aged 26 and a mother of two children, battled severe breathing as she was weighing only 24 kg. She suffered rapid weight loss and was diagnosed with tuberculosis at Bhagawan Mahaveer Jain Hospital (BMJH) in Girinagar.
- Afghanistan has recalled its ambassador from Pakistan over reported remarks by Pakistan PM Imran Khan that suggested Kabul should set up an interim government, calling the comments “irresponsible”.
- Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan Admission list 2019-20 for class 1 released.

- IPL 2019: Chennai Super Kings beat Delhi Daredevils by six wickets. Catch KKR vs KXIP live IPL Match today at 20:00 IST
- US Survey: 55% Indians happy with things going in country, public satisfaction level dips 15 points
- Actor turned politician Jaya Pradha joins BJP

March 28

- Class XII students of the same school in Dehradun allegedly tortured a boy, beat him in classroom and buried him in the school campus because they blamed him for stealing a packet of biscuit while the students were on an outing.
- Holi Celebration by a group of young people in Vyalikaval, Bengaluru turned violent when a couple, who was a part of the group, chased and attacked a businessman and a woman in a car when the latter honked at them to clear the road.
- 14 people, including 4 women, sustained injuries when a BMTC bus toppled on West of Chord Road in Rajajinagar 1st Block on Wednesday morning. The driver said that he was trying to avoid ramming a biker when the accident occurred.
- Andre Russell's blistering knock made all the difference as Kolkata beat Punjab for their second consecutive win.
- Within 24 hours of being controversially declared the BJP candidate from Bengaluru South constituency, 28-year-old Tejasvi Surya was forced to delete his old tweet, one that went

viral, about his dread at women getting 33% of the seats in the Lok Sabha.

- US sets up UN clash with China over bid to blacklist Jaish chief Masood Azhar
- EC has told the Supreme Court that electoral bonds will have serious repercussion on transparency of political funding.
- India test-fired the three-stage interceptor missile from the APJ Abdul Kalam Island off the Odisha coast at 11.10am. A little over an hour later, PM Narendra Modi announced the success of 'Mission Shakti' in a televised address to the nation.
- SSC, JHT, SHT, Junior Translator and many other vacancy list released.

March 29

- Mumbai boy Abdullah Khan (21) landed a job at Google's London office, for a package of Rs 1.2 crore.
- Jet Airways has started sending its pilots – most likely only the expats – on furloughs, or leaves without pay. Expat pilots cost nearly twice as much as their Indian counterparts as they have to be given accommodation and flight tickets to their home country every few weeks
- Mangalore operators offer free bus rides to those travelling to vote.

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- The move on Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation (BMRCL) to fix minimum balance in smartcards at Rs 50 is likely to increase top-up queues at Metro Counters.
- A fire stuck a high-rise office building in Bangladesh's capital on Thursday, killing 19 people and injuring about 70 others, officials said. It trapped many inside the building, with some shouting for help from windows on high floors or from the roof.
- US President Donald Trump will host his South Korean counterpart Moon Jae-in next month, Seoul said Friday, after the latest summit between Washington and Pyongyang ended in deadlock.
- Former Champions PV Sindhu and Kidambi Srikanth advanced to the quarter finals after easy wins but the highlight of the day was HS Prannoy's thrilling victory over Denmark's Jan Jorgensen on the third day of the India Open on Thursday.
- IPL 2019: MI beat RCB 6 runs. Catch today's SRH vs RR live at 08:00 IST.