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## NATIONAL NEWS

- The Government of India has constructed Girls' Hostel for **Nepal Armed Police Force (APF)** School in **Kirtipur, Kathmandu**. The hostel building built with Indian assistance was formally handed over to the school by Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of India, Dr. Ajay Kumar.
  - The project was implemented by Nepal Armed Police Force (APF).
  - **Related Keys**
    - Nepal Armed Police Force Founded: 24 October 2001
    - Nepal Armed Police Force Headquarters location: Kathmandu, Nepal
    - It has over 21% of girls students.

## INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- Eight West African countries have agreed to change the name of their common currency to Eco and severed their earlier currency **CFA Franc's** links to **former colonial ruler France**.
  - Benin, Burkina Faso, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Mali, Niger, Senegal and Togo currently use the currency.
  - **Related Keys**
    - The CFA designation is designed to demonstrate a strong foundation in advanced investment analysis and portfolio management, accompanied with a strict emphasis in ethical practice.

## APPOINTMENTS

- **Indian-American Dr Monisha Ghosh** has been appointed as the first **woman Chief Technology Officer** at the US government's powerful FCC (Federal Communications Commission).

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- She will advise Indian-American Chairman of the FCC Ajit Pai and the agency on technology and engineering issues. Dr Ghosh will take charge on January 13.
- **Related Keys**
  - Federal Communications Commission Founder: Franklin D. Roosevelt.
  - Federal Communications Commission Founded: 19 June 1934

## SPORTS

- **Saikhom Mirabai Chanu** (24), the Former world champion weightlifter **won the women's 49kg** category gold medal to open India's account at 6th Qatar International Cup being held in Doha.
  - Chanu lifted 83kg in snatch and 111kg in clean and jerk to finish on top of podium.
  - **Related Keys**
    - Chanu who is also a 2018 Commonwealth Games (CWG) gold-medallist.
    - The 24-year-old from Manipur, bagged gold with an effort of 194kg in Olympic qualifying event.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

- **India celebrates National Farmers Day** on **23rd December** to commemorate the birth anniversary of the 5th Prime Minister of India, Choudhary Charan Singh. He was a farmer's leader and he had introduced many policies to improve the lives of the Indian farmers.
  - **Related Keys**
    - Choudhary Charan Singh served as the Prime Minister of India between 28 July 1979 and 14 January 1980.
    - His memorial in New Delhi is named as Kisan Ghat.

## WORDS OF THE DAY

- **Narcissist** - someone who is excessively self-centered
  - Similar Words - self-involved , conceited.
  - Antonyms - modesty , shyness
  
- **Neologism** - a newly coined word or expression.
  - Similar Words - new term , coinage
  - Antonyms - time-worn

  
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