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Hon'ble Raksha Minister meeting with Ethiopian Defence Minister Dr Abreham Belay (PhD) on the sidelines of India-Africa Defence Dialogue in Gandhinagar (17 Oct 2022).

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Union Home Minister H.E. Shri Amit Shah meeting with H.E. Mr. Binalf Andualem, Ethiopian Minister of Peace in New Delhi (18 Nov 2022). They discussed bilateral, multilateral and regional issues of mutual interest.

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H.E. Shri Dammu Ravi, Secretary (Economic Relations) in Ministry of External Affairs visited Ethiopia (4 Oct) for consultations with the African Union and meeting with the Government of Ethiopia.

Secretary (ER) met with Deputy Chairperson of the African Union Commission to discuss India's engagement with African Union. The consultations covered issues related to India's cooperation with African Union including the possibility of holding of the next round of the India-Africa Forum Summit (IAFS). Both sides also exchanged views on regional and multilateral issues of mutual interest.

Secretary (ER) called on State Minister for Foreign Affairs Amb. Tesfaye Yilma to discuss various developments in India-Ethiopia bilateral relations, including political exchanges, development cooperation and capacity building.





The 4th Round of Foreign Office Consultations (FOCs) between India and Ethiopia was held in Addis Ababa on 03 October 2022. Both delegations reviewed the entire spectrum of bilateral relations during the Foreign Office Consultations. Issues discussed included political engagements, trade & economic matters, development partnership projects, cultural and consular matters, cooperation in higher education, people-to-people contacts, etc. It was also agreed to work to expand engagement in fields such as defence, S&T, education, agriculture and allied sectors and civil aviation. Both sides agreed to continue high level political exchanges and regular meetings of the joint institutional mechanisms to keep the relationship vibrant and mutually beneficial.



INDIA CULTURE DAY - UNITY DAY – DIWALI (29 Oct)



More than 700 Indian nationals and friends of India turned up at the Embassy of India premises in Addis Ababa. Children dressed in various traditional attires gave a glimpse of India's rich and diverse cultures. Traditional dances of the some of the states were performed. Indian and Bollywood songs were applauded. All guests sampled Indian cuisine from the stalls of 7 Indian restaurants. It was a memorable evening in Addis Ababa.

India stall at Diplomatic Charity Bazaar (10 Dec): Indian Women's Association took the lead in Indian participation at the Diplomatic Charity Bazaar.





As part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav / India@75 celebrations and 75 years of diplomatic relations between India and Ethiopia, Indian Council for Cultural Relations sponsored the visit of Kathak group led by Ms. Ritushri Chaudhuri (10-12 Oct). The group gave mesmerizing performances to a packed auditorium at Embassy of India premises and about 1200 people attended the performance at Bole Lemi. The group also held workshops at Nativity School and Indian International School. Thank you ICCR.



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Rashtriya Ekta Diwas and 147th Birth Anniversary of Sardar Patel - a pledge taking ceremony at the Embassy (31 Oct)
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As part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, 7th Ayurveda Day on the occasion of Dhanteras was celebrated on 23.10.2022 in the Embassy. Since 2016, every year Ministry of Ayush observes Ayurveda Day on Dhanwantari Jayanti which is the birth anniversary of Dhanwantari, who is regarded as the founder of Ayurveda. The theme of this year Ayurveda Day is "Har Din, Har Ghar Ayurveda".
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With a delegation from Oromia State University (6 Oct 2022)
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With Dr. Ubah Adem, President of Dire Dawa University (2 Dec 2022)
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With Dr. Boku Tache Dida, President of Borana University (13 Dec 2022)
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ICCR sponsored the visit of a Lavani group to Ethiopia (26-29 Nov). The group gave performances in Addis Ababa, Adama and Ambo. They also conducted workshops/lec-dem in two schools in Addis Ababa and two schools in Adama.



ICCR sponsored the visit of A-Z dance group to Ethiopia. The group gave performances in Addis Ababa and Bishoftu and conducted workshops in schools Addis Ababa, Adami Tullu and Zway (8-10 Nov).



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ITEC Day at Arbaminch (22 Dec 2022)
Under Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC), India provides 406 short term training programmes to Ethiopian nationals every year. These are fully funded by Government of India.
Ethiopian sisters and brothers can upgrade their skills by attending these short term training programmes. Since 1989, more than 3600 Ethiopian friends have availed these training programmes.
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Delighted to meet President of Raya University (21 Dec 2022)
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ITEC Day at Wolaita Sodo University (23 Dec 2022)
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Thank you Prof. Takole Tadesse, President of Wolaita Sodo University for joining us in the celebrations.
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Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated at Embassy of India premises with garlanding of Gandhiji's bust and singing of Gandhiji's favorite bhajans. Children enacted a skit on the life of Mahatma Gandhi.



India Cup (volleyball) tournament witnessed 8 teams competing. Competitive matches and celebration of our solidarity.

On the occasion of the International Day of the Girl Child, we were delighted to receive Ms. Yordanos Zerhun, a student from Addis Ababa University. Ms. Yordanos interacted with all of us at the embassy. She led us into discussions about the importance of giving opportunities to the girl child. We briefed her about the various initiatives of the Government of India for the girl child.

Ms. Yordanos Zerhun also interacted with Indian Women's Association. Ms. Yordanos is very passionate about providing opportunities to the girl child and we wish her the very best in her future endeavor. Thank you Plan International for collaborating with us in observing the International Day of the Girl Child.

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Janmeda Police Station renovation - Embassy of India in Addis Ababa had participated in the renovation project of Janmeda Police Station. Shri Amrendra Jha, ASO represented the Embassy at the completion function of the renovation project. Also, Embassy of India had recently conducted a free medical and eye check-up camp. A number of police personnel from Janmeda Police Station had benefited from this medical camp.

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Ambassador was delighted to attend the graduation ceremony at St John Baptist Dela Salle School in Addis Ababa (20 Nov 2022).

We are grateful to St John Baptist Dela Salle School for hosting the visit of the spouse of the then Prime Minister of India in 2011. Also, Embassy of India had donated some books for the school's library.

Education is an important component in India-Ethiopia relations and the Indian Embassy intends to continue collaborating with the school.

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INDIA PAVILION at Africa Sourcing Fashion Week in Addis Ababa (4 Nov)

The Synthetic and Rayon Textiles Export Promotion Council, 11 Indian companies and 2 Indian companies based in Ethiopia participated at the Africa Sourcing Fashion Week. Ethiopian Minister of Industry H.E. Mr. Melaku Alebel and Minister of Tourism H.E. Nasise Chall inaugurated the India Pavilion. On the sidelines, a Roadshow on Source India to be held in Mumbai was held at the Embassy.



Webinar – The Harambee Factor: India-Africa Economic and Development Partnership (14 Oct)

The webinar lasted for more than 90 minutes. Amb Gurjit Singh shared his experiences of Ethiopia and gave his insights on the way forward regarding expansion of economic and development partnership between India and Africa in general and India and Ethiopia in particular. State Minister for Industry, Ambassador of Ethiopia to India, and Commissioner of Ethiopian Investment Commission spoke of the favorable investment climate and opportunities in Ethiopia.

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Indian Film Afternoon (18 Dec 2022)
About 80 young film enthusiasts joined us... See more



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Embassy hosted young Rotaractors for their Zumba session to raise contribution for cancer support (13 Nov).
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Navratri with Indian community in Addis Ababa.. feels like home



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Embassy gifted Harmonium and Tabla set to Hindu Mahajan. The community of about 60 families have made Ethiopia their home for the last 3-5 generations. Thank you #ICCR for the musical instruments.
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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ethiopia
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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia has learned with sadness that many people lost their lives and were wounded due to the collapse of a bridge in the Gujarat State of India yesterday (October 30).

The Ministry expresses heartfelt condolences to the People and Government of India and to the families of those who lost their lives and wishes a speedy recovery to those injured in the tragic incident.



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Shri Ranjeet Kumar, Second Secretary (Pol, AU and PIC) and Smt Sarvjit Puri, Attaché (PIC) along with 7 Ethiopian candidates who will be attending short term training courses in India. Every year, about 400 Ethiopian nationals attend short term training courses in India under Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC).

ITEC courses are fully funded by Government of India. Ethiopian nationals who are interested in attending ITEC courses can write to us at itec.addisababa@mea.gov.in

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To commemorate Veer Baal Diwas, a film on the life and sacrifices of Sahibzades was screened in the Embassy.

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Congratulations - Ethiopian Chala Regasa wins Vedanta Delhi Half Marathon 2022

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Students from Defence Engineering College and Infolink University participated at the UNESCO-India-Africa Hackathon in Noida (23-25 Nov). More than 600 students from 22 countries in Africa participated in the event

Free Yoga Sessions at Embassy (every Saturday at 5-6 PM) and Indian Spice restaurant (every Sunday at 9-10 AM)

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Yoga session at Indian Spice restaurant (4 Dec 2022). Free yoga class every Sunday at Indian Spice restaurant at 9-10 AM.

For registration, please send your name and contact details at amboffice.addisababa@mea.gov.in

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