Coach fired

PRAGUE, Sept 26 (Reuters/Internet): Czech Cup winners Jablonec dismissed coach Jiri Kotrba ahead of Thursday's Cup Winners' Cup first round, second leg home tie against Appollon Limassol of Cyprus, newspapers said on Saturday.

They said Kotrba was fired due to the team's poor results so far in the Czech first division. Jablonec are in 14th place with just one win in the first six games of the season.

"The beginning of the season was terrible," said Jablonec chairman Miroslav Pelta.

"Now we must get ourselves together fast and concentrate on Thursday's tie against Limassol. We must not let go the chance to advance."

Limassol won the first leg 2-1. Jablonec appointed Jaroslav Dockal and Zdenek Klucky as stopgap coaches for the autumn part of the season.

Fans battle before big game

MOSCOW, Sept 26 (Reuters/Internet): Hundreds of supporters of Moscow soccer clubs CSKA and Spartak fought a pitched battle in the Russian capital on Saturday hours before a vital top-of-the-table derby.

Witnesses said several hundred skinheads from each side fought with sticks, bottles and fists for half an hour in a seemingly pre-arranged set-to on the other side of the city from Dynamo Stadium, where the premier division game kicked off at 5 p.m. (1300 GMT).

Mounted police reinforcements were called in and witnesses saw dozens of arrests and several injured people being taken away in ambulances from the scene of the battle, outside Spartak's ice hockey arena in the north of Moscow.

RIA news agency said police fired in the air.

A police spokesman confirmed there had been fighting but played it down. "It was nothing," he said.

Spartak's hockey team was playing a team from provincial Magnitogorsk when hundreds of young fans began streaming out of the game to join battle with CSKA rivals.

Both clubs, among five top-flight teams based in the capital, have gained a reputation for crowd violence, although most fighting has tended to take place well away from stadiums, where the police maintain a heavy presence during games.

The soccer violence that blighted British and other European soccer in the 1970s and 1980s were largely absent from the Soviet Union thanks to the overwhelming presence of the police and KGB.

Since 1991, however, there have been regular but limited outbreaks of fighting between rival groups of supporters.

Spartak could virtually ensure their third championship in a row on Saturday if they beat second-placed CSKA, the army club, who are nine points behind them with five games to play.

CSKA, however, have won their last seven games without conceding a goal and are strongly favoured to close the gap.

US booters return to play Nov 6

WASHINGTON, Sept 26: The US soccer team will play its first game since the World Cup against Australia in an exhibition game on November 6 in California, reports Xinhua.

The Americans have been without a head coach since Steve Sampson resigned on June 29, four days after the United States finished last in the 32-team World Cup in France. Washington DC United Coach Bruce Arena is expected to take over the team this year.

The United States, who hoped to advance to the World Cup quarterfinals, went 0-3 in the first round and the players blamed their coach for the humiliating failure.

Australia lost a playoff to Iran last year for the final World Cup berth.

Mike Tyson (2nd from left) offering prayers at a Massachusetts mosque with members of the Boston Area Centre of the Worldwide Ahmadiyya Movement on September 25.
— AP/UNB photo

Different day for Tyson

BOSTON, Sept 26 (AP/Xinhua): Mike Tyson, who is undergoing psychological tests that could make or break his boxing career, has made himself at home in Boston.

The man who served a prison term for rape and shocked the boxing world by biting off part of Evander Holyfield's ear has been cheered and kissed by adoring fans in Beantown.

And he has responded with smiles and autographs.

On Thursday, during a break from his third day of tests at Massachusetts General Hospital, Tyson attended prayers at a mosque in Sharon, about 20 miles (30 kilometres) south of Boston.

On the way back, he leaned out the window of his stretch limousine at a traffic light in Boston's Roxbury neighborhood and signed a young man's baseball cap. A school bus full of children waved and shouted to him.

Earlier, Tyson took a stroll with his entourage near the hospital.

"He's loved it," Tyson adviser Shelly Finkel said. "It's not often that he says, 'Look, Shell, let's just walk in the street to go eat lunch'."

Finkel said the visit has brought back memories for Tyson of his trips to Boston from Catskill, New York in the early 1980s.

The fun and fan support contrast sharply with the seriousness of his visit ordered by the Nevada Athletic Commission.

The Commission has asked a team of psychiatrists and neuropsychologists to decide if Tyson is mentally fit to return to the ring. Specifically, they have asked doctors to gauge his ability to handle stress and predict the chances he would lose control while fighting.

Their recommendations are expected to weigh heavily in the commission's October 3 vote on whether to return Tyson's boxing license, stripped when he bit Holyfield's ears.

Finkel said Tyson expects to complete the testing Saturday and is hopeful the medical team will give him a positive report.

Hospital spokeswoman Peggy Slasman said the hospital could not comment on the progress of the tests, which have included hundreds of questions, a medical examination, drug tests and an MRI to study his brain.

"His attorneys have basically asked us not to provide any information," she said.

Tyson, however, said with a smile: "Some people think I'm a psycho because I bit that guy's ear off. I just want to let the Nevada Commission know I'm extremely sorry and I'm really a good guy."

Dr Edwin Homansky, who is overseeing Tyson's evaluation for the commission, said: "In New Jersey he was with a psychiatrist for 45 minutes who commented he was like a teddy bear in his office."

Tyson will undergo at least 10 examinations which among other things, will measure his level of stress, social conformity, suspiciousness, impulsive behavior and excitability.

The tests are expected to last three days. Robert Schleser, a psychology professor, said he doubts the medical team will be able to predict Tyson's behaviour any better than a coin toss.

"This is a weird situation," he said. "There's no test that specifically is going to tell you whether a boxer is going to bite someone's ear. That is why this is a huge task for these guys."

After the testing, the team of doctors will have to answer several questions about Tyson's state of mind, which include: How will Tyson handle unpredictable situations? What's his potential to commit another major foul in the boxing ring? Will he be able to avoid a repeat of the Holyfield ear-biting incident?

If doctors say Tyson is normal, the Nevada Commission is expected to give him a new licence on October 3.

Remembering Flo-Jo

LOS ANGELES, Sept 26: Hundreds of mourners, some wearing running shoes, others leaning on canes or pushing strollers, lined up before dawn Friday to file past Florence Griffith Joyner's casket in tribute to an Olympic champion who came from among them, reports AP.

The 38-year-old sprinter, who dazzled the 1988 Seoul Olympics with three gold medals, rose from the poverty of Watts to become the world's fastest woman.

She died Monday at her home in Mission Viejo, and the cause has not been determined.

Inside the chapel, Griffith Joyner was resplendent in a silk top decorated with bright flowers. Her flowing black hair, arranged in large ringlets, softly framed her face. She wore red lipstick and her famously long fingernails were painted a riot of colors.

Cards addressed to Griffith Joyner's husband, Al Joyner, the 1984 Olympic triple jump champion, and their 7-year-old daughter, Mary, lay on the floor near her casket.

People streamed from the neighbourhood behind Angelus Funeral Home and scurried across bustling Crenshaw Boulevard to line up before the doors swung open. Carla Lee, 46, was first in line at 5:15 am.

"I admired her for being a great athlete, devoted mom and role model for children," she said. "I know we don't have any set time to go, but it was a shock."

Some who came were classmates of Griffith Joyner at David Starr Jordan High, where she was known as Dee Dee, a nickname for her first name Delorez. Only after her Olympic success did she pick up the moniker Flo-Jo.

Some spoke of her performance in Seoul, where won the 100-and 200-metre sprints and the 400-metre relay. At her death, she was still the fastest woman in history.

"When she was in the Olympics, being a young lady from South Central, seeing her cross the finish line let me know a lot of things were possible," said Dione Washington of Los Angeles.

But most talked of a woman whose flamboyant fashion sense, infused track and field with a flair it had never seen. They also spoke of how she never forgot her roots.

"You feel linke you just lost a member of your family. She's a shining example of someone who's overcome," said Eric Dickey of Los Angeles, who wore a sweat suit and running shoes. "Not only did she succeed, she reached back and lifted others up. She's an icon."

The funeral is Saturday in Lake Forest in Orange County.

Evans may be disciplined

LONDON, Sept 26: Roy Evans could face disciplinary action after a verbal attack on the standard of refereeing in English football, reports Xinhua.

Liverpool's joint manager accused officials of 'ruining the game' after crucial decisions went against his team in Thursday's 2-0 defeat by Manchester United at Old Trafford.

Evens is not the first boss to speak out, but the Football Association has given officials its full backing.

"We have a great product in the Premier League but I just think the majority of referees aren't good enough — and I'm not Ashamed to say that," local reports quoted Evans as saying on Friday.

Liverpool claim Jason McAteer's handball which led to United's first goal from the penalty spot was accidental.

"The decision to give a penalty was diabolical. We're getting sick to death with decision like that going against us," said Evans.

"I'm not saying the ball didn't strike his arm but he was being mauled to death by Paul Scholes and there was no way there was any intent on Jason's behalf."

He was also unhappy when referee Stephen Lodge rejected Liverpool's appeals for a penalty when the ball hit Ryan Giggs arm later in the game.

"I tried to speak to the referee but it's like trying to get into fort knox to speak to referees these days as they surround themselves with so many people that you forget about it as it's a waste of time," added Evans.

But FA spokesman Steve Double insisted refereeing standards were 'as high as ever'.

Canal Plus seeks more

PARIS, Sept 26: French pay television company Canal Plus announced Friday it was holding talks with four more Italian football clubs following its recent broadcasting deal with Juventus, Inter Milan, AC Milan and Napoli, reports AFP.

Michel Thoulouze, Canal Plus' international director, declined to name the new teams involved.

Canal Plus' Italian pay TV subsidiary, Telepiu, earlier this month clinched an exclusive five-year broadcast deal with Italy's four top sides worth 220 million dollars annually.

Italian newspapers, meanwhile, said the company could be challenged by media magnate Rupert Murdoch, who controls the BSkyB satellite television corporation which has just launched a takeover of top English side Manchester United.

They reported the Australian-born businessman was considering tabling a 2.55-billion-dollar offer for Italian soccer league games.

Thoulouze, however, said, "There is no way to go back on the contracts Canal Plus has signed with the leaders of Italian sport."

Canal Plus head Pierre Lescure added: "There is no get-out clause."

The company said Italian matches would be offered on a pay-per-view basis.

French Egyptian friendly off

PARIS, Sept 26: A friendly international match between World Cup holders France and African champions Egypt, scheduled for the Stade de France in Saint-Denis on November 17, has been cancelled, reports AFP.

The French Football Federation announced Friday that the game had been axed from the calendar because of an overcrowded schedule.

Italy, Sweden start superbly

MILWAUKEE, Sept 26: The United States sure could have used Jim Courier, Pete Sampras, Michael Chang or Andre Agassi in their Davis Cup semifinal against Italy, reports AP.

Jan-Michael Gambill lost his Davis Cup debut Friday to Andrea Gaudenzi and Todd Martin, the veteran American left on the roster, was upset by Davide Sanguinetti in three sets as Italy took a stunning 2-0 lead over the shellshocked Americans.

Sanguinetti, ranked 47th, beat the 28th-ranked Martin 7-6 (7-0), 6-3, 7-6 (10-8), putting the Italians, who won all four tiebreakers, on the verge of a huge upset.

Martin, who struggled with his first serve and Sanguinetti's consistent returns, and another Davis Cup rookie, Justin Gimelstob, take on Gaudenzi and Diego Nargiso in Saturday's doubles match. A loss would snap an 11-year home winning streak for the United States.

In the other semifinal, Thomas Johansson had a perfect Davis Cup debut on Friday night in Stockholm, beating Moya in three straight but tough sets to give Sweden a commanding 2-0 lead in the semifinals against Spain.

Johansson beat Moya 7-5, 7-6 (7-4), 7-6 (8-6), and Jonas Bjorkman opened by downing Alex Corretja 6-3, 7-5, 6-7 (5-7), 6-3 in Stockholm.

Sweden can clinch the series Saturday when Bjorkman and Nicklas Kulti play doubles against Javier Sanchez and Julian Alonso.

The Davis Cup final is Dec. 4-6.

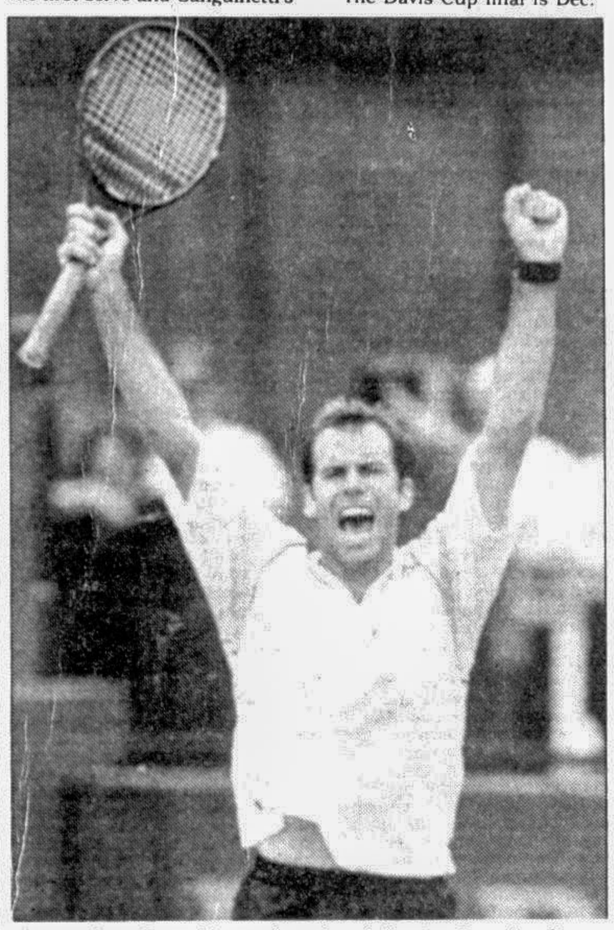
The Americans have won 18 straight Davis Cup matches on home courts, the last loss in 1987 when Boris Becker led West Germany to a 3-2 victory in Hartford, Connecticut.

The only time the Americans have ever overcame a 2-0 deficit in the Davis Cup was in 1934, when they rallied to defeat Australia in Britain.

If they can avoid the sweep, the singles pairings are reversed on Sunday.

In qualifying series, US Open champion Patrick Rafter and Jason Stoltenberg helped Australia to a 2-0 lead over Uzbekistan at Townsville, Australia.

At Nottingham, England, Greg Rusedski and Tim Henman rallied from first-set losses to send Britain to a 2-0 lead over India.



Briton Greg Rusedski exults after defeating Leander Paes of India in their Davis Cup clash at the Nottingham Tennis Centre in London on September 25.
— AP/UNB photo

LATEST

STOCKHOLM, Sept 26: Jonas Bjorkman and Nicklas Kulti won Saturday's doubles match against Spain to give Sweden an unbeatable 3-0 lead in their Davis Cup semifinal, reports AP.

Bjorkman and Kulti were never challenged by Spaniards, Javier Sanchez and Julian Alonso, winning in straight sets 6-2, 6-2, 6-2 before a sellout crowd at the Royal Tennis Hall.

The Swedes were never broken during the match that lasted only 1 hour, 17 minutes.

Meanwhile, doubles specialists Todd Woodbridge and Mark Woodforde led Australia back into the World Group with victory over Uzbekistan on Saturday.

Australia took an unbeatable 3-0 lead in the best of five tie when Woodbridge and Woodforde beat Oleg Ogorodov and Dmitri Tomashevich 6-3, 7-6, 7-6.

At Osaka, Japan, Yevgeny Kafelnikov put Russia up 1-0 over Japan with a victory over Japan's Goichi Motomura. Marat Safin was leading Takao Suzuki 7-6 (7-4), 3-1 when rain halted play.

At Ramat Hasharon, Israel, France took a 2-0 lead over Israel on victories by Cedric Pioline and Guillaume Raoux.

At Eindhoven, Netherlands, Paul Haarhuis and Jan Siemerink put the Dutch up 2-0 on Ecuador.

At Prague, Czech Republic, Salva Dosedel upset Wayne Ferreira, helping the Czechs to a 2-0 lead over South Africa.

At Buenos Aires, Argentina, Hernan Gumy upset Karol Kucera, leaving the Argentines tied 1-1 with Slovakia.

Top two in Princess final

TOKYO, Sept 26: (Reuters/AFP): Number two seed Monica Seles cruised into the final of the Princess Cup today with an easy win over unseeded Tamarine Tanasugarn of Thailand 6-1, 6-4.

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Seles will meet number one seed Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario in the finals on Sunday. The two squared off in last year's finals with Seles winning a hard-fought match 6-1, 3-6, 7-6 (7-5).

Sanchez-Vicario scratched out a three-set victory over number seven seed Anke Huber of Germany in the other semifinal.

Sanchez-Vicario, who took time out between the second and third sets to attend to an wrist injury, beat Huber 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.

Sanchez-Vicario said the turning point of the match came in the second game of the third set when she rallied from a 40-0 deficit to brake Huber's serve.

Sanchez-Vicario calmly dealt with Huber's aggressive, but sometimes risky hard shots to chalk up a big 5-0 lead before taking the first set rather lopsidedly.

Huber never hesitated to attack.

She increased power in her shots and kept Sanchez-Vicario at the baseline while hitting an array of effective approach shots to charge to the net at any opportunity before evening the match at one-all.

Sanchez-Vicario needed to have her right wrist massaged and taped at the beginning of the decider as she felt it tight at serving because of the 'heavy ball' caused by humid conditions this week.

The Spaniard failed to hold her serve, going down 0-1 in the final set, but broke back in the following game after repeating deuce six times.

Sanchez-Vicario said the second game was the turning point, from where she permitted Huber to hold only twice more before putting an end to the 125-minute battle.

New Olympic institution unveiled

ATHENS, Sept 26: A new Olympic institution, the International Network of Olympic Cities, was unveiled on Friday, aiming to strengthen the ties between host cities of Olympic Games, reports Xinhua.

Attending the ceremony were International Olympic Committee (IOC) president Juan Antonio Samaranch and Athens mayor Dimitris Avramopoulos.

Speaking at a press conference, Avramopoulos said the Union of Olympic Cities aims at exchange of information related to the organizing of the Games, supporting the IOC in disseminating the principles of the Olympics to the cities' residents and the strengthening of the cultural aspect of the Games.

On his part, Samaranch said that with this union, the knowledge of cities which had organized Games would be a decisive contribution for new cities undertaking the Games in the future.

The first meeting of the union will be held in Lausanne.

The Daily Star TV Guide

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STAR PLUS

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STAR MOVIES

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ZEE INDIA TV

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9:00 Sure Sadhak **9:30** Movie Club Film **1:00** Serial.

SONY TV

7:30 Jeevan Mulya **8:00** Aatma **8:30** Rang Birangee **9:00** Yadon ki Baraat **9:30** Khoya Khoya Chand **10:00** Women In India- **10:30** World Of Cricket **11:00** Indian Holiday **11:30** Cine Clips **12:00** Sunday Ki Sunday **12:30** Dekh Bhai Dekh **1:00** Uncensored **1:30** Pehchan **2:00** The Rosai Show **2:30 Cine-Matini Hindi Feature Film: 5:30** Mahayaggya **6:00** Aahat **6:30** Bobgi Oowgi **7:00** CID (Serial*) **7:30** The Nanny **8:00** Cine Clips **8:30** The Coca Cola - Papadaum Show **9:00** Bajaj ki Lehren **9:30** World of Cricket **10:00 Family No.1 10:30** Kahene Main Kya Harz Hai **11:00** Mad About You **11:30 Cine- Clips / Hit Songs 12:00** Khoya Khoya Chand **12:30** Challenge **1:00** Alpviram **1:30** Mahayaggya **2:00** Uncensored **2.30** Khoya Khoya Chand **3:00 Cine- Nite Hindi Feature Film:**

Chand Ke Tukda: Raveena Tandon

This month Channel [V] crowns Bollywood actress Raveena Tandon as the Chand Ke Tukda — The Chose One from India's film industry. Throughout the month Channel [V] will pay homage to Raveena with various specials and exclusives. On the Chand Ke Tukda Special Raveena talks about her personal life and her love of animals, as well as her co-stars, who have included Govinda and Shah Rukh Khan.

MUSIC ASIA

7:30 Aalaap **8:00** B & W Gems **8:30** All Time Hits **9:00** Old Tevren- Sizlaars **9:30** Aalaap **10:00** All Time Hits **10:30** Bagpiper- Jharokha **11:00** Banganga Festivel **11:30** Bajaj- Music Box **12:00** Cocacola-World Premier **12:30** Old Tevern- Sizlaars **1:00** Bagpiper-Jharokha **1:30** Cibaca-Tube Top Ten **2:30** Bajaj- Music Box **3:00** Old Tevern- Sizlaars **3:30** Bagpiper- Jharokha **4:00** Gaaye Ja **4:30** Bajaj- Music Box **5:00** All Time Hits **5:30** Bagpiper-Jharokha **6:00** B & W Gems **6:30** Music News **6:45** CocaCola-World Premier **7:30** Old Tevern-Sizlaars **8:00** CocaCola-World Premier **8:30** Bagpiper-Jharokha **9:00** Bajaj- Music Box **9:30** Pehlu **10:00** House of Choice **10:30** Bagpiper-Jharokha **11:00** Aalap **11:30** Shabab **12:30** All Times Hits **1:00** Sa Re Ga Ma **1:30** Bagpiper- Jharokha

DD CHANNEL-1

(National)

1:30 Movie Club Film **3:30** Geet Sangeet **4:30 Sunday Bangla Film: 5:30** News- **7:20** Binodon **7:30** Bangla Sambad **8:00** Serial: Hasali Baker Upakatha **8:30** Serial: Baro Theke Atharo **9:00** Serial: Surja Snann **9:30** Serial: Nishkritee **10:30** Sambad

ATN

7:00 Sur Chobi **7:30** Tibbot Tarar Dase **8:00** Sheersho Bindu-Ep-17 **8:30** Maggi Paka Radhuni **9:00** ATN Economi Round Up **9:30** Bangla Film, Shamadhan, Uzzal and Sabana **12:30** Priyo Shilipir Priyo Gan **1:00** Indian Programme **7:00** Sur Chobi **8:00** Horoscope Prog **8:30** Aleya-Ep-7 **9:00** 'Haraye Khunji **9:30** Bangla Film, Nag Mohol, Mahmud Koli & Rojina **1:00** Closed Down

ZEE TV

6:00 Yaadon Ki Pal (B/W Songs) **6:30** Zee News & Zee Business **7.00** Bhakti Songs **7:30** Jagran **8:00** Dam Dama Dam #38 **8:30** Aap Ki Adalat **9:00** Disney Hour Cartoons **10:00** Jungle Book **10:30** Mahabhart #Ep-185 **11:30** Naya Dour **12:00** Liberty One To Ten **12:30** Bournvita Quiz Contest **1:00** Suniye Zee Sunaiye Zee (Dhak Ghar) **1:30** Mujhee Chand Chahiye **2:00** Nirma- Hum Panche **2:30** Close-Up Antakshari **3:00** Chalo Cinema **3:30 Hindi Feature Film: SHOR 6:30** Ek Nazar **7:00** Disney Hour Cartoons **8:00 Public Demand Vj Roshan Abbas 8:30** Mrs. Madhuri Dixit **9:00** Do Aur Do Panch #Ep-12 **9:30** Serial: **Neeyat # Ep-4 10.00** Anhonee- The Zee Horror Show # **10:30** Gumrah #Ep-21 **11:00** Serial: **Vishwas # Ep-4 11:30** Zee News **11:50** Zee Business **12:00** Colget Top Ten 'Ep-254 (RPT/Fri) **1:00** Woh! #33 **1:30** Ghar Zamai #Ep-12 **2:00** Shapath **2:30** ZEE Arabia: Baat Ban Jaaye **3:00 Hindi Feature Film (B/W):**

DD METRO

7:00 Boot It Computer **7:15** Gurubani Sagar **7:45** Busuness Weekend **8:30** Serial: Shiv Mahapuran **9:30** Betaal Pachisi **10:30** Discey Club **11:00** Shree Tirupatti Balaji **11:30** Choti Se Baat **12:00** Serial: Mahabharat **1:00** Kuch Baatein Kuch Ganee **1:30** Ayur In Style **2:00** Lucky Seven **2:30** Saranga **2:55** Urdu News **3:05** Hindi Ft Film: **6.00** Batman **6:30** Kingdom Adventure **7:00** Phulwari Bachchoon Ki **7:30** Mirich Masala **8:00** Public Hasti Film Masti **8:30** Ajnabi (serial)**9.00** Yeh Ishq Nahin Aasan **9:30** Superhit Mukabila **10:30** Croos Fire **11:00** Live Wir **11:30** Sunehari Yaadein /Yeh Cafe **12:00** Pop Show **12:30** UGC Prog.

STAR WORLD

(Northern)

6:30 The New Fantastic Four **7:00** Jack Houston's Imagine Land **7:30** The Animals Of Farthing Woods **8:00** Eak! The Cat **8:30** Small Wonder **9:00** Mr. Belvedere **9:30** Jack Hannas Animal Adventures **10:00** Batman **10:30** WWF Shotgun Challenge **11:30** Series: Snowy River **12:30** Series: **Sirens 1:30** Series: Heartbeat (S6) **2:30** Series: Due South **3:30 Series: Mysterious Places#2/13 R 4:30** Traviel Asia **5:00** WWF Superstars **6:00** Series: Dr. Quinn Medicine Women **7:00** Series: Murder She Wrote **8:00** Series: **The X-Files 9:00** Series: Cops **9:30** Series: Cod-3 **10:00** WWF Superstars **11:00** Series: Dr. **Quinn Medicine Women 12:00** Series: Cops **12:30** Series: Cod-3 **1:00** Series: The X-Files: **2:00** Series: Murder She Wrote **3:00** Bergerac **4:00** Aerobics OZ Style **4:30** Terry Toons **DD Intl 9:30** Opening & News in English **9.45** Business Plus **10:00** Chitrahar (meet the film star) **10:30** Asian AM **11:00** Light Music **11:15** Suravi (Renuka Sahani) **11:45** Gul Gulshan Gulfam (serial) **12:15** Bharat Samachar (News in Hindi) **12:30** India File **1:00 Hindi Film Show- Aag Ki Gola 5:30** Mythological Serial: Shiv Mahapuran. (Note: Programmes May be Change). **10:00 Hindi Film Show (Rpt.)- Aag Ki Gola (*Sunny Deol, Dimple)**

ESPN

8:30 NFL Blast 9:00 Brazilian National Football 11:00 Sportscentr: International Edition 11:30 Senior PGA Tour Golf Boone Vellev Cl. Pres Enterprise Rentacar 1:00 English Premier Football League Liverpoos vs: Manchester United 3:00 English Premier Football League 5:00 Sportscenter: International Edition 5:30 1998 Women's World Volleyball Grand Prix 7:00 ESPN Billiards 1998 ESPN Ultimate 9-Ball Challenge 8:00 ATP Tour Tennis 8:30 English Premier Football League LIVE Wimbledon vs: Leicester City 11:00 Motorsport Asia 11:30 European Football Weekly 12:30 NFL's Greatest Moments The Story Of The '97 Raiders 01:00 Horseshow Jumping Budweiser Grand Prix Of Indiapolis 02:00 Bodybuilding 1997 Fitness Olympia 03:00 European Football Weekly

ZEE CINEMA

7:15 EK KUNWARA EK KUNWARI **9:30** TARANA (*Dilip Kumar, Madhubala) **12:30** LOVE STORY (*Kumar Gaurav, Vijayeta Pandit) **4:00** JAAN (Ajay Devgan, Twinkle Khanna) **7:45** SHAANDAR (*Sanjeev Kumar, Sharmila Tagore) **10:30** DHARMATMA (*Feroz Khan, Hema Malini, Premnath) **1:45** AAG HI AAG **4:30** CHUPA RUSTAM (*Azad, Chitra)