

Daily Positive (D+)

Your Daily Source Of Positive News From Around The World

Daily Positive (D+) is a not-for-profit media initiative to accumulate, store and publish positive news from all the countries of the world. D+ collects news for each of the 365 days of the year and spreads notable, extraordinary and uplifting information from each culture.

Its mission is to engage global citizens in interesting, thought-provoking dialogue about trending news topics through positive, open concept journalism.

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Overview

Welcome to D+ April 2016 Newsletter. It is the twenty-eighth edition of the D+ Newsletter compiled with some of the news published in April 2016 on D+.

Following D+ Carnival Middle East, we have seen a huge pick in number of visitors on our site. That is always encouraging and we say Thank You. D+ uploaded some colorful images from the Carnival on the site and you can enjoy them at http://www.dailypositive.org/Daily_Positive_Carnival.

D+ is excited about the rest of the 2016 and planned a positive year ahead. As part of that, D+ will continue to share the positive stories from around the world. If you have any feedbacks and suggestions regarding our news and events, we would love to hear from you. Please send us your comments at info@dailypositive.org.

Also follow us on Facebook as it happens, <https://www.facebook.com/dailypositive>.

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Top News Of The Month

Top News Of The Month is selected based on the feedback from D+ Facebook fans from around the world.

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D+ News: April 2016

- Bahrain's Authority for Culture and Antiquities granted **Kuwaiti** novelist Saud Alsanousi the Mohammad Al-Banki Award for Cultural Personality of the Year in its third edition.
- **French** MPs passed a law that makes it illegal to pay for sex and imposes fines for those buying sexual acts.
- Sir Fazle Hasan Abed of **Bangladesh**, founder and chairperson of world's largest non-governmental development organization BRAC, received the prestigious Thomas Francis Jr. Medal for global public health from the University of Michigan.
- The European Commission awarded the European Capital of Innovation award 2016 to Amsterdam in the **Netherlands**.
- Doctors at the Driscoll Children's Hospital, Texas, **USA** have successfully separated two 10-month-old sisters born conjoined below the waist.
- **Syrian** athlete Inas al-Amoud won the gold medal in the hammer throw competition, with a distance of 39.55 meters, at the 1st West Asian Junior Athletics Championships in Bahrain.
- **Japanese** design group, AMAM, was announced as the Grand Prix winner of the Lexus Design Award 2016 for their new environmentally-friendly plastic alternative prototype 'Agar plasticity – a potential usefulness of agar for packing and more'.
- Edward Loure of **Tanzania** won the 2016 Goldman Environmental Prize, considered as the Nobel Prize for grassroots environmentalism.
- The Rugby World Cup winner, the All Blacks, of **New Zealand** was named Laureus World Sports team of the year.
- **Kenya** became the first African team to win a World Sevens Series rugby tournament outside Africa by beating Fiji 30-7 at the 2016 Singapore Sevens tournament.
- Three-time Formula One world champion Niki Lauda of **Austria** received the Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award.
- **Finland** retained its top spot at the 2016 Reporters Without Borders' World Press Freedom Index for the sixth consecutive year.
- **Chinese** Academy of Sciences topped the ranking of the contributors to scientific research in 2015 published by journal Nature.
- The first national polio vaccination campaign in **Libya** in two years was successfully completed.
- **Brazilian** scientists have discovered an enormous coral reef that stretches for more than 600 miles at the mouth of the Amazon River.
- **Argentine** film La patota (Paulina) won the Tiantan Award for Best Feature Film at the 6th Beijing International Film Festival (BIFF).
- The seventh and final satellite of the **Indian** Regional Navigation Satellite System (IRNSS), named IRNSS-1G, was successfully launched.
- **Ghanaian** Rebecca Asamoah was crowned as the first Miss Africa Continent.