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China News

1. Chinese leader Xi urges world political parties to shoulder responsibility for pursuit of people's wellbeing, progress of mankind

On July 6th , Chinese leader Xi Jinping urged political parties in the world to shoulder their responsibility for the pursuit of people's wellbeing and progress of mankind. He called on political parties to strengthen cooperation to tackle global challenges including the COVID-19 pandemic, inequality, terrorism, and climate change.

Further reading on the following website:

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2021-07/07/c_1310046497.htm

2. Speech by President Xi Jinping at a ceremony marking the centenary of the CPC

On July 1st, Xi Jinping, general secretary of the Communist Party of China (CPC) Central Committee, Chinese president and chairman of the Central Military Commission, addressed a ceremony celebrating the CPC centenary at Tian'anmen Square in Beijing. He said that China has realized the first centenary goal of building a moderately prosperous society in all respects. Since the very day of its founding, the Party has made seeking happiness for the Chinese people and rejuvenation for the Chinese nation its aspiration and mission. He calls on all party members to realize their aspirations for a better life and to bring still greater glory to the Party and the people.

Further reading on the following website:

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/special/2021-07/01/c_1310038244.htm

3. President Xi Jinping Delivers Written Address to Asia and Pacific High-level Conference on Belt and Road Cooperation

On June 23rd, President Xi Jinping delivered a written address to the Asia and Pacific High-level Conference on Belt and Road Cooperation. He stressed that the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) aiming to carry on the Silk Road spirit and co-build an open platform for cooperation with all countries to generate new driving forces for the development of all countries. Over the past eight years, up to 140 countries have signed documents on Belt and Road cooperation with China. The Belt and Road must be built through a consultative process and joint efforts to bring benefits to all, uphold the principles of openness, green, integrity and cooperation, and focus on high-standard, sustainable cooperation to improve people's well-being. China is entering into a new stage of development, taking new development approaches and fostering a new development paradigm to create more market opportunities, investment opportunities and growth opportunities for BRI partners.

Further reading on the following website:

https://www.fmprc.gov.cn/mfa_eng/zxxx_662805/t1886526.shtml

https://www.fmprc.gov.cn/mfa_eng/zxxx_662805/t1886403.shtml

4. Premier Li Keqiang Attends the Second Summit of

Partnering for Green Growth and the Global Goals 2030 (P4G)

On May 30, Premier Li Keqiang attended and addressed the Second Summit of Partnering for Green Growth and the Global Goals 2030 (P4G) via video link. China will establish and perfect its green, low-carbon and circular economic system to promote the all-round green transformation of economic and social development. Strategic priority will be given to carbon emission reduction and effectively coordinate pollutant reduction and emission reduction. He gave a three-prong proposal. First, solidarity and coordination are needed to win the war against COVID-19. Second, reformative ways should be taken to promote green, low-carbon transformation. Third, considerations should be given to developing countries with specific difficulties.

Further reading on the following websites:

https://www.fmprc.gov.cn/mfa_eng/zxxx_662805/t1880095.shtml

5. China's Shenzhou-12 manned spaceship docks with space

station module

On June 17th, China's Shenzhou-12 manned spaceship successfully docked with the space station core module Tianhe, according to the China Manned Space Agency (CMSA). The spaceship completed orbital status setting after entering the orbit and conducted a fast autonomous rendezvous and docking with the front docking port of Tianhe at 3:54 p.m. (Beijing Time), forming a three-module complex with the cargo craft Tianzhou-2.

Further reading on the following websites:

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2021-06/17/c_1310013455.htm

Chinese astronauts complete first extravehicular activities for space station construction

On July 4th, Chinese astronauts have completed extravehicular activities (EVAs) and returned to the space station core module Tianhe, according to the China Manned Space Agency (CMSA).

Further reading on the following websites:

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2021-07/04/c_1310042531

[htm](#)

6. WHO approves China's Sinovac COVID-19 vaccine for emergency use

On June 1st, the World Health Organization (WHO) has approved the CoronaVac COVID-19 vaccine developed by Chinese pharmaceutical company Sinovac for emergency use. The vaccine, developed by Sinovac Life Sciences Co., Ltd. based in Beijing, is an inactivated type, like China's Sinopharm vaccine, which was approved in May for WHO emergency use.

Further reading on the following website:

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2021-06/02/c_139984968.htm

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2021-06/02/c_139983483.htm

7. China to build Zhejiang into demonstration zone for common prosperity

On June 10th, China's central authorities issued a guideline on building the eastern province of Zhejiang into a demonstration zone for achieving common prosperity. By 2025, Zhejiang should achieve solid progress in building the demonstration zone, with its per capita gross domestic product (GDP) reaching the level of moderately developed economies, while a social structure with a middle-income population as the majority should be generally developed by then, the guideline said. The province should see greater achievements in high-quality development and basically achieve common prosperity by 2035, it said, adding that Zhejiang should strive to raise its per capita GDP and the income of urban and rural residents to the standard for developed countries.

Further reading on the following website:

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2021-06/10/c_1310001320.htm

8. China passes law on Hainan free trade port

On June 10th, China passed a law on the Hainan Free Trade Port (FTP), making institutional arrangements for the construction of the Hainan FTP at the national legislative level. The law clarifies that the Hainan FTP covers the whole island, and establishes policies and systems in steps or phases to realize the liberalization and facilitation of trade, investment, the cross-border flow of funds, personnel exit and entry, and

transportation, and ensure the secure flow of data.

Further reading on the following website:

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2021-06/10/c_1310001331.htm

China-UK Relations

1. Premier Li talks with UK business representatives

On July 6th, Premier Li Keqiang attended a virtual dialogue with representatives of the British business sector. He said stable China-UK relations are conducive to upholding free and fair trade, pushing forward the global economic recovery, tackling global challenges and creating more benefits for the two peoples. He expressed his hope that the two countries will enhance cooperation in fields such as clean energy, expand green technology cooperation based on intellectual property protection and deal with climate change together.

Further reading on the following website:

http://english.www.gov.cn/premier/news/202107/06/content_WS60e46690c6d0df57f98dc7ad.html

2. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang: Celebrate A Glorious Century and Create A More Splendid Future

On June 23rd, Ambassador Zheng Zeguang delivered a keynote speech entitled Celebrate A Glorious Century and Create A More Splendid Future at the Symposium on the Centenary of the Founding of the Communist Party of China and China's Future Development. He briefed on the arduous struggles and splendid achievements of the Chinese people of all ethnic groups under the leadership of the CPC in the past 100 years, the positive significance of CPC achievements to the Chinese people and the whole world, refuted the disinformation campaign against China by some westerners and shared his hope on China-UK relations.

Further reading on the following website:

<http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/eng/dshdjjh/t1885984.htm>

3. Remarks by Ambassador Zheng Zeguang at Online Event Celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the Founding of the Communist Party of China Jointly Hosted by the Consulate General of China in Manchester and the Communist Party of Britain

Further reading on the following website:

<http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/eng/dshdjhh/t1887299.htm>

4. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang: Keeping to the Right Direction and Promoting Mutually Beneficial Cooperation

On June 7th, Ambassador Zheng Zeguang made remarks entitled Keeping to the Right Direction and Promoting Mutually Beneficial Cooperation on his arrival in London. He expressed his understanding and wish on China-UK relations.

Further reading on the following website:

<http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/eng/dshdjhh/t1882001.htm>

5. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang: Appreciate the Beauty of the Chinese Language and Draw on the Power of Communication

On June 26th , Ambassador Zheng Zeguang made remarks entitled Appreciate the Beauty of the Chinese Language and Draw on the Power of Communication at the Opening of the 20th "Chinese Bridge" Chinese Proficiency Competition UK Regional Final. He expressed his hope on the contestants of the competition.

Further reading on the following website:

<http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/eng/dshdjhh/t1887267.htm>

6. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang: Seize Opportunities to Forge Ahead in China-UK Economic and Trade Relations

On June 29th, Ambassador Zheng Zeguang made remarks entitled Seize Opportunities to Forge Ahead in China-UK Economic and Trade Relations at the 'the Online Exhibition of Achievements of Chinese Enterprises in the UK'. He shared what the historic journey of China-UK economic cooperation inspired on him and his hope on the business communities of the two countries.

Further reading on the following website:

<http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/eng/dshdjhh/t1887739.htm>

7. Embassy Spokesperson's Remarks on the 48th Six-monthly Report on Hong Kong Issued by the UK Side

Further reading on the following website:

<http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/eng/PressandMedia/Spokepersons/t1883016.htm>

Policy and Facts

1. White Paper: The Communist Party of China and Human Rights Protection - A 100-Year Quest

On June 24th, China's State Council Information Office issued a white paper titled "The Communist Party of China and Human Rights Protection - A 100-Year Quest".

The full text of the paper is as follows:

http://english.scio.gov.cn/node_8024759.html

2. White Paper: China's Political Party System: Cooperation and Consultation

On June 25th, China's State Council Information Office issued a white paper titled "China's Political Party System: Cooperation and Consultation".

The full text of the paper is as follows:

http://english.scio.gov.cn/node_8024776.html

3. The 9th Press Conference by Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous

Region on Xinjiang-related Issues in Beijing

<http://english.ts.cn/system/2021/05/26/036637314.shtml>

4. The 10th Press Conference by Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous

Region on Xinjiang-related Issues in Beijing

<http://english.ts.cn/system/2021/06/04/036641721.shtml>

5. The 11th Press Conference by Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous

Region on Xinjiang-related Issues in Beijing

<http://english.ts.cn/system/2021/06/19/036648534.shtml>

6. The Ancient Silk Road Kingdom of Kucha -- A Photo

Exhibition of the Charm of Xinjiang

<http://www.chinese-embassy.org.uk/eng/zygx/culture/P020210607681288525108.pdf>

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