

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



**Janaya Padwal**  
Class:- 6th 'A'  
D.O.B:- 13-10-2013  
JKPS Panjtirthi

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**Shivangi Sharma**  
Class:- 2nd 'B'  
D.O.B:- 13-10-2016  
JKPS Panjtirthi

**SHOP FOR RENT**

One shop of Gurdwara Sahib, Lakhdara Bazar, Jammu (Near Hanuman Mandir) measuring 8 Feet x 17 Feet is available for rent. For detailed information of Bidding documents, contact Manager, Gurdwara Sri Guru Nank Dev Ji, Chand Kour Nagar, Jammu between 11 am to 4 pm.  
Contact No: 9596826079, 70064-44538  
Last date for submission of Bid is on or before 20th November, 2024  
DGPC Jammu

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

I have lost 'C' Forms bearing Nos. 06V-114003 to 06V-114017 which were issued in favour of my firm M/S Anil Gandotra Contractor at Subash Nagar, Jammu bearing TIN 01821180901 by the Assessing Authority State Taxes Circle 'O' Jammu. I have lost above mentioned 'C' Forms issued by the Assessing Authority State Taxes Officer Circle 'O' Jammu in my favour. Now I have applied for cancellation of such forms before the Assessing Authority State Taxes Circle 'O' Jammu. If anybody has any objection please communicate before the Assessing Authority State Taxes Circle 'O' Jammu within seven days from publication of this notice. No objection will entertain after expiry of seven days of such publication.

**NOTICE**

I, Nirmaljit Kour (Old Name) W/o S. Sandeep Singh R/o Azad Nagar, Gadigarh Tehsil Jammu South District Jammu has changed my name from Nirmaljit Kour to Nirmaljeet Kour. I do hereby from this date the name/surname Nirmaljeet Kour (New Name).

**NOTICE**

I, Sanjay Kumar Mathavan S/o Manhor Lal R/o 95/1 Nanak Nagar, Jammu state that my name has wrongly been written as Sanjay Kumar instead of correct name Sanjay Kumar Mathavan in my Driving Licence bearing No. JK0220120089662. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within 7 days.

**NOTICE**

I, M Jyoti is legally wedded spouse of No 15419220Y Rank Hav/W/M M. Rajesh Kumar state that my name has wrongly been written as M Jyoti instead of correct name M Jyoti in my Husband's service record. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within 7 days.

**NOTICE**

Ritik Pal in the school namely 'Navdeep Public School' situated at Paloura Jammu. That in the above mentioned school record the name of deponent's son is written as Ritik instead of correct name Ritik Pal and the same is required to be entered as Ritik Pal in school record. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within 7 days.



**DC conducts surprise late-night inspection at GMC Rajouri**



DC Abhishek Sharma during surprise late-night visit to GMC Rajouri.

**STATE TIMES NEWS**  
RAJOURI: In a bid to ensure the effective functioning of healthcare services, Deputy Commissioner Rajouri, Abhishek Sharma, paid a surprise late-night visit to Government Medical College (GMC) Rajouri. The visit, aimed at reviewing the emergency services, maternal and child health care, and overall hospital operations, led to the identification of several gaps that require immediate action. During his thorough end-to-end inspection, DC Rajouri closely examined the facilities being provided to patients and interacted with both staff and visitors to understand their concerns. While acknowledging the hospital's critical role in serving the population of Rajouri, Poonch, and Reasi districts, he stressed that government health services

must be delivered efficiently and with compassion. The DC inspected various wards and the emergency department, identifying areas where improvements are necessary. He emphasized the need for the hospital administration to focus on the gaps and directed swift action against any dereliction of duty by the staff. Additionally, DC Rajouri highlighted the importance of maintaining accurate medical records and the timely issuance of essential medicines to patients. The Medical Superintendent was directed to ensure the availability of doctors as per the roster and to implement a more efficient duty management system, especially in critical areas like the emergency ward, to avoid any disruption in services.

**NOTICE**

I, Gulshan Pal Singh S/o S. Ajit Singh R/o Village Sher Garh P/o Dharap Tehsil Gadi Garh, Jammu South have lost my Drug Licence. Now I am applying for duplicate of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within 7 days. If anybody found please contact 9419750124, 7780950124.

**NOTICE**

I, Anita Devi W/o Yashpaul M/o Nikhil Angurana R/o Sungal, Tehsil Pouni, District Reasi state that my name has wrongly been written as Anita Kumari instead of correct name Anita Devi in My son School record. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within 7 days.

**NOTICE**

I, Choni Lal Bhat S/o Shamboo Nath Bhat R/o H.No 194/2B Sec 1 Om Vihar Vinayak Nagar, Muthi, Jammu state that my name has been wrongly written as Chuni Lal Bhat instead of Choni Lal Bhat in my driving licence bearing No. JK0220140156049. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to RTO Jammu within 7 days.

**NOTICE**

I, Army No. JC-453733N, Rank-Sub, Pravin Pratap Singh, Unit 14GRENADIERS, R/o Village Jirole Dor, P/o Jirale Dor, Tehsil Kol, District Aligarh, State UP-202001 state that my mother name has wrongly been written as Kamlesh Kumari instead of correct name Vinlesh Devi in my Army Service record. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within 7 days.

**NOTICE**

I have appeared in Class 10th under Roll No. 160012095, Session & Year Annual Regular 2024. Reg. No. 226000202310007 respectively through the Jammu & Kashmir Board of School Education. Due to the error committed by the concerned School/Parent my mother's name has wrongly been written as Retana Banoo instead of correct name Retana Banoo. Now, I have applied for Correction/Rectification of error before the Joint Secretary, Certificates, JD the J&K Board of School Education, Rehari Colony, Jammu. If any person has any objection in this regard, may file the same in the office of the Joint Secretary, Certificates, JD, within Seven days from date of issuance of this Notice. After the expiry of the said period, No Objection shall be entertained. This is published for the information of the General Public.  
Name: Umar Feroz  
Father's Name: Mohd Aslam  
Mother's Name: Rehana Banoo  
R/o Kacha Talab Bahufort Jammu




**NOTICE**

I, Insha Feroz D/o Mohd Aslam Mother name Rehana Banoo R/o Kacha Talab Bahufort Jammu state that my mother name has wrongly been written as Rehana instead of correct name Rehana Banoo in my 8th Class Marksheet under Roll No. 8150583, Session Annual 2022-23, Registration No. PU-22-VIII-00771. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to DIET Jammu within 7 days.




**US airstrikes target multiple militant camps in Syria**

**STATE TIMES NEWS**  
BEIRUT: A series of US airstrikes targeted several camps run by the Islamic State group in Syria in an operation the US military said will disrupt the extremists from conducting attacks in the region and beyond. The US Central Command said the airstrikes were conducted Friday, without specifying in which parts of Syria. About 900 US troops have been deployed in eastern Syria alongside the US-backed and Kurdish-led Syrian Democratic Forces that were instrumental in the fight against IS militants. Despite their defeat,

attacks by IS sleeper cells in Iraq and Syria have been on the rise over the past years, with scores of people killed or wounded. The Islamic State group seized territory at the height of its power and declared a caliphate in large parts of Iraq and Syria in 2014, but was defeated in Iraq in 2017. In March 2019, the extremists lost the last sliver of land they once controlled in eastern Syria. The US military said the strikes will disrupt the ability of the Islamic State group to plan, organise and conduct attacks against the United States, its allies and partners, and

civilians throughout the region and beyond. It said battle damage assessments were underway and there were no civilian casualties. Last month, Iraq's military said that Iraqi forces and American troops killed a senior IS commander who was wanted by the United States, as well as several other prominent militants. At its peak, the group ruled an area half the size of the United Kingdom where it enforced its extreme interpretation of Islam, which included attacks on religious minority groups and harsh punishment of Muslims deemed to be apostates.

**DC Doda flags off Interstate Bike Rally from Bhaderwah to Chamba**



**STATE TIMES NEWS**  
DODA: In a remarkable initiative to boost tourism and promote adventure sports, Bhaderwah Development Authority (BDA) in collaboration with Adventure Hawks organized an interstate bike rally. The rally was flagged off by Deputy Commissioner Doda Harvinder Singh in presence of CEO BDA Bal Krishan from the Bhaderwah Tourist Reception Centre. The rally, which commenced from Bhaderwah aimed to touch several scenic tourism spots enroute to Chamba, Himachal Pradesh. A major stop was made at the breathtaking Padri Dhar, where the bikers were provided with packed lunches before they continued their journey via Saloni, eventually reaching Chamba. Speaking on the occasion, Deputy Commissioner, Doda, Harvinder Singh,

emphasized the importance of such rallies in promoting tourism. He noted, "This bike rally is not only a boost for tourism but also serves as an effort to keep our youth engaged in positive activities, keeping them away from the dangers of drug abuse." CEO BDA Bal Krishan echoed similar sentiments, adding that the rally organized by home grown group Adventure Hawks was a step forward in promoting adventure tourism in the region and shall significantly contribute to the growth of tourism, making Bhaderwah a premier destination for adventure enthusiasts. The bike rally shall halt overnight in Chamba and return to Bhaderwah day after promotion of tourism amongst stakeholders and coordinating with tour operators of Chamba marking the conclusion of the successful adventure event.

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**Dir Agriculture interacts with Mushroom farmers from Kargil**

**STATE TIMES NEWS**  
SRINAGAR: The Director Agriculture Kashmir, Chowdhury Mohammad Iqbal on Saturday held an interaction session with the progressive mushroom farmers from Kargil. Pertinently a large number of mushroom farmers and agriculture officers from Kargil district, UT of Ladakh are participating in a training and awareness programme on mushroom cultivation techniques, Hi-tech nursery management, pest and diseases management and control in organic vegetable crop cultivation,



Director Agriculture Kashmir, Chowdhury Mohammad Iqbal chairing a meeting.

green house technology, vermin-compost method and soil health management. Speaking to the farmers, Director Agriculture high-

lighted the importance of conducting such training programmes. He said the main aim of such programmes is to improve the overall knowledge and skill

of the farmers and early adoption of latest agricultural innovations and technologies by the farmers on their farms, fields. Director Agriculture assured the visiting farmers of providing technical guidance from the department of agriculture Kashmir for the development of agriculture and allied activities in Kargil district and other areas of UT of Ladakh. He asked the visiting mushroom farmers, participants of the training programme, that there is a huge scope of employment generation and economic

sustenance in agriculture and allied sectors. He impressed upon the farmers to get acquainted with the modern trends and technologies in the field of mushroom cultivation and apply them at their fields for becoming successful agripreneurs. Earlier, the farmers from Kargil visited Integrated Mushroom Development Centre Lalmandi where they were briefed by the concerned experts regarding the different procedures, practices for a successful mushroom cultivation.

**General Category People's Front of India discusses key issues in J&K**

**STATE TIMES NEWS**  
JAMMU: A significant meeting of the General Category People's Front of India (GCPF) was held under the chairmanship of Raj Kumar Banathia. The gathering aimed to discuss pressing political issues and the current governance situation in Jammu and Kashmir. During the meeting, Prof. Yash Paul Sanson articulated strong opposition to the demand for restoring Article 370 and 35-A, asserting that calls for statehood without evaluating the effectiveness of an elected government are irrelevant and counterproductive. He urged the Government of India to exercise caution following the election results in J&K, suggesting that certain ethnic groups and political parties are advocating for statehood not for the people's welfare, but for their own empowerment. Sanson reflected on the governance during the rule of political parties in J&K, highlighting the neglect of administrative reforms and the deteriorating law and order situation. He asserted that the General Category People's Front of India believes J&K should remain a union territory for the next ten years, criticizing the previous

management of the state before it gained UT status. Expressing concern over the political landscape, Sanson noted that during the elections, major political parties failed to address critical issues such as rising prices, the establishment of toll plazas, unemployment, and the imposition of heavy taxes and fines on government services. He remarked on the "criminal silence" of political parties regarding these grave matters, emphasizing that voters from both Jammu and Kashmir demonstrated their support for Indian democracy by participating in the elections. He pointed out that many voters in reserved constituencies opted for 'NOTA' as a form of protest against political reservation, which they felt undermined their right to be elected. Som Nath Sharma, the General Secretary of the Front, accused the government of misusing taxpayer money through welfare schemes based on caste and religion, which he argued violate the fundamental principles of equality and justice. He called for an end to all forms of freebies, subsidies, and cash distributions that contribute to

the unprecedented price rise and what he termed "tax terrorism" in the country. Sharma advocated for the implementation of welfare schemes to be fair and impartial, rooted in equality and justice. V.K. Sharma, Vice President of the Front, suggested that domiciliary provisions should be established in Jammu and Kashmir, similar to those in Uttarakhand and Himachal Pradesh regarding land and property acquisition. Other participants, including Deepak Khajuria, Bhushan Pargal, Dr. Bansil Lal, Ravi Sawhney, Gopal Dass Verma, Jagdish Dogra, Surinder Kumar, and Kewal Sharma, echoed similar sentiments, emphasizing the need for equitable governance and the prioritization of the general public's interests. Before concluding the meeting, Raj Kumar Banathia expressed gratitude to all participants for their support and contributions to the discussions. The meeting reinforced the GCPF's commitment to advocating for the rights and welfare of the general category in Jammu and Kashmir, while calling for accountable and inclusive governance.

**Two-day annual 'Techvaganza' fest showcases tech, talent, and tradition at NIT Srinagar**

**STATE TIMES NEWS**  
SRINAGAR: Two-day annual techno-cultural fest 'Techvaganza' concluded at the National Institute of Technology (NIT) Srinagar on Friday late evening. The mega event witnessed massive participation from students of various educational institutions from Kashmir Valley. Techvaganza 2024 was organized by 'Student Gymkhana, and brought together students, tech enthusiasts, industry experts, and academia from all over the country to celebrate technology and innovation in a vibrant and dynamic atmosphere. The concluding ceremony was attended by all Deans, Registrar Prof. Atikur Rehman, DSW and Chairman of Techvaganza Prof. Abdul Liman, all HOD's, HOC's, faculty and administrative staff, other dignitaries were present during the second-day proceedings. Dr. Malik Pervez Ahmad was the Convener, Dr. Iqra Altaf Gilani as Coordinator, while Dr. Dinesh Kumar Rajendran and Dr. Janani L were the Co-coordinators of the two-day event. The theme for this year's Techvaganza was "Greener Innovation - Engineering a Sustainable World", It focused on how engineering and technology can con-

tribute to a more sustainable and environmentally friendly future. In his message, Director of NIT Srinagar, Prof. A Ravinder Nath, congratulated the organizers for their excellent work in successfully conducting the two-day program. He emphasized that such events offer students a valuable platform to explore and showcase their talents and interests. "Whether it's in technology, arts, music, dance, or other fields, students have the opportunity to engage in activities, competitions, and workshops that align with their passions," Prof. A Ravinder Nath said. Institute's Registrar, Prof. Atikur Rehman said during the 2-day Techvaganza that witnessed the massive participation of students from across Kashmir. "Techvaganza offered a range of workshops, seminars, and hands-on activities that allow students to develop and enhance their skills. They provided practical and experiential learning environment outside the traditional classroom setting," he said. Dean Students Welfare and Chairperson of Student Gymkhana, Prof. Abdul Liman said that during the past two days, workshops, exhibitions, and cultural sessions allowed students to showcase their abilities and receive recognition for their

accomplishments. "Such fests celebrate the rich diversity of students from various backgrounds. They provide a platform for students to showcase their cultural heritage, traditions, and artistic expressions, he said. The convener of the two-day fest, Dr. Malik Pervez Ahmad, stated that the 'Techvaganza' event successfully concluded on Friday at the campus. "We received positive feedback from the student community across the Valley," he added. Dr Parvez also highlighted that both faculty and students actively participated in the event, making it a collaborative and enriching experience. "Faculty members and students also contributed by mentoring students and organizing various workshops, while students enthusiastically took part in a wide range of activities, from technical competitions to cultural performances, fostering a vibrant and dynamic atmosphere on campus," he said. In her concluding message, coordinator of the event, Dr. Iqra Altaf Gilani, expressed her appreciation for the success of the annual 'Techvaganza' fest, highlighting its celebration of innovation, creativity, and technological excellence. Dr Iqra said that Techvaganza fest featured an

exciting array of events that brought together students and faculty from diverse disciplines. During the two-day event, students enthusiastically participated in activities like Remote Control Car Racing, Bombsquad, Structure Battles: Bridge Building, and the Treasure Hunt, all of which were met with great excitement and energy. Technical events like the Civil Engineering Quizathon, Line Follower, Robo War Competition, and Aeromodelling showcased participants' engineering skills and creativity. Workshops on Microcontrollers, Introduction to Drones, Solid Works, Machine Learning, and Python provided hands-on learning opportunities for attendees. The fest also embraced themes of sustainability and innovation, with events focused on greener technologies, such as the EcoBuild Challenge, Electric Vehicles, Renewable Energy, and talks on AI and heritage preservation. Creative competitions like Live Photography, Science Experiments, and essay writing underlined the fest's diverse range of activities. Gaming enthusiasts participated in Valorant, BGMI, Tekken 8, FIFA, and more, while cultural performances like the UV Dance

meritorious students were felicitated. Sports activities such as cricket, badminton, carrom and ring and rope matches aimed at breaking stereotypes, fostering teamwork, and promoting physical fitness were also organised. The event was a step towards empowering young girls and encouraging their holistic development. Leadership workshops, financial literacy talks, and expert sessions further enriched the experience, making Techvaganza a comprehensive celebration of technology, creativity, and innovation. Later in the evening, the magic and laser show captivated the audience with stunning performances, leaving everyone in awe. Students from across the country indulged in a culinary journey at the Food Court, which featured a diverse range of cuisines, from the rich flavors of Kashmir to the vibrant dishes of Kerala. The event also offered an array of attractions beyond food. Various stalls were set up, offering everything from fashion and cosmetics to trekking equipment. Fun stalls and gaming zones added to the festive atmosphere, drawing large crowds. In addition to these, Drone Soccer and e-football competitions, along with the magical shows, kept attendees thoroughly engaged, offering a dynamic mix of excitement and innovation. These attractions, combined with the vibrant performances and diverse activities, made the event a perfect blend of entertainment and cultural celebration, ensuring there was something for everyone to enjoy.