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- Hon'ble Chief Minister Sri Naveen Patnaik expressed his warm wishes and compliments to the people of Odisha on the occasion of Mass Festival Raja. This festival implies our unique tradition which respects nature, earth and womanhood. Hon'ble Chief Minister has urged people to make the celebration special by observing it at home this time, adhering to COVID-19 guidelines.
- Hon'ble Chief Minister Sri Naveen Patnaik, today, in his message on the occasion of World Blood Donor Day said that Blood donation is the noblest act of humanity and biggest lifesaving gift one can offer to others. Saluting the regular blood donors, Hon'ble Chief Minister urged everyone to join in the noble cause to save lives.
- Odisha Government has targeted to generate 20 crore man-days under MGNREGS to provide livelihood for migrant workers who have recently returned to State. To achieve this, the State Government has targeted to take up digging of more than 1.3 lakh ponds.
- State Government has targeted to plant 15 Crore seedlings before August for massive afforestation in the State. So far 12 Crore seedlings have been planted. In order to make the plantation programme widespread and to protect the forest, plans have been prepared to form 1000 'Vana Sanrakhyana Samiti' (VSS).
- Odia brothers and sisters are returning to Odisha every day since 3rd May. 4968 Odia people have returned to Odisha today. So far 5,43,905 Odias have returned to Odisha.
- From 13th June morning to 14th June morning, 12 no of cases have been registered by the Police in the state for violation of different regulations and guidelines related to COVID-19 out of which 10 cases are for violation of lock down and 2 cases for violation of Home Quarantine. 41 persons have been arrested by police for different violations.

Health Update

- Up to midnight of 13th June, 2, 00,014 samples have been tested.
- Number of Positive Cases stands 3,909.
- 2,708 persons have already recovered/ discharged.
- No. of Death case 11.
- No of active cases are 1187.
- 1506 persons are in hospital isolation.

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"STAY HOME, STAY SAFE"