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BUSINESS RECORDER

Experts urge parents to discourage their children from eating fast food

KARACHI: Pakistan is witnessing an alarming increase in the burden of heart and other diseases. The lack of lifestyle changes is contributing to the emergence of cardiovascular and other health conditions among younger generations. Parents have been urged to discourage the growing trend of fast food consumption among children.

Spot rate drops further Rs200 per maund

LAHORE: The Spot Rate Committee of the Karachi Cotton Association (KCA) on Saturday decreased the spot rate by Rs 2,00 per maund and closed it at Rs 17,800 per maund. Cotton Analyst told Business Recorder that the local cotton market remained bearish and the trading volume remained satisfactory.

DAWN NEWSPAPER

Tight monetary policy likely to continue

KARACHI: As the world continues to grapple with uncertain oil prices, the State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) is unlikely to meet its FY27 mid-term inflation target of 5-7 per cent, financial experts and analysts said.

Cotton production moderates amid heatwave concerns

LAHORE: A sharp mid-season deceleration in national cotton arrivals has raised serious concerns across the country's textile and ginning sectors. Early hopes for a bumper harvest have faded after a heatwave caused the cotton bolls to open prematurely.

THE NEWS INTERNATIONAL

Cotton arrivals plateau as fortnightly flow falls 21pc

LAHORE: Cotton arrivals have stalled following an initial surge with the biweekly inflow decreases by 21 per cent as the national cotton sector's recovery has decelerated. According to the Pakistan Cotton Ginners Association (PCGA) consolidated report dated September 30, 2026,

Gold prices drop Rs4,300 per tola

KARACHI: Gold prices decreased by Rs4,300 per tola in the local market on Saturday following a decline in the international market. The All Pakistan Sarafa Gems and Jewellers Association stated that 24-karat gold rates reached Rs436,336 per tola.

Weekly inflation rises 0.21pc

ISLAMABAD: The Sensitive Price Indicator (SPI)-based weekly inflation increased by 0.21 per cent during the week ended on October 1, for the combined consumption group, the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics (PBS) reported on Friday.

TRIBUNE NEWSPAPER

Govt sets bold DISCO sale deadline

ISLAMABAD:

Pakistan has given an ambitious deadline of December next year to sell its nine power distribution companies that are annually bleeding Rs700 billion, but the International Monetary Fund (IMF) has questioned the model that does not completely stop haemorrhaging even after privatisation.

PM aide asks industry to create brands

ISLAMABAD: Prime Minister's Adviser on Industries and Production Haroon Akhtar Khan has said that Pakistan's textile industry is a key pillar of the country's economic identity and "Made in Pakistan" goods have established their place in global markets. "The country must now expand this position further."

Women Chamber aims to boost business growth

FAISALABAD: The Faisalabad Women Chamber of Commerce and Industry (FWCCI) has approved the establishment of a board of management to strengthen institutional oversight and accelerate its ongoing and planned initiatives for women's empowerment, business development and export promotion.