Afghanistan A Beats Zimbabwe A in First ODI of Tour

KABUL - Afghanistan's cricket team scored a 44-run victory over the touring Zimbabwe A team in their first one-day international (ODI) match at the International Cricket Stadium in Kabul on Thursday.

A statement from the Afghanistan Cricket Board (ACB) said that the victory came after Afghanistan bowled Zimbabwe A for 224 in their 49 overs. Afghanistan scored 268 for eight in their 49 overs.

The ACB statement said that the victory was important for Afghanistan's team ahead of their ODI series against full-strength Zimbabwe next week.

Pakistan - Taliban in Killings

KABUL - At least 13 Taliban militants were killed while fighting Afghan security forces in the eastern Nangarhar province on Friday, local media reported.

The Taliban said they wanted to remove “inflamed” government checkpoints in the district.

In another incident in the Nangarhar province, five Taliban fighters were killed in a gun battle with Afghan security forces.

A statement from the Ministry of Defense said that the government forces killed 10 Taliban militants in separate operations in the province.

According to the statement, the Afghan forces killed the Taliban fighters in parts of Nangarhar district on Sunday.

The government forces also killed four Taliban fighters in the district of Khost on Monday.

Taliban Attack Security Posts in Tarinkot City

KABUL - The Taliban launched a coordinated attack on security posts in Tarinkot city, the provincial capital of southern Uruzgan province, local officials said on Sunday.

The attack was launched late Saturday night in the district's Mazar-e-Sharif area, leaving a number of casualties among the security forces.

A local security official confirmed the incident and said the clashes continued for several hours before the militants were forced to retreat.

The official further added that seven Taliban militants were killed and at least 10 others were wounded during the clashes.

He said the provincial acting police chief was also injured and was being treated at a hospital.

The Taliban militants group has not commented regarding the clashes so far.

Urga is among the refu-

s, which overran the town on Thursday, according to local sources.

The Taliban have given a strong response to the Afghan government, demanding the withdrawal of government forces from the area.

The attack comes amid an increase in violence in the province, with the Taliban seizing control of several districts in recent weeks.

Afghanistan's government has been attempting to stabilize the situation in the southern provinces, but the Taliban's presence continues to pose a significant threat.

Weather Forecast

Weather conditions are expected to remain mostly sunny in most parts of the country on Saturday, with occasional showers in some northern and eastern provinces.

Temperatures are expected to be warm in the south and central regions, with higher temperatures in the north.

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National security

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