



BREAKING NEWS

TURKEY EARTHQUAKE LIVE: 360 DEAD AS 7.9 QUAKE ROCKS TURKEY, SYRIA; RESCUE OPS ON



Turkey Earthquake LIVE updates: Turkey's Disaster and Emergency Management Agency was centred in the town of Pazarcik, in Kahramanmaraş province.

Turkey Earthquake LIVE updates: A 7.8 magnitude earthquake shook Turkey followed by another strong quake which was felt in several provinces in the region, knocking down a number of buildings, reports said.

In Photos: At least 360 killed after 7.9 magnitudes powerful quake hits Turkey, Syria

The US Geological Survey said the quake was centred about 33 kilometres (20 miles) from Gaziantep about 26 kilometres (16 miles) from the town of Nurdagi. It was centred 18 kilometres (11 miles) deep, according to the US Geological Survey.

Impact of the earthquake in Aleppo, Hama :

Buildings were reported collapsed in a cross-border swath extending from Syria's cities of Aleppo and Hama to Turkey's Diyarbakir, more than 330 kilometers (200 miles) to the northeast.

PM Modi 'anguished' over Turkey earthquake, condoles loss of life :

Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Monday condoled the loss of life in the massive earthquake that rattled Turkey and nearby areas and claimed more than 100 lives.

Deeply anguished over the loss of lives and property in Turkey, the Prime Minister said that India stands in solidarity with Turkey in this tough time.

"Anguished by the loss of lives and damage of property due to the Earthquake in Turkey. Condolences to the bereaved families. May the injured recover soon. India stands in solidarity with the people of Turkey and is ready to offer all possible assistance to cope with this tragedy," PM Modi tweeted.

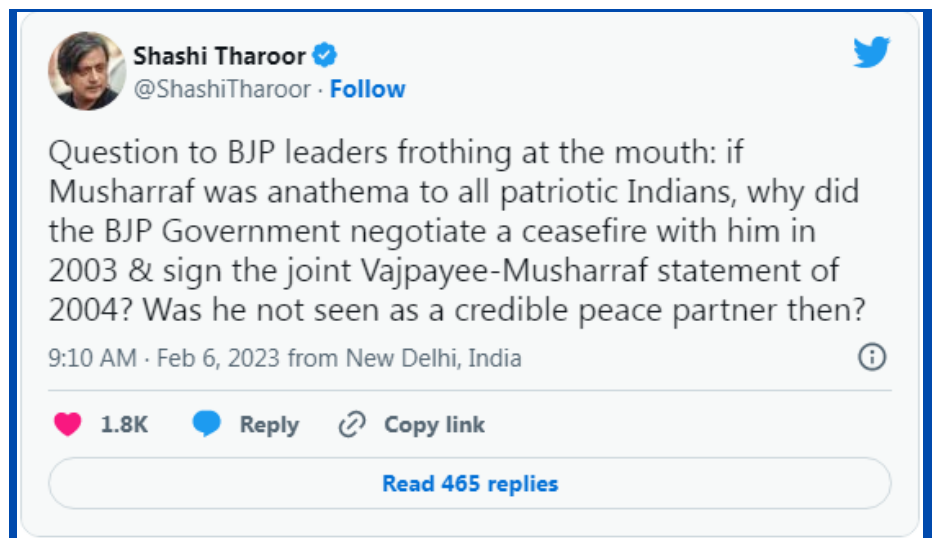
SHASHI THAROOR HITS BACK AT BJP OVER PERVEZ MUSHARRAF TWEET, ASKS THIS :

New Delhi: Under fire from the ruling Bharatiya Janata Party for calling former Pakistan President and chief of Army staff Pervez Musharraf, who died on Sunday, "a real force for peace", senior Congress leader Shashi Tharoor today hit back at the BJP. He questioned why the earlier BJP government under Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee negotiated a ceasefire with Mr. Musharraf.

"Question to BJP leaders frothing at the mouth: if Musharraf was anathema to all patriotic Indians, why did the BJP Government negotiate a ceasefire with him in 2003 & sign the joint Vajpayee-Musharraf statement of 2004? Was he not seen as a credible peace partner then?" Mr. Tharoor tweeted on Sunday.

Countering sharp criticism from top BJP leaders for his condolence message, Shashi Tharoor had earlier said he was "raised in an India where you are expected to speak kindly of people when they die".

"I was raised in an India where you are expected to speak kindly of people when they die. Musharraf was an implacable enemy and was responsible for Kargil but he did work for peace w/India, in his own interest, 2002-7. He was no friend but he saw strategic benefit in peace, as did we," Mr Tharoor had said.



MAHARASHTRA: MAN FOUND ALIVE AFTER FAMILY BURIES 'BODY' IN PALGHAR

Efforts are now on to identify the deceased buried by the family, a police official said



A 60-year-old auto-rickshaw driver, presumed dead by his family and buried, has been found alive in Maharashtra's Palghar district, police said on Monday.

The driver was on Sunday found staying at a destitute home here and a video clip of his chat with a friend went viral on social media.

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On January 29, an unidentified man was killed after being run over by a train while crossing a track between Boisar and Palghar stations.

The Government Railway Police (GRP) in Palghar circulated the deceased's pictures on social media.

A man from Palghar approached the GRP and claimed the deceased was his brother Rafique Shaikh, who went missing two months back for which the family had also lodged a police complaint, GRP Inspector Naresh Randhir said.

After this claim, the Palghar GRP contacted the "dead" man's wife who was in Kerala. She came to Palghar and also identified the body following which it was handed over to the family, the official said.

The family members buried the body a couple of days back, he said.

On Sunday, a friend of Shaikh was shocked when he casually called the latter on his phone and he responded. The two had a video chat and Shaikh informed his friend that he was fine, the official said.

The chat clip has gone viral on social media platforms.

DELHI MAYOR POLLS LIVE UPDATES: MCD HOUSE ADJOURNED WITHOUT ELECTING MAYOR FOR THIRD TIME IN A MONTH

Delhi News Live Updates: A ruckus erupted over the nominated members being allowed to vote in the election to the post. 'Elections cannot be held in such an atmosphere. The house is adjourned until the next date,' said presiding officer Satya Sharma.

The Municipal Corporation of Delhi House adjourned without electing a mayor for the third time in a month on Monday. A ruckus erupted over the nominated members being allowed to vote in the election to the post. 'Elections cannot be held in such an atmosphere.'

GRAMMY AWARD 2023: INDIAN MUSIC COMPOSER RICKY KEJ WINS THIRD GRAMMY FOR 'DIVINE TIDES'

Music composer Ricky Kej, based out of Bengaluru, has won his third Grammy Award for the album 'Divine Tides'. The US-born musician shared the award with Stewart Copeland, the drummer of the iconic British rock band The Police, who collaborated with Kej on the album.

At the 65th Annual Grammy Awards, the duo earned the gramophone trophy in the best immersive audio album winner category. They had won a Grammy in the best new age album category for the same album last year.

PATHAAN BOX OFFICE: SHAH RUKH KHAN BEATS AAMIR KHAN IN STAR RANKING TO CONQUER THE 4TH POSITION!



Shah Rukh Khan has surpassed Aamir Khan with Pathaan crossing 400 crores at the Indian box office. Read on!

It's been a dream come true for all die-hard Shah Rukh Khan fans as Pathaan has been simply unstoppable at the worldwide box office. After a rough phase of so many years, the superstar and his fans were eagerly waiting for a monster success that's worth celebrating. Now, with the latest YRF actioner, things have changed drastically. In Koimoi's Star Ranking too, SRK has surpassed the points of Aamir Khan. Keep reading to know more!

For the unversed, in koimoi's Star Power Index aka Star Ranking, actors are allotted points based on their films in the coveted box office clubs like the 100 crore club, 200 crore club, and many more. For example, 100 points are given for a film in the 100 crore club, and so on. 50 points each is given for a film in the top 10 overseas grosses. Now, with the Siddharth Anand directorial going past the 400 crore mark at the Indian box office (even with the Hindi version alone), SRK has been credited with 100 more points.

Shah Rukh Khan had a total of 1300 points till now but with Pathaan crossing 400 crores at the Indian box office, 100 more points have now been added to his credit (by adding 400 points in the column of '400 crores film' points). In overseas points, he has 100 points as his Dilwale and now this actioner holds a spot in the top 10 Hindi grosser in overseas.