

LG Mathur interacts with mediapersons from Rajasthan & MP at Ladakh

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LEH: The Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh, RK Mathur, met and interacted with the mediapersons from Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh who are on a week-long press tour to Ladakh organised by Press Information Bureau (PIB), Jaipur.

Principal Secretary, Dr Pawan Kotwal; Divisional Commissioner, Saugat Biswas; Commissioner/Secretary, Information, Padma Angmo; Secretary, Tourism and Culture, Mehboob Ali Khan; Assistant Director, DIPR Leh, Dr Tundup Namgyal and representatives from PIB Jaipur were also present during the interaction session.

LG Mathur informed about various developmental activities in Ladakh in various sectors after the formation of the region as a Union Territory in 2019.

He stated that the Rs 50,000 crores Special Development Package announced by the Government of India for Ladakh is being utilised for the development of this trans-Himalayan region.

He informed about efforts



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being made to realise the mantra given by the Prime Minister of India to develop Ladakh into the country's first carbon-neutral region.

LG Mathur informed about various initiatives being taken by the Administration jointly with both Hill Councils to realise the potential of renewable sources of energy, including solar, wind, hydel and geothermal in Ladakh.

He apprised of steps being taken to document the folklores and folksongs along with the history of villages of

Ladakh to preserve its rich cultural heritage.

He informed about development in other sectors, viz. education, infrastructure development, tourism, etc. LG Mathur informed about the impact of the Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) scheme on the lives of the people in rural areas of Ladakh.

The team from Jaipur will visit Kargil and Leh to study the implementation of various centrally sponsored schemes and projects in Ladakh. The team includes

Pawan Singh Faujdar and Mahendra Kumar Meena (both officials from PIB), Nawaljeet Saxena (Dainik Bhaskar), Avinash Kewaliya (Rajasthan Patrika), Yogendra Sharma (Jan TV), Mohd Asif (News 18), Mohd Shoeb Khan (Times of India), Avinash Parashar (Dainik Nav Jyoti), Sanjay Kumar (Samachar Jagat), Ishwardas Bairagi (Hindustan Samachar), Anil Chokhar (Raj Express), Krishna Dutta Sharma (New Dunia) and Manveer Chundawat (Zee Media).

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Jammu Psychiatric Society elects officer bearers



Jammu Psychiatric Society office bearers posing for a photograph.

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JAMMU: Jammu Psychiatric Society, an associated branch of Indian Psychiatric Society held a general body meeting in presence of senior Psychiatrists Dr U K Mehta and Dr J R Thappa. During the meeting, office bearers of the association were also elected.

Dr Manu Arora was

elected as President, Dr Manmeet Singh as Vice President and Dr Abhishek Chowhan as General Secretary of society. Other office bearers included Dr Rajinder and Dr Rameshwar as Joint Secretaries, Dr Rajesh Chandel as Treasurer, Dr Rohit Jasrotia, Dr Akhil Menia, Dr Harshit and Dr Madhusudan as Executive Committee Members.

Post-graduate students from psychiatry departments of GMC Jammu and ASCOMS also attended the meeting.

The meeting coincided with World Mental Health Day which is celebrated internationally on October 10 by WHO to promote awareness about mental health and to mobilize efforts in support of mental health.

Hold DPC for promoting all eligible teachers as Masters: JKTF

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JAMMU: To project a number of issues and demands of teachers, a delegation of Jammu Kashmir Teachers Forum (JKTF) led by its Chairman Ganesh Khajuria called on Joint Director H R Pakhroo and Rajesh Kumar Gupta, Personnel Officer at Directorate of School Education, Jammu. The main focus of the discussion was on the much awaited DPC for promotion of Teachers to Masters.

Ganesh Khajuria demanded that all eligible Teachers must be promoted as Masters before 20th of this month and further said that if nothing will be done in this regard by Diwali, JKTF would be forced to launch an agitation for getting justice. He further hoped that the Directorate of School Education, Jammu would initiate measures for fulfilling all their demands at the earliest. Other demands of teachers highlighted on the occasion included resolving issues of aggrieved RRETs as per Court's order, transition of teachers Grade-II and Grade-III on substantive posts, suitable adjustment of Lecturers in different

streams who were repatriated from UT of Ladakh, settlement of cases of Earned leaves of teachers, etc. Both the officers gave the delegation a patient hearing and assured necessary measures for fulfilling all genuine demands of teachers.

The members of delegation included Surat Singh Toofani, Darshan Sharma, J A Agah, Rajinder Gupta, Kuldeep Bandral, Subhash Singh, Kuldeep Verma, P D Singh, Goutam Singh, Bharat Bhushan Sharma, Dharan Paul, Balraj Singh, Bishan Sharma, Pawan Sharma, Jatinder Singh, Subash Sharma, Ravi Kaith, Gurbachen Singh, Rakesh Singh, Raghubandan Sood, Pritpal Singh, Pawan Kumar, Kishore Kumar, Manjot Singh, Ravi Kumar Dogra, Kishor Sharma, Kishor Lal, Mohinder Singh, Anil Kumar, Ranjeet Kumar, Ajay Kumar, Balraj Krishan, Ashok Kumar, Jagdish Raj, Pawan Kumar, Yogesh Yogeshwar Singh, Harbans Singh, Davinder Kumar, Mohinder Saini, Madan Lal, Ashok Kumar, Kesar, Sudershan Kumar, Digvijay Singh and Dil Mohd.

Poonch veteran sponsors Hockey sticks



Ex-ZPEO, Narjeet Singh handing-over Hockey sticks to players.

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POONCH: Veteran Hockey player of district Poonch and retired Zonal Physical Education Officer (ZPEO), Narjeet Singh donated hockey sticks to those budding talent at Sports Stadium, here on Sunday.

The Hockey sticks were presented to the players by Additional

Development Commissioner (ADDC) Poonch, Dr Basharat Hussain in the presence of Narjeet Singh. Also present were Manager J&K Sports Council, Nirdosh Kumar, Mukesh Kumar (Hockey Coach and PTI GDC Poonch), Navjot Singh (Khalo India Hockey Coach Poonch) and Sohail Ahmed.

Finals of 5th Champions Trophy 2022 played at TRC Ground Srinagar

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SRINAGAR: Secretary, Youth Services and Sports, Sarmad Hafeez on Sybat witnessed the final match of 5th edition of Champions Trophy 2022 at TRC, Cricket ground here.

The cricket tournament was organised by Cricket Fraternity Dalgate and around 32 teams from various parts of the valley participated in the tournament.

In the finals today, United Imports defeated Shape up Fitness by 48 runs and clinched the title.

After winning the toss, the United Imports managed to score 215 runs in allotted 30



Secretary YSS, Sarmad Hafeez presenting trophy to winner United Imports team.

overs and in reply Shape Up Fitness managed to score 173

only.

While distributing prizes among winners, Sarmad Hafeez said that they are in a

process to improve sports culture in the valley and very soon

lights will be installed in the

TRC Cricket field which will attract more youth towards Cricket. He also appreciated the efforts of Cricket Fraternity Dalgate for organising such events.

Secretary, J&K Sports Council, Nuzhat Gul who was special guest on the occasion, in her address highlighted about the importance of sports and how it can keep the young children away from drugs. She also announced full support to Cricket Fraternity Dalgate for Cricket Tournament for Women's which will be started soon in TRC ground.

J&K BSP pays tributes to Kanshi Ram



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They are also participating in TPS India Marathon 3 km on September 25, 2022.

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educate masses about their rights. He also threw light on contributions of Dr B R Ambedkar.

S R Majotra, while addressing gathering, appreciated role of Kanshi Ram to promote the idea of self respect. "We should follow the footsteps of Kanshi Ram who struggled hard to pressureize Govt for awarding Bharat Ratna to Dr B R Ambedkar," he added.

Others who spoke on the occasion included Charanjeet Chagrota Vice President, Pritam Chand General Secretary, Kuldeep Chalotra, Advocate Pawan Kundal, Tarseem Lal and Pushpa.

Ankur Play School students shine in Judo Championship



Faculty members felicitating winner students.

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Anjuman Islah-ul-Muslimeen organise Seerat Conference

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JAMMU: In connection with celebrations of Eid Milad-ul-Nabi, Anjuman Islah-ul-Muslimeen Jammu organized a daylong Seerat Conference at Makkah Masjid Bathinda, Jammu.

Rajya Sabha Member Ghulam Ali Khatana, Maulana Rehman Ullah Mir Qasmi Dar Ul Haqeeqiyah Bandipora, former senior Additional Advocate General Hussain Ahmed Siddiqui were amongst eminent participants. Several prominent Islamic Scholars from different parts of the country extensively deliberated on teachings of Islam and Prophet Mohammad and stressed on

promoting human values and love, mutual brotherhood, tolerance, peace besides helping needy and destitute. Prominent among those who spoke during the Conference included Maulana Rehmat Ullah Mir, Member All India Muslim Personal Law Board; Maulana Abdulla Ul Hussain Qasmi, Jamia Mohamadia Seri Khawaja Ponch; Alama Syed Ghulam Hussain Rizvi, Sadar Islah-ul-Muslimeen Jammu Abdul Majeed, Ex Director School Education Gulzar Hussain Qureshi, Rashid Ahmed Fani, Adv Altaf Hussain Janjua, etc. The programme was conducted by Adv Hussain Ahmed Siddiqui.

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JAMMU: The third edition of Heritage School MUN Conference-'Viamus Moriendum Est' - War to End All Wars, concluded on a pulsating note with a glittering closing ceremony.

The three-day event that started with a phenomenal opening ceremony on October 7, presided over by DC Jammu, Avny Lavasa, as the Chief Guest, witnessed a participation of over 200 students. The participating schools included GD Goenka, Rich Harvest, Jodhamal Public School, British International School and La Martiniere School Lucknow, as well as a large number of individual participants.

The sessions' simulation of Rajya Sabha, UNSC, ECOSOC, UNHRC, UNCND, AIHPM, UNESCO and International Press saw some heated and spirited