

## 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+ December 2023 Newsletter. It is the 180th edition of the D+ Newsletter compiled with some of the news published in December 2023 on D+.

It is almost new year; we are finishing yet another year in style. You are likely reading this newsletter in 2024, thus, happy new year in advance. This year has been very exciting and we will talk more about it in our upcoming newsletters. As we are finishing 2023, we would like to take this opportunity to say a big Thank You to all of our volunteers, readers and all of our well wishers from around the world. Hope you are getting ready for 2024 and as excited as we are. D+ had the annual management meeting in December. The team is so inspired by your supports and we will continue to bring you the very best of the world in 2024 with much more enthusiasm.

Visit our online store Babatye <https://www.babatye.com/> for our new collections. Also, visit our eBay store at <http://www.ebay.com.au/usr/dailypositive>. All the profits from our stores will go as donation to D+. It would help our non-profit organization if you can share this with your contact.

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: December 2023

- Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina of **Bangladesh** conferred the Asia Climate Mobility Champion Leader Award acknowledging her leadership in championing climate actions. The Global Centre for Climate Mobility, supported by IOM and the UN system, conferred the Award during a high-level panel on the sidelines of the COP28 in Dubai.
- **China** began commercial operations of the world's first fourth-generation, gas-cooled nuclear reactor power plant, also known as Shidaowan.
- **English** footballer Jude Bellingham of Real Madrid won the Golden Boy award, given by sports journalists to a young male footballer playing in Europe.
- **Iran** successfully launched animals into space aboard a domestically-made Salman rocket as part of its ambition to launch astronauts into orbit by the end of 2029.
- **Ireland's** First Satellite EIRSAT-1 (Educational Irish Research Satellite-1) was successfully launched on a Falcon 9 rocket from Vandenberg Space Force Base, California.
- **Kenya** and the European Union signed an Economic Partnership Agreement (EPA) to boost bilateral trade in goods, increase investment flows, and spur sustainable economic growth.
- **Nigerian** footballer Victor Osimhen was crowned the Italian footballers' association player of the year for his Napoli performances last season.
- **South Korea** successfully launched its first spy satellite, called 425 Project EO/IR and weighs 800 kg in mass, aboard a SpaceX Falcon 9 rocket from California's Vandenberg Space Force Base.
- A team of international scientists, including researchers from **Spain**, has discovered five new species of soft-furred hedgehogs from South East Asia, as published in the Zoological Journal of the Linnean Society.
- Scientists led by the Chalmers University of Technology in **Sweden** have discovered 13 molecules, including some never spotted before in the early universe, inside two galaxies located 12 billion light-years away. The findings were published in the journal Astronomy and Astrophysics.
- A team led by researchers from the **Swiss** Federal Institute of Technology in Lausanne (EPFL) in Switzerland have used advanced data analysis techniques to identify unique flow of information in the human brain. Their findings were presented in Nature Communications.
- Physicists in the **USA** have made a major breakthrough in the study of quantum computing by successfully linking together two molecules in special quantum states for the first time. The discovery may lead to more robust quantum computing and support new research techniques as published in Science.
- **South Korea** and the six-member Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) signed a free trade agreement (FTA) in the Korean capital Seoul.