

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

Happy New Year 2014! Welcome to D+ Newsletter. It is the first ever edition of D+ newsletter compiled with some of the news published in January 2014 on D+.

D+ started 2014 with enthusiasm and courage to bring the best from around the world to you. Among various key annual events, D+ Carnival will celebrate South American culture this year in March. D+ Education will share knowledge in various formal or informal setups in the middle of the year. Finally, D+ will publish a list of 10 Most Positive Countries for 2014 in November.

D+ thanks all of its readers and volunteers for their supports over the last few years. You can also join and help us change this world by spreading positive news. Visit our website and email us with comments and suggestions.

D+ is a non-profit media initiative that heavily relies on the generous support from everyone. Please consider a donation today.

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: January 2014

- Scientists in **Brazil** have discovered the first new river dolphin species since the end of World War One.
- A 29.6 carat blue diamond, one of the rarest and most coveted in the world, has been discovered at the Cullinan mine in **South Africa** by Petra Diamonds.
- Astronomers from the **United States** and **Germany** have captured first ever image of Cosmic Web that holds galaxies together.
- Professor Chi-Huey Wong of Academia Sinica in **Taiwan** was named as the winner of the Wolf Prize in Chemistry.
- The **Latvian** capital, Riga, unveiled its year as European Capital of Culture.
- **Bulgaria** and the **United States of America** signed an agreement on the protection of cultural heritage, meant to prevent the illicit trade of Bulgarian cultural heritage items and allow the return to Bulgaria of such items smuggled into the US.
- The **Kyrgyz** government and the Asian Development Bank (ADB) signed a financing agreement for the implementation of the reconstruction of a section of the road between the capital Bishkek and the southern city of Osh that will strengthen national and regional connectivity and promote inclusive growth.
- **Chilean** driver Ignacio Casale won the quad race in Dakar Rally. It was Chile's first Dakar triumph.
- **Israeli** archaeologists presented a newly uncovered 1,500-year-old church in the south of Israel, including an unusually well-preserved mosaic floor with images of lions, foxes, fish and peacocks.
- Stanislas Wawrinka of **Switzerland** and Li Na of **China** won the 2014 Australian Open Grand Slam tennis crowns.
- Copenhagen, the capital city of **Denmark**, received the title European Green Capital for 2014 for its important role in improving the environment and high level of commitment to genuine progress.
- A team of doctors in **Sweden** has successfully transplanted wombs into nine women donated from relatives.
- **Tunisia's** national assembly approved the country's landmark new constitution -- its first since the ouster of longtime president Zine El-Abidine Ben Ali three years ago in 2011 revolts and uprisings that sparked the Arab Spring.