

AJMS felicitates Jat youths for stellar performance in various fields in 2023

Ch Manmohan asks children to take cue from achievers of community

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JAMMU: Ch. Manmohan Singh, President All India Jat Mahasabha, J&K, and former Mayor Jammu on Sunday felicitated Jat Community youths for achieving various feats in their fields of study, career and competitive exams.

The felicitation function was held along with the Advisory Group meeting at Golden Leaf Banquet Hall, Babbiana in Jammu.

While felicitating the number of youths belonging to Jat community for securing slots in JKPCS examinations and also excelling in their respective fields like journalism, aviation, police, paramilitary, etc., Ch Manmohan Singh said that the children of the community should take cue from these young achievers and get



Ch. Manmohan Singh, President AJMS addressing gathering.

inspiration as well to follow their footsteps and emulate what their elders have accomplished.

Earlier while envisaging the programme proceedings, Ch Manmohan had asked the Advisory Group members to bring along at least two members of the community belonging to young group especially girls for encouraging them to follow the path adopted by the achievers of

2023. Ch. Manmohan Singh underscored the Jat Maha Sabha's unwavering dedication to the welfare of the Jat community, pledging to work tirelessly for the upliftment and empowerment of the Jat community.

Ch Manmohan Singh said mothers have played a vital role in grooming the students as they are the primary caregivers and teachers.

He asked mother to have a

look on the activities of their children in view of rising drug related activities in Jammu and Kashmir.

He further requested parents not to pressurize the children for education but motivate them for their bright future.

He emphasized that children should be given a holistic education that focuses on their academic, social, and emotional well-being.

Those who were honoured on the occasion include Dr. Surinder Choudhary (Sr. Supt. of Police), Ranjeet Kour (JKAS), Dr. Suram Singh HOD Physics Central University Jammu, Akshay Choudhary Pilot American Airline USA, Ch Babu Ram Tehsildar Nagrota, Shivali Choudhary (JKAS), Neha Choudhary (JKAS), Kamini Choudhary (JKAS), Simranbala (Asstt. Comdt. CRPF), Ajaz Choudhary (JKAS), Raghav Choudhary(JKPS) Laksh Kumar Choudhary (JKAS), Leshita Choudhary (JKAS), Vikram Choudhary (JKAS), Jyoti Choudhary (JKAS), Dr. Deepak Choudhary, Dr. Sneha Choudhary MD Gynaecologist and Surjeet Singh Senior photo journalist.

Dy Mayor reviews arrangements for Ram Navami celebration at Bawe Wali Mata temple

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JAMMU: Deputy Mayor Jammu, Baldev Singh Billawaria visited the holy Bawe Wali Mata temple to review the arrangements for Ram Navami and Dussehra celebrations.

During the visit, Billawaria was accompanied by Jammu Municipal Corporation (JMC) officers and officials of other departments.

During the visit, the Deputy Mayor inspected the infrastructure, security, sanitation and other arrangements made for the convenience and safety of the devotees during Ram Navami and Dussehra.

He urged all involved to work diligently and efficiently to maintain the



Deputy Mayor Jammu, Baldev Singh Billawaria during visit to holy Bawe Wali Mata temple.

sanctity of the event and ensure the safety and well-being of all devotees.

He also assured that the JMC, along with the Market Association and other relevant stakeholders, is committed to providing all the essential services and facilities required for a hassle-free

and serene celebration.

Billawaria appealed to the pilgrims not to use plastic as plastic bags are a threat to our environment.

Vivek Patyal, Ankush Khajuria, Karuna Shetri, Hartesh Khokhar, Ajay Sharma and Vijay Kumar were present.

CISF commemorates its Bravehearts at National Police Memorial

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NEW DELHI: In continuation of the Police Commemoration Day celebrated on October 21, 2023 at National Police Memorial (NPM), Chanakypuri, New Delhi and ongoing Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav, a commemorative event was organized by CISF at National Police Memorial, Chanakypuri, New Delhi to pay tributes to the bravehearts of CISF who laid down their lives in the service of the nation and to felicitate their families.

127 bravehearts of CISF who sacrificed their lives in the line of duty, were commemorated on the occasion.

In the morning session, Sr. Officers and personnel of CISF paid homage to the bravehearts by offering the flower petals at the Central Sculpture, NPM. The families of CISF



Nina Singh, Incharge DG, CISF meeting families of CISF bravehearts.

bravehearts visited the 'Wall of Valour' where the names of all the bravehearts of CAPF and police, who made supreme sacrifice in the service of the nation are engraved in stone. The families were then given a tour of the Police Museum and were shown the short video films that were prepared

by the CISF as a tribute to bravehearts and on the diverse role of CISF on national security. Later the families of the bravehearts of CISF were felicitated by the Senior Officers.

In the afternoon session, Nina Singh, Incharge DG, CISF felicitated the families of CISF bravehearts in

a function organised at CISF HQs, New Delhi.

Nina Singh remembered the courage and valour of CISF bravehearts who sacrificed their lives in the line of duty.

In the evening session, Nina Singh visited NPM, Chanakypuri, New Delhi and laid wreath at the Central Sculpture and paid tributes to the bravehearts. Open air display of movies on valour and sacrifice of CAPF personnel, and the invaluable contributions of CAPF and Police Bravehearts in the service of the nation were showcased.

A retreat ceremony was also organized on the occasion and an attractive band display was performed by CISF's band team. Senior Officers, personnel and families of CISF of Delhi-NCR based Units were present on the occasion.

'Vande Bharat trains are favourite among youth over air travel'

Sr Citizens prefers Vande Bharat Trains for visiting Mata Vaishno Devi Katra, various pilgrim places of Varanasi

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NEW Delhi: Northern Railway has currently four Vande Bharat trains running on the route of Dehradun, Varanasi, Amb Andaura and Katra from New Delhi.

This semi high speed rail with more speed, world class facilities, and reduced travel time has become the favourite of travellers going to their families during this current festive season.

This is the reason for the almost full occupancy of these trains of the Northern Railway.

With its speed, comfort, and affordable fares, Vande Bharat has become the current favorite of the youth in India as young people in the age group of 25- 34 years are preferring to travel by Vande Bharat as they get the best of facilities in economical price range.

As the web of the Vande Bharat trains continues to



increase in the Northern Railway zone, connecting many commercially important states and cities, the working community in the age groups of 25-34 and 35-49 years prefer them for their daily commute due to the reduced travel time, no worries of traffic and affordable prices that are within their budget.

Many culturally and religiously significant cities like Varanasi and Katra are quite popular with the trav-

ellers who are now travelling in our New - Delhi Vande Bharat Express and Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Katra Express of the Northern Railway zone.

And not only the young, the senior citizens in the age group of 60+, are also enthusiastic about travelling with the Vande Bharat Express because of its added comfort due to the world class facilities available on the train.

Vande Bharat trains,

which have been in operation for over four years now, are anticipated to have a significant impact on the aviation industry in the states of Northern Railway zone. The increasing presence of these trains, known for their high-speed, cost-effective, and comfortable travel offerings, is likely to result in a competitive challenge for domestic airlines, particularly on short-distance routes.

JKPF, Visthapit Sewa Samiti advocate for Reclamation of POJK



JKPF and PoJK Visthapit Sewa Samiti J&K members at a conference.

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JAMMU: Jammu Kashmir People's Forum along with PoJK Visthapit Sewa Samiti Jammu Kashmir organised a Grand Conference advocating the Reclamation of Pakistan Occupied Jammu and Kashmir.

A resplendent symposium of intellectual discourse organised today at the prestigious Jammu Press Club, by the Jammu Kashmir People's Forum in close collaboration with the PoJK Visthapit Sewa Samiti.

This magnificent event, delved into the compelling theme: "Bharat Ke Liye PoJK Vapas Lena Avashyak Kyun" or "Why is it imperative for

India to reclaim PoJK?"

The distinguished Prof Ashutosh Bhatnagar, the esteemed Director of the Jammu Kashmir Study Centre, New Delhi, stood as the beacon of wisdom as he elucidated intricate perspectives on the historical, geographical, and strategic significance of PoJK for Bharat. With unshakable conviction, he stressed the necessity for India to reclaim this prized territory.

Prof Satnam Kour, in her exalted role as the presiding officer, delivered a poignant address. She laid bare the atrocities perpetrated by the Pakistan army in 1947 and fervently emphasized the urgency of reclaiming PoJK to safe-

guard our borders from neighboring nations.

The illustrious Ramesh Chander Sabharwal, Chairman of the Jammu and Kashmir People's Forum, and Dr. Deepak Kapoor, President of the PoJK Visthapit Sewa Samiti, felicitated both erudite speakers for their invaluable contributions. On this remarkable session, Raghu Mehta stepped forth to express gratitude in a heartfelt vote of thanks.

This symposium was graced by the presence of luminaries such as Prof. Rajiv Rattan, Ashok, Vikas from the Jammu and Kashmir People's Forum, and Arun Chowdhary, General Secretary of the PoJK Visthapit Sewa Samiti, alongside a multitude of other esteemed attendees.

Arun Chowdhary General Secretary PoJK Visthapit Sewa Samiti shared an unwavering commitment to propel this pivotal discourse forward, entreating the government and the people of Jammu and Kashmir to unite in the collective endeavour to reclaim PoJK.

Prof. Dr Rajesh Mahajan invited as resource faculty for training in pain medicine at PGIMER Chandigarh



Prof. Dr Rajesh Mahajan, Department of Anesthesia during a training programme at PGIMER.

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JAMMU: Prof. Dr Rajesh Mahajan, Department of Anesthesia, ICU and Pain Medicine was invited as resource faculty for training in pain medicine at Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences (PGIMER), Chandigarh based on his rich experience in the field of pain medicine. In this conference, more than 70 young budding pain physicians were trained by him and other national and international faculty. Prof. Dr Rajesh is working as pain specialist at GMC Jammu from last 15 years and has been national faculty for demonstrating pain procedures at various conferences and workshops all over the country. He is certified pain specialist and has various fellowships in pain medicine, including fellowship in pain medicine by Indian society for study of pain. He is an interventional pain specialist of managing complex painful conditions from last 15 years. He is also certified palliative care specialist and actively involved in pain and palliative care services at GMC, Jammu.

He has more than 100 research papers of National international repute to his credit and is actively involved at national level in upgrading pain services by his teaching, research and as acumen as examiner for the pain services.

Kavinder inaugurates Dance & Aerobics Studio, asks youth to take benefit of PM Modi's schemes

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JAMMU: Senior BJP leader and ex-Deputy CM Kavinder Gupta on Sunday inaugurated Laasya Dance & Aerobics Studio at New Plots here and called upon youth to take benefit of the PM Mod's schemes for them.

Addressing the gathering on the occasion, he said PM Modi had launched several pro-youth schemes as part of the government policy to drive youth of the country on the path of development and pull them out of the social stigma of unemployment.

"Since it's not possible for the government to provide government jobs to all, youth should come forward to start their own businesses under the StartUp scheme. In such a situation, they will become job providers instead of job seekers. This will be their great contribution in the development journey of the country," he said. Gupta, who had been in Rajasthan to campaign for the party candidates in



Senior BJP leader Kavinder Gupta being felicitated by organisers.

the state polls, said the PM Modi-led NDA government was really concerned about the development of the nation and guiding youth on the right track.

He complimented institute owner Shubham Dubey for his entrepreneurship skills and wished him all the success.

Referring to the vision & mission of PM Narendra Modi in making J&K a modal UT of the country, he said top priority of the government was to equip youth with the latest and modern skills so that they were able

to compete at the national & international levels.

Shubham thanked Gupta for coming to the function by sparing his valuable time. He said he was highly encouraged by the ex-deputy CM's words of praise for him.

Among others, the function was attended by ward No 18 corporator Dinesh Gupta, senior BJP leaders - Vinay Gupta & Narendra Gupta - Subash Gupta, prominent city businessman Kripa Shankar Dubey and veteran journalist Bharat Bhushan.

'Delphic Council of J&K is working for unsung heroes'

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JAMMU: The Delphic Council of J&K-UT under the Presidentship of Er. Ashok Singh President of the Delphic Council of J&K and Secretary General of Delphic Council (India) on Saturday chaired a meeting in the Conference Hall of the Chairman, District Development Council, Jammu.



Delphic Council of J&K-UT members during a meeting.

The Delphic Council of Jammu and Kashmir is working for the unsung heroes from the remotest parts of villages of all Districts of J&K and will provide them with the national and international platform to show case their talent which will become the source of livelihood of the Artisans.

Suraj Singh, Vice Chairman of the District Development Council, Jammu unfolded the Registration of the Delphic Council of J&K-UT today

who was the Chief Guest on the occasion which has been registered under Society Registration Act, J&K whereas A.S Aman Additional Secretary (Retd.) Academy of Art, Culture & Language, J&K-UT was also present on the occasion.

Er. Ashok Singh President Delphic Council, J&K who is also Secretary General of Delphic Council (India) apprised the Artists of the J&K that the Council is working in various Districts of the UT since more than 02

years for promoting Art, Handicrafts and Culture so that the Artists who has no access to the outside world, living in the Village, Town, Block, Tehsil and Districts are been given the National and International Platform for their lively hood.

N.N Thussu Treasurer, Bishan Dass Joint Secretary, Dr. Sushma Rajput, Director, Arnab Khajuria with Sanchaita (Shilpkari Art Bazar), Dr. Gharo Choudhary, Director, Dr. Anila Singh Charak, Poetess, Vinod Kumar Verma Artist, Er. Nirmal Singh Chouhan, Singer, Asha Kesar, Dogri Folk Singer (Pakh), Er. Yash Pal Singh, Girdhari Lal Sarangai player, Dr. Sushma Bala, Academician, Joginder Pal Tabla player and 25 members of the Council attended the inaugural ceremony of the Registration of the Delphic Council of J&K-UT.

5th Vishal Jagran of Maa Bhagwati organized



Dignitaries participating in Jagran.

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JAMMU: With all the blessings of Jag Jannani Maa Ambay, 5th Vishal Maa Bhagwati Jagran organised by the Bohri Shopkeepers Association and Hazuri Bagh Mohalla Committee jointly on the auspicious occasion of ongoing Navratni Festival with the support and contribution of people from all walks of

life.

The Jagran commences with the lit of auspicious light and the management committee prayed before Maa Bhagwati to shower her blessings for well being of all and peace, prosperity and happiness to our Nation.

Thereafter, the renowned singers namely Sonali Dogra, Naveen Punjabi,

Raju (Vijaypuria), Janak Raj, and Kali Dass mesmerized and enthralled the gatherings with devotional songs.

The Aryan Sandeep Art Group presented the dance performance depicting the life of Lord Krishna and Radha with music direction by Johny and stage anchored by Bunty Brar.

The Jagran was held with

all the grace of Matarani and due to efforts of everyone especially the office bearers like Nisehal Sawhney President, Vijay Sharma Chairman, Pyare Lal Mawa Gen. Secretary, Sanjeev Sharma Raju Vice President, Sumit Verma Dullu Cashier, Kamni Kesar Raju Convener & Rajesh Gupta Office Secretary under the guidance of Dr.T K Moza.

On the occasion, the contributions made by Late Pandit Mela Ram (Ex. Chairman) and a key member of the society remembered for the welfare of the residents and shopkeepers of Bohri.

The Association is organizing these type of religious functions from time to time and also working for the wellbeing of the society and development of the Mohalla/Ward 41.

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