

JK Public School Kunjwani observes World Television Day with insightful reflections



Principal JK Public School Kunjwani Rajesh Rathore and students addressing morning assembly.

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: JK Public School, Kunjwani conducted a thought-provoking morning assembly on World Television Day, observed annually on November 21, to acknowledge the profound role of television as a global connector, educator, and catalyst for awareness. The assembly was deftly conducted by Aarya Sharma of Grade 6 Galaxy, along with her classmates Savya and Ranya, who infused the morning with knowledge, insight and meaningful reflections. Aarya opened the assembly

by highlighting that World Television Day, established by the United Nations in 1993, commemorates the first-ever World Television Forum. The day recognizes television not just as a medium of entertainment, but as a powerful instrument that shapes public opinion, promotes cultural exchange, and addresses global concerns of peace, security, development and social harmony. The young presenter further added that while the official theme for the 2025 observance is yet to be announced, recent themes

such as "Television as a Trusted Friend" suggest that this year's focus is likely to revolve around reliable information, social responsibility and global connectivity—all essential in the current digital era where television continues to influence perspectives across continents. Adding depth and diversity to the discussion, the students presented thought-provoking quotations from eminent thinkers: Priyanshi shared Anita Verma's words: "Television turns truth into awareness and awareness into meaning-

ful actions." Bhavya quoted Fred Rogers: "Television is a window to the world and a mirror to our lives." Nature echoed Rogers again with: "Television can be a wonderful tool for learning and for inspiring kindness." Hargun cited Victorious Donne: "Television does not only entertain us but also plays a vital role in shaping our present and future." Eknoor quoted Asha Ramanathan: "Television opens a window to the world, bringing news, ideas and imagination to life."

Prateek shared Newton N. Minow's famous line: "When television is good, nothing is better; when it's bad, nothing is worse." Adhvik Jandial quoted James Van Praagh: "Television is a responsibility, not only in entertaining people, but in using this medium to teach and enlighten them." Harey shared Thomas Edison's reflective thought: "Television is a window to the world and a mirror to our lives." Addressing the gathering, the Principal, Rajesh Rathore, applauded the

young presenters for curating a well-researched and insightful assembly. He remarked: "Television remains one of humanity's most influential inventions—capable of shaping mindsets, igniting awareness and connecting the world in real

time. But as with every powerful tool, its true value lies in the choices we make. Let us teach our children to be conscious consumers of information—to absorb the right content, develop informed perspectives, and use knowledge to build a peaceful and

progressive world. "May our students continue to seek learning from every medium—books, teachers, experiences and even technology—while allowing their values to be the compass that guides their understanding", he summed up".

APS Akhnoor shines at INTACH National Heritage Quiz 2025

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AKHNOOR: APS Akhnoor secured the first position at the INTACH (Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage) National Heritage Quiz 2025 - City Round, held at International Delhi Public School (IDPS), Ghou Manhasan. The event, organised by INTACH, celebrated India's rich cultural heritage and witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across



Jammu. A total of 55 teams from 13 reputed schools—including APS BD Bari, APS Jammu Cantt,

APS Miran Sahib, Sainik School Nagrota, Jammu Sanskriti School, IDPS Jammu, Carmel Convent, KC Public School, KC International School and others—competed in the elimination round. APS Akhnoor fielded four teams, and after a rigorous written test, only four teams advanced to the on-stage finals based solely on merit. Represented by Aarav Sharma and Ankit Kumar, the APS Akhnoor team delivered an outstanding performance in the finals.

School with an impressive scoreline of 50-35. Their victory crowned them City Champions, adding yet another proud achievement to APS Akhnoor's growing list of accolades. With this remarkable win, APS Akhnoor has now qualified to represent Jammu City in the State Round of the National Heritage Quiz 2025. The School Management of IDPS, Ghou Manhasan, along with INTACH organisers, congratulated the team and conveyed best wishes for the upcoming round.

APS Akhnoor celebrated this accomplishment and extended heartfelt congratulations to Aarav Sharma and Ankit Kumar, wishing them continued success and excellence in future competitions.

Demonstrating exceptional confidence, accuracy, cultural awareness and quick thinking, they clinched the First Position, defeating strong contenders such as IDPS Jammu, Sainik School Nagrota and KC Public

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Ragini Gupta of DPS Jammu makes J&K proud at Indian Pickleball Nationals Championship 2025

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Delhi Public School Jammu is delighted to announce that Ragini Gupta, a talented student of Class XII-B, has made Jammu & Kashmir immensely proud by winning a Bronze Medal at the Indian Pickleball Nationals Championship 2025, held in Bengaluru from 13th to 16th November 2025. She emerged as the only female participant from Jammu & Kashmir to secure a podium position at this prestigious national event, bringing great honour to the UT, the school, and her family. In a remarkable display of determination and sporting excellence, Ragini won the Bronze Medal in the U-18 Girls Singles category, competing against more than 1100 participants from across the country. She also received a Certificate of Merit for her outstanding performance. Earlier, she had already brought laurels to the UT by representing Jammu &



Ritu Singh, Director, S.S. Sodhi; along with the Principal, Ruchi Chabra, and the dedicated staff - extended their heartfelt congratulations to Ragini and her proud parents for this outstanding accomplishment.

Kashmir in the 9th AIPA National Pickleball Championship 2025, where she participated in three major categories - Under-19 Singles, Open Singles, and Mixed Doubles. Displaying exceptional skill, composure, and sportsmanship, she clinched the Gold Medal in the Under-19 Singles category, defeating strong contenders from Punjab, Kerala, Maharashtra, and several other states. She further secured two Bronze Medals - one in Open Women's Singles and another in Mixed Doubles. The Management of DPS Jammu - under the visionary leadership of President-RCT, Ajatshatru Singh; Pro VC, Dr.

They praised her discipline, hard work, and inspiring commitment to excellence, and conveyed their best wishes for her future endeavours.

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE SUNDERBANI PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public and all concerned are hereby informed that Manual Scavenging is strictly prohibited under the Prohibition of Employment as Manual Scavengers and their Rehabilitation Act, 2013. No person or agency is permitted to engage, employ, or deploy any individual for manual cleaning of sewers, septic tanks, drains, or any insanitary latrines under any circumstances. All Urban Local Bodies (ULBs), contractors, organizations, and residents are instructed to ensure the use of mechanized cleaning and safety equipment as mandated by the Government of India. Any violation of this Act shall attract strict penalties, legal action, and prosecution as per the law. Citizens are requested to immediately report any instance of manual scavenging to the Municipal Council/Committee for necessary action.

No:- MC/SB/2025/839
Date: 20/11/2025
DIP/J-2680-P/25
Dated:- 21/11/2025

Sd/-
Executive Officer
Municipal Committee
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OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE BATOTE PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to all public that Municipal Committee Batote is committed to achieve the objective of Swachh Bharat Mission and has self-declared ODF+ after complying with all byelaws - and development done in Municipal limit. Moreover, unauthorized dumping or discharging of untreated faecal waste into drains, nallahs, open areas or water bodies by the desludging operators is a punishable offense and a penalty upto Rs.200/-Rs. 500/- &Rs. 2000/- shall be imposed in case of any violation.

No:- MC/B/2025/600-01
Date:20/11/2025
DIP/J-2661-P/25
Dated:- 21/11/2025

Sd/-
Executive Officer
Municipal Committee
Batote

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL RAJOURI PUBLIC NOTICE-3

This is to inform to all public that Municipal Council Rajouri is committed to achieve the objective of Swachh Bharat Mission and has self-declared ODF+ after complying with all byelaws - and development done in Municipal Council Rajouri limit. Moreover, unauthorized dumping or discharging of untreated faecal waste into drains, nallahs, open areas or water bodies by the desludging operators is a punishable offense and a penalty of Rs:- 2000/-shall be imposed in case of any violation.

No:-MCR/2025-26/1443
Date:- 20.11.2025
DIP/J-2651-P/25
Dated:- 21/11/2025

Sd/-
Executive Officer
Municipal Council Rajouri

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL RAJOURI Public Notice-1

Subject: Ban on Single-Use Plastic Items

It is hereby informed for the information of the general public, shopkeepers, vendors and institutions that as per Government orders and directions of the J&K Pollution Control Committee, the use, sale, storage, distribution and manufacture of Single-Use Plastic (SUP) items such as plastic carry bags, plates, cups, straws, cutlery, polythene sheets, etc. is strictly prohibited within the limits of Municipal Council Rajouri. As per the latest Plastic Waste Management Rules, plastic carry bags below 120 microns thickness are strictly banned. All citizens are requested to avoid the use of single-use plastics and instead adopt eco-friendly alternatives like cloth bags, jute bags, paper cups, and biodegradable materials. Defaulters found violating the norms shall be liable to penalty and legal action as per Plastic Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2020.

No:-MCR/2025-26/1441
Date:- 20.11.2025
DIP/J-2647-P/25 -Dated:- 21/11/2025

Sd/-
Executive Officer
Municipal Council Rajouri

NORTHERN RAILWAY E-TENDER NOTICE

Tender Notice No:- 770-W/01/WA/JAT/2025 57-2025-26-DRM-JAT, (to be opened on 12.12.2025) acting for and on behalf of The President of India invites open tenders (E-Tenders) against below titled tenders and available on www.ireps.gov.in with closing date 04.12.2025 up to 15:00 Hrs. Bidders will be able to submit their original/revised bids up to the closing date and time only. Manual offers are not allowed against these tenders, and any such manual offer received shall be ignored. Contractors are allowed to make payments against this tender towards tender document cost and earnest money only through payment modes available on the IREPS portal like net banking, debit card, credit card, etc. Manual payments through Demand draft, Banker cheques, Deposit receipts, FDR, etc. are not allowed.

Tender Type	Tendering Section	Bidding System
Open	Works	Single Packet System
Date of Uploading Tenders	Bid Starting Date	Bid Closing Date/Time
20.11.2025	28.11.2025	12.12.2025

SN	Tender Number	Details of Tender
1	57-2025-26-DRM-JAT	Hiring of Rental contract for GPS tracking devices over JAT Division for Monitoring, Keyman & Patrolmen for Three Years.
	Advertised Value (Rs.)	Validity of Offer
	2362383.08	60 Days
		Period of Completion
		36 Months

NOTE: Contractors are advised to check the IREPS website for any corrigendum issued against this tender before submitting the bids.

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NORTHERN RAILWAY E-Auction Notice

The Senior Divisional Commercial Manager, Northern Railway, Firozpur for and on behalf of President of India, invites E-Auction from eligible and registered bidders for the following works over Firozpur Division:-

Catalogue No.	Auction Start	Name of work
EAFZR-PRKG25-22	01.12.25 at 11:00 Hours	Allotment of Parking lot on contract at Jalandhar City Railway Station.
EAFZR-OSD-25-10	03.12.25 at 11:30 Hours	Allotment of Advertisement rights through one VDO wall at Dhandari Kallan Railway Station and 11 Digital screens at Hoshiarpur Railway Station.
EAFZR-PRKG25-23	03.12.25 at 11:30 Hours	Allotment of Parking lot on contract at Jalandhar Cantt Railway Station for six months.
EAFZR-PRKG25-24	04.12.25 at 11:30 Hours	Allotment of Parking lot on contract at Ludhiana Railway Station for One Year.
EAFZR-PnU25-26	04.12.25 at 11:30 Hours	Allotment of contract for operation and maintenance Pay & Use Toilets blocks at Kotkapura Railway Station.
EAFZR-FV25-1	05.12.25 at 11:30 Hours	Allotment of contract for Setting up and operation of Food Van at Railway Stations Hoshiarpur, Jalandhar City & Amritsar.
EAFZR-FV25-2	06.12.25 at 11:00 Hours	Allotment of contract for Setting up and operation of Food Van at Railway Stations Nawan Shehar Doaba, Kapurthala, Phillaur & Phagwara.

For other details and registration, please visit Railway website www.ireps.gov.in
No.: NR-FZR0COML(NFR)/18/2024 Date: 21.12.2025 3629/2025

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In the court of Custodian Evacuee Property Jammu

Sh Mohd Ayaz Malik
Assistant Electrical Engineer
Allottee of EP Khola of Abdullah
R/o Mohalla Dakki Sarajan, Jammu
A/P Nowabad Colony Jammu.

Notice

Whereas, the case titled Umesh Dharmat V/S Custodian General & ors is subjudice before the court of under signed.

Whereas, this court has issued notice from time to time vide No.RS-EP/khola Abdullah/016 Dated.08-08-2016, No.RS-EP/Kholla Abdullah/2016 Dated.19-8-2016, No.RS-EP/Khola Abdullah/2016 Dated.16-9-2016, No.RS-EP/khola Abdullah/2016 Dated.29-9-2016, No.RS-EP/Kholla Abdullah/2016 Dated.27-10-2016, No.RS-EP/Kholla Abdullah/2016 Dated.12-11-2016, No.RS-EP/Kholla Abdullah/017 Dated.26-8-2017, No.RS-EP/Kholla Abdullah/017 Dated.26-9-2017S, No.RS-EP/kholla Abdullah/2018 Dated.03-08-2018, No.RS-EP/kholla Abdullah/44-45/2021 dated.3-7-2021, No.CEPJ/Rs khola/1319-20/25 Dated.11-10-2025 & No.CEPJ/Rs kholla/1619-20/25 Dated.27-10-2025 to you but you failed to attend the court.

Therefore you are once again directed to attend this court on 28-11-2025 and to file your objections/reply before this court. In case of failure ex-parte proceedings shall be initiated in the instant case without issuing any further notice to you.

CEPJ/Khola/1902-003/2025
Dated : 18-11-2025
DIP/J-8184/25 Dt. 21-11-25

Aamir (Shouhary) (JKAS)
Custodian
Evacuee's Property, Jammu