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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



**Ayaansh Sharma**  
Class:- 1st 'A'  
D.O.B:- 08-11-2018  
JKPS Panjtirthi

**NOTICE**  
I, Mangal Dass F/o Anush Kumar R/o Chumbian Jattan Chak Bana Brahmama, P.O: Bishnah 181132, Distt: Jammu state that my son's name has wrongly been written as Ankush Kumar instead of Anush Kumar in his Aadhar Card bearing No. 574498699718. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to Concerned Authority within 7 days.

**NOTICE**  
My name has wrongly been written as Kirna Devi instead of Kiran Devi in my Aadhar Card bearing No. 670193321372. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to Concerned Authority within 7 days.  
**Kiran Devi**  
W/o Vijay Kumar  
R/o Saidgarh Syedgarh  
P/o Chak Chinnia, Tehsil Bishnah, Distt: Jammu

**NOTICE**  
I, Shriya Khetrapal W/o Mrinal Kohli R/o H.No.216, Lane No.29. Rajpura Mangotrian, Jammu 180001 state that my name has wrongly been written as Shriya Khetrapal instead of Shriya Khetrapal in my Aadhar Card bearing No. 549649362889. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to Concerned Authority within 7 days.

**NOTICE**  
I, Yash Pal S/o Thoru Ram R/o Village Pargwal, Tehsil Pargwal, Distt: Jammu 181207 state that my name has wrongly been written as Yash Paul instead of Yash Pal in my Aadhar Card bearing No. 444701228565. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to Concerned Authority within 7 days.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
I, Indrajit Singh S/o Bachan Singh R/o Behind J&K Gramen Bank, Chatha Mill, Jammu City, Jammu, am the attorney/holder of Shop bearing No. 307, Yard No.6, measuring 15x40, situated at Transport Nagar, Jammu. Due to some personal reasons, I want to transfer the said shop on the name of Prabhpreet Singh S/o Rajinder Singh R/o H. No.114 B, Lane No.5, Greater Kailash, Jammu at present 10 DC Gandhi Nagar, Jammu. For the said purpose, I have applied for the execution of conveyance deed of the said shop at JDA office, Jammu. Objection, if any, may be conveyed to the office of the Vice Chairman, Jammu Development Authority, Jammu within seven days from the date of publication of this Notice.

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The candidate whose photograph is pasted here has lost his/her qualification certificate and has the following particulars:-  
Roll No. 1802762, Class 12th, Year & Session Annual 2015, Registration No. N11520550003 and Name Iltihar Hussain, Father's Name Mohammad Abbas, Mother's Name Zainab Banoo Residence Baroo, Kargil Ladakh. Now the candidate has applied for issuance of Diploma/Marksheet. Before the case will be processed under rules, if somebody is having objection in this regard he/she shall approach the office of the Joint Secretary Certificates J&K BOSE Rehari Colony Jammu within 7 days. After the expiry of the defined period no objection will be entertained. (Besides the lost 'Qualification Certificate', issued in Session Annual 2015 in favour of candidate name Iltihar Hussain is/are be treated as 'CANCELLED').

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**FOR APPOINTMENT CALL :- 9103636144, 9796271818**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
I, Mukesh Chowdhary S/o Sh. Shadi Lal R/o Ward No. 8, Near Pandav Mandir, Udhampur intend to sell plot no. 47 Phase IInd, measuring 40ft x 80ft, situated at Housing Colony Udhampur to Smt. Radhika Gupta W/o Umesh Kumar R/o Ward No. 9, House no. 127 Near Janta Art Press, Udhampur. The original possession letter issued by the DGM, Housing Board Jammu is missing and not traceable. I have applied for NOC for conveyance deed for transfer of lease hold rights of above said plot. Objection if any, may be conveyed to Managing Director, J&K Housing Board, Green Belt Park Gandhi Nagar, Jammu within a period of 15 days from the date of publication of the notice. However, no objection will be entertained after the expiry of above said period.

**FOR BOOKING ADVERTISEMENT CONTACT**  
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**STATE TIMES**

## NCC Cadets spread warmth, compassion, service at Home for the Aged & Infirm Ambphalla

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
JAMMU: In a noble display of compassion, discipline, and social responsibility, the cadets of the 8th J&K Girls NCC Battalion visited the Home for the Aged & Infirm (Vridh Ashram), Ambphalla, Jammu. The visit was a heartwarming gesture aimed at bringing joy, care, and emotional support to the elderly residents of the institution.



The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from the cadets who engaged in interactive sessions with the inmates, listening to their life experiences, sharing smiles, and spending quality time in an atmosphere filled with warmth and mutual respect. The elderly residents, deeply touched by the affection and humility of the young cadets, blessed them for their thoughtful initiative. As part of the visit, the cadets distributed 40 warmers (20 for ladies and 20 for gents) among the residents of the Home. This thoughtful gesture was undertaken with the objective of ensuring the comfort and well-being of the inmates as the winter season approaches. The act symbolized the NCC's unwavering commitment to social welfare and humanitarian values. The visiting NCC team was led by Col. Maneesh Jasrotia, CO along with ANO Gurvinder Kour; Ekta Sharma, Hav. Ravi Kumar; Hav. B.K. Sharma & Havaldar Nasir Mir. Their presence and active involvement inspired the cadets to continue serving society with sincerity and empathy, in line with the NCC's motto - "Unity and Discipline."

The Visiting Dignitaries & NCC contingent was formally welcomed by Er. Pankaj Gupta, Managing Committee Members of the Home. R.C. Vaid, MCM also shared his experiences with the Cadets and expired them to join armed forces. Also present on the occasion were Dr. Dinesh Gupta, Secretary, Vijay Gupta, Joint Secretary, and Satpal Sharma, Managing Committee Member. Dr. Dinesh Gupta, Secretary

of the Home, lauded the spirit of the NCC cadets and the leadership of their officers for instilling in the youth a strong sense of duty and compassion. He remarked that such visits not only uplift the spirits of the elderly but also serve as valuable lessons in empathy and humanity for the younger generation. The visit concluded on a deeply emotional and inspiring note, with the elderly residents showering their blessings on the cadets and the NCC team. The exchange of smiles, gratitude, and warmth transformed the day into one of shared joy and human connection - beautifully bridging the gap between generations.

**Martand Singh calls on Rohan Jaitley**

NEW DELHI: Martand Singh, Director of the Amar Singh Sports & Youth Initiative, J&K, called on Rohan Jaitley, Chairman of the BCCI Committee on Infrastructure and President of the Delhi & District Cricket Association (DDCA), in New Delhi today. During the meeting, the two discussed the progress and potential for developing cricket and other sports infrastructure in Jammu & Kashmir, especially cricket. Martand Singh highlighted the immense sporting talent among the youth of J&K and the pressing need for better facilities and opportunities in the region. He also expressed gratitude to Rohan Jaitley for his recent visit to J&K and for initiating the process to establish new cricket infrastructure in the Union Territory. He also fondly remembered the great contribution of Late Sh. Arun Jaitley for the nation both as a towering political leader and as a cricket administrator associated with BCCI. Rohan Jaitley emphasized the importance of structured talent identification and sustained support for young athletes across various sports disciplines. Martand Singh also briefed him on the vision and objectives of the newly launched, Amar Singh Sports & Youth Initiative, J&K aimed at nurturing and promoting sports among the youth of Jammu & Kashmir. It is notable that Rohan Jaitley, along with BCCI President Mithun Ambhas, recently visited Srinagar to meet Chief Minister Omar Abdullah regarding the development of cricket stadiums and related infrastructure in Jammu and Kashmir.

## Grand event organizes at KV, CUJ

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
JAMMU: Kendriya Vidyalaya (KV), Central University of Jammu (CUJ), organized a grand event marked by the inauguration of its newly constructed prefabricated building. The occasion was graced by Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Vice-Chancellor of Central University of Jammu and Chairman of the Vidyalaya Management Committee (VMC), who attended as the Chief Guest and inaugurated the new facility. Dr. Naresh Kumar Sharma, Assistant Professor, CUJ and nominated Chairman of the School Management Committee, along with Prof. Uday Pratap, Associate Dean Academics CUJ, Vikas Gupta, Assistant Registrar, Dr. Rajan Badyal, Public Relation Officer and Vishal Bagotra, Extn, CUJ were present on the occasion. The program commenced with traditional Swastivachan and Sanskrit hymns, followed by a vibrant Dogri dance performance by the students, which added color and cultural flavor to the event. The school management extended heartfelt gratitude to the Chief Guest and other dignitaries by presenting mementoes, expressing hope that their continued guidance and encouragement would keep inspiring the institution in the years to come. Addressing the teachers and students, Prof Sanjeev Jain interacted with the students of Classes IX and X. In his inspi-

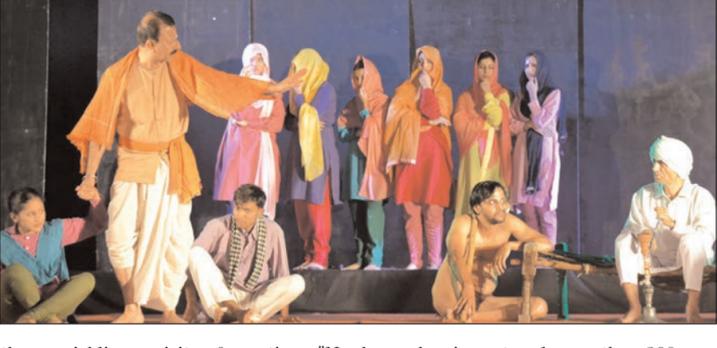
ration address, he emphasized the importance of inculcating high moral values such as patriotism, environmental protection, respect, and service toward elders. He highlighted the significance of discipline, hard work, and a positive outlook in achieving success in life. Encouraging the students further, Prof. Jain stressed the need to focus on quality education and holistic development to become responsible citizens of the nation. Prof. Sanjeev Jain on the occasion announced to provide computers for the establishment of a computer lab in the school premises. The event concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by the Principal, Ajit Kumar, who expressed gratitude to all guests, staff, and students for their participation and support in making the program a grand success.

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## Natrang presents two shows of "Bawa Jitto" at Jhiri Mela 2025

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
JAMMU: The world-renowned Dogri play "Bawa Jitto" once again captivated thousands of spectators for the second consecutive day at the Jhiri Mela 2025. Presented by Natrang Jammu, the production-written by Late Prof. Ram Nath Shastri and creatively devised, designed, and directed by Padma Shri Balwant Thakur-recreated the six-and-a-half-century-old tale of courage, sacrifice, and justice. Performed at the very site where the historical events transpired, the play offered a unique blend of realism and theatre, immersing audiences in the timeless story of Bawa Jitto-a farmer who laid down his life protesting the tyranny of feudal landlords. His tragic end, followed by the self-immolation of his daughter Gauri, symbolized

the unyielding spirit of resistance against exploitation. Director Balwant Thakur expressed that "Bawa Jitto" is not merely a play but a cultural pilgrimage. He emphasized that institutionalizing such performances as a permanent feature of the Jhiri Mela, with enhanced logistical and technical support, could transform the region into a global cultural destination. "Nowhere else in the world can one witness theatre performed on the very soil where the actual story unfolded," he remarked. Thakur extended gratitude to Deputy Commissioner Jammu, Mr. Rakesh Minhas (IAS), and Ms. Pallavi Mishra (IAS), SDM Marh, for their invaluable support. Over the past four decades, Natrang has



staged more than 300 performances of Bawa Jitto across India, making it the country's longest-running theatre production and a proud emblem of Dogri culture. The 2025 Jhiri Mela also marked Natrang's 21st year of staging the play at the fair. The production featured powerful performances led by Arvind Anand as Bawa Jitto, whose portrayal drew

immense applause. Meenakshi Bhagat (Jojan), Madan Rangeela (Mehta Beer Singh), Subash Jamwal (Raja), Vijay Bhat (Sarpanch & Ghaghi), and National Awardee Anil Tickoo (Malli) delivered outstanding performances. Young Prial Gupta's emotional act as Gauri deeply moved the audience. The cast was supported by Shivam Singh, Mohd. Yaseen, Kananpreet Kaur, Palshin Dutta, and several young artists. The technical brilliance of the play was ensured by lighting designer Suraj Ganjoo, sound engineers Tilak Raj and Anshul Gupta, and production manager Neeraj Kant, with stage coordination led by Sartaj Singh. Natrang's Bawa Jitto continues to stand as a cultural cornerstone, reaffirming Dogri theatre's place on the national and global stage.

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## Anil vows to donate entire MLA salary for social welfare pensions

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
JAMMU: Independent candidate from the Nagrota Assembly Constituency and President of the All Jammu and Kashmir Panchayat Conference (AJKPC), Anil Sharma, has vowed to donate his entire MLA salary for the welfare of vulnerable sections of society. Addressing a press conference in Jammu, Sharma sharply criticized both the BJP-led Central Government and the Omar Abdullah-led UT administration for their failure to ensure timely disbursement of social welfare pensions to the poor and deserving beneficiaries. He also accused the UT

uttered about increasing or restoring social welfare pensions," he said. Pledging his full commitment to the cause, Anil announced that if elected, he would donate his entire monthly salary to pay pensions to deserving individuals in Nagrota, including widows, orphans, differently-abled persons, and the elderly. He recalled that during his two terms as Sarpanch, he had already set a precedent by donating his entire honorarium to poor families in his Panchayat. Sharma urged the government to simplify the procedure for issuing disability



certificates and to make the process compassionate and accessible. He demanded doorstep services for the disabled and removal of the age limit for widow pensions. Expressing concern over the rising menace of drug addiction, especially in Nagrota, Anil stressed the need for a humane approach. "We must differentiate between drug victims and the drug mafia. Addicts need rehabilitation, not punishment," he said. He pledged to establish a drug rehabilitation centre in Nagrota to help affected youth reintegrate into society.

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## APS Udhampur students visit IIT Jammu Labs



**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
JAMMU: As part of its Outreach and Skill Development initiatives, the Indian Institute of Technology Jammu hosted 42 students and teacher escorts from Army Public School (APS), Udhampur on Friday. The visit was organized under the guidance of Prof. Manoj Singh Gaur, Director, IIT Jammu; Prof. Meenakshi Rajeev, Dean, Outreach and Skill Development; and Dr. Sameer K. S. Pachalla, Associate Dean, Outreach. During the visit, students explored the Central Workshop, where they gained insights into modern workshop machinery and its applications in creating engineered products. They also attended an engaging session on "Drone Technology", conducted by Tarang and Kunal from the Advanced Autonomous and Control Systems Lab. The session familiarized stu-

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dents with drone specifications, technical features, and real-world applications, followed by a live flying demonstration. An interactive session with IIT Jammu's 'Kritash Club' further enriched the experience. IIT Jammu students shared their journeys of preparing for entrance exams, discussed ongoing innovative projects, and highlighted the diverse opportunities available at IIT Jammu that nurture creativity and innovation. The initiative aimed to ignite technical curiosity among school students and inspire them to pursue excellence through innovation, perseverance, and scientific thinking - embodying IIT Jammu's commitment to shaping the innovators of tomorrow.

## 150th Anniversary of "Vande Mataram": Weeklong celebrations commence with patriotic zeal

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
RAMBAN: The District Administration Ramban, under the leadership of Deputy Commissioner Mohammad Alyas Khan, today launched the week-long celebrations to commemorate the 150th anniversary of India's National Song, "Vande Mataram." At the district headquarters, Deputy Commissioner along with SSP Arun Gupta, ADC Varunjeet Singh Charak, ACR Shokat Hayat Mattoo and other district officers, virtually participated in the



National Level inaugural ceremony addressed by the Prime Minister at New Delhi. Teachers, students, NCC cadets, Anganwadi workers and locals from different areas joined the

celebrations with great zeal and collectively express their love and respect for the nation. Speaking on the occasion, Deputy Commissioner Mohammad Alyas Khan highlighted the historical

significance of "Vande Mataram"-penned by Bankim Chandra Chatterjee-which served as a freedom mantra during India's struggle for independence. He said that the weeklong celebration aims

to rekindle patriotic spirit among citizens and inspire the younger generation to uphold the values of unity and nationalism. The participants across Ramban joined the nation in the collective recitation