

# Afghan and U.S. Forces Kill One of the Most Senior Commanders of Taliban Red Unit



KABUL - The Afghan and U.S. forces killed one of the most senior commanders of the Red Unit of Taliban in Nangarhar province. According to a statement released by the National Directorate of Security (NDS), the Af-

ghan and U.S. forces coordinated an airstrike which killed Mawlawi Edris alias Abu Yusuf, the commander of the Red Unit of Taliban for Ghazni province. The statement further added that Edris was one of the most prominent commanders of the Red Unit

of Taliban who was playing a major role in planning and coordinating suicide attacks and explosions as well as deploying suicide bombers to Kabul. Edris was also involved in planning and coordinating Taliban offensives and guerrilla attacks

in Ghazni province, NDS said, adding that the Afghan and U.S. forces killed Edris after intercepting him in Khogyani district of Nangarhar. The Taliban group has not commented in this regard so far. (Khaama)

# 4 Gauging Stations Being Installed on Badghis River



KABUL - The Ministry of Water and Energy (MoWE) on Monday said installation of four gauging stations on Murghab River in western Badghis province and reconstruction of an irrigation canal has been underway in Herat province. A statement from MoWE received by Pajhwok Afghan News said that contracts for installation of the four gauging stations on Badghis River and reconstruction of an irrigation canal were signed on Sunday between Mohammad

Gul Khulami, acting water and energy minister, and companies implementing the projects. It said the stations would be installed to prevent water wastage. These stations would cost five million afghanis and would be installed in a period of one year by Halim Hameed Construction Company. Mohammad Gul Khulami, during the contract signing ceremony, said that installation of gauging stations was important considering the ...*(More on P4)...*(9)

# 10 Civilians Including a Child Killed, 27 More Wounded in Jalalabad City Explosion

JALALABAD - An explosion killed ten civilians including a child and wounded at least 27 others in Jalalabad city, the provincial capital of Nangarhar. According to a statement released by Provincial Government, the explosion took place at around 4:30 pm local time in the 3rd district of the city. The statement further added an explosives-laden motorcycle exploded close to a mini bus of the Afghan Army recruitment department. No individual or group including Taliban militants has so far claimed responsibility for the explosion. (Khaama)

# Work on Girls' School Building Launched in Ghazni



GHAZNI CITY - Construction work on a girls' school building was launched on Monday in southern Ghazni province, where another school building was completed, officials. Ghazni governor's spokesman, Mohammad Arif Noori, told Pajhwok Afghan News that the building for Wali Asr Girls High

School was being constructed in Ghazni city, the provincial capital. "This facility will have 12 classrooms, two administrative rooms, a toilet, drinking water and other required sections", he said. Noori said the building construction would cost 8.5 million afghanis ...*(More on P4)...*(10)

# Clash in Ghazni Between Us-Afghan Convoy And Militants

GHAZNI - US Forces in Afghanistan stated that three Taliban fighters and one child were killed in the clash. Three Taliban fighters and one child were killed on Sunday in an airstrike in Andar district in the central province of Ghazni, the media office of US Forces in Afghanistan, USFOR-A, confirmed on Monday. The airstrike was called in when a partnered Afghan-U.S. mission in the Andar district of Ghazni was fired on by rocket-propelled grenades and small arms fire. "The RPG fire from the compound struck one of the patrol vehicles, disabling it without injury to its crew," the statement added. Ghazni police claimed that at least six Taliban fighters were killed in the operation, and specified Afghan Special Forces as the unit involved. (Tolo News)



## Outlook Horoscope

### Aries (Mar. 22-Apr.20)



Oct 8, 2019 - A social event today could put you in touch with fascinating new people in interesting fields. Intriguing discussions could take place throughout the evening. The only problem is if you go there with a partner, you probably won't see much of him or her. You might get involved in separate conversations that last for hours. You'll have a lot to share later!

### Taurus (Apr.21-May 20)



Oct 8, 2019 - Equipment you've come to depend on in your daily life might suddenly go down today. This might throw you into a panic, but don't fall into this trap. Phone a friend who knows about these things or bring in a professional. At times like this, it's best not to agonize over a malfunction but to just get it taken care of as quickly as possible.

### Gemini (May 21-June 20)



Oct 8, 2019 - Romantic matters suddenly take a turn for the better as a long, fascinating conversation takes place between you and your partner. This could involve a subject that intrigues you both, so let the information fly! The discussion could end with plans to dig up more facts on the subject. What you find will probably bring up more questions than answers!

### Cancer (June 21-July 20)



Oct 8, 2019 - Excitement mounts in your household when some new equipment comes into your possession. This could involve a computer, phone, or some other device. This could make a big difference to everyone, but make sure you don't treat it like a toy. You'll want it to last a while!

### Leo (July 21-Aug. 21)



Oct 8, 2019 - Expect a full day of activity. You might spend a lot of time on the phone, perhaps making arrangements for a social event. There may also be a number of errands to run, though there could be some difficulty with them. Perhaps some items you need are out of stock. You'll still feel productive by day's end.

### Virgo (Aug. 22-Sep 22)



Oct 8, 2019 - This could be a lucky day as far as money matters are concerned. Perhaps a sum you were expecting and gave up on will arrive unexpectedly, or a chance to earn some extra income could come up. There might be paperwork involved, and the circumstances may be unusual, but don't be intimidated. Think of this as the day you grabbed the gold ring!

### Libra (Sep 23-Oct. 22)



Oct 8, 2019 - You tend to be unconventional, but today you could outdo even you. A spiritual experience could be at the heart of it. You're changing in ways that are obvious to everyone. Don't worry if they're confused. You'll be confused, too. Think of yourself as a caterpillar becoming a butterfly! The transition may be strange, but the butterfly is far lovelier than the caterpillar!

### Scorpio (Oct.23-Nov.22)



Oct 8, 2019 - Unusual dreams, visions, and audio phenomena may come to you today. You might think you're hearing voices. Before jumping to conclusions, rule out any logical conditions. You're not crazy. This probably indicates a growing psychic awareness. You should write down what you see, hear, or learn during this time. It could be valuable.

### Sagittarius (Nov.23-Dec.20)



Oct 8, 2019 - Some fascinating news could reach you today through a friend or group activity. This could involve something close to home or an intellectual subject, perhaps one discussed by the group. You'll want to tell others as soon as you can. Make sure of your facts before you do. Some of them may be garbled.

### Capricorn (Dec.21-Jan19)



Oct 8, 2019 - Knowledge of a specialized nature could come into your possession today. At some point you could be the center of attention. Everyone, including those with influence over your career, wants to know what's going on. You'll tell your story and everyone will be rapt, hanging on your every word, expecting answers without even knowing the questions.

### Aquarius (Jan 20-Feb.18)

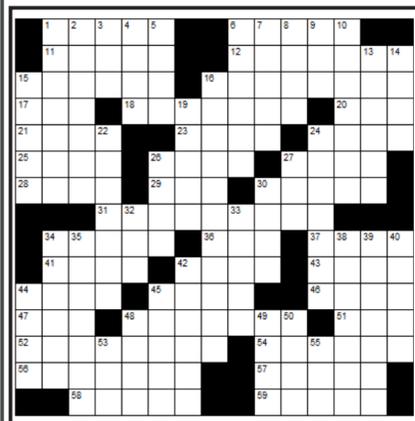


Oct 8, 2019 - If you've wanted to take a class in astrology, science, or computers, it's time to sign up. If you're already taking such a class, expect a fascinating, stimulating discussion in connection with it. Make sure you take notes, as you won't want to forget this information as soon as you hear it.

### Pisces (Feb.19-Mar.20)



Oct 8, 2019 - If you're trying to learn a computer program, you might obsess about it. In fact, it might even haunt your dreams. It could be frustrating, dreaming about math and computers when you're more used to vivid images, but look at the dreams anyway. Should your mind be operating in a more scientific manner right now? Does something in your life not "add up"?



### Across

- 1. Elegance, 6. Collection of maps, 11. Japanese verse, 12. To frown or wrinkle, 15. Caped Crusader, 16. Shirkers, 17. Mistake, 18. Killer wave, 20. Dawn goddess, 21. Dogfish, 23. Pack down, 24. Not false, 25. Dispatched, 26. A hollow cylindrical shape, 27. Amazes, 28. Tall woody plant, 29. A late time of life, 30. Leave out, 31. Passed sideways, 34. Rotates, 36. Autonomic nervous system, 37. To cast aside (archaic), 41. Quarry, 42. Curved molding, 43. Humdinger, 44. Jetty, 45. Absent Without Leave, 46. Historical periods, 47. Ensign (abbrev.), 48. Convent, 51. French for "Summer", 52. Losses by squandering, 54. Ventilate, 56. Lithesome, 57. Fry briefly, 58. Celebrities, 59. Primp

### Down

- 1. Ladies' man, 2. Public toilet, 3. Direction, 4. Three-handed card game, 5. Stars, 6. Burning, 7. Vagabond, 8. Hubs, 9. Arctic bird, 10. Smiled contemptuously, 13. Anagram of "Source", 14. Being, 15. Monster, 16. Crimson-flowered plants, 19. Practical, 22. Artist's workroom, 24. Rotate, 26. Animal companions, 27. Beer, 30. If not, 32. One or more, 33. Anoint (archaic), 34. Anagram of "Plains", 35. Irons, 38. Golden, 39. Steamroll, 40. A friction match, 42. Possessors, 44. Church benches, 45. Type of drill, 48. Nil, 49. Coarse file, 50. 365 days, 53. Explosive, 55. Regret

### Yesterday's Solution

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