

Finance Accounts Assistant Exam held successfully across Jammu province



DC Om Prakash Bhagat inspecting examination centre at Rajouri.

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RAJOURI: The OMR-based examination for the posts of Accounts Assistant Finance conducted by the Jammu and Kashmir Services Selection Board (JKSSB), concluded smoothly today in Rajouri. Out of 10342 applicants, the district witnessed a turnout of 4881 candidates appearing for the exams across 22 centers. To ensure seamless conduct of the examination and to assess the facilities provided to the aspirants firsthand, the Deputy Commissioner Om Prakash Bhagat along with Additional Deputy Commissioner Rajouri, Rajiv Kumar Khajuria, inspected the exam centres at Govt. Boys Hr. Sec School Rajouri, Baba Ghulam Shah Badshah University and Govt Post Graduate College Kheora.

During the visit, the Deputy Commissioner inquired about the facilities made available to the candidates, focusing on essential aspects such as seating arrangements, cleanliness, provision of drinking water, and electricity.

The successful completion of the Account Assistant Finance exam in Rajouri is a testament to the meticulous planning and dedicated efforts of the JKSSB and the district administration.

RAMBAN: The District Administration Ramban today successfully conducted the OMR based Accounts Assistant Exam, organized by the Jammu and Kashmir Services Selection Board (JKSSB).

A total of 1050 candidates were enrolled for the Accounts

Assistant Exam, out of which 523 candidates appeared in today's examination at 5 examination centres setup at GMHSS, Ramban, GDC, Ramban, Kamal Academy Chanderkote, GHS Chanderkote and Government Polytechnic College, Chanderkote.

The seamless execution of the exam was made possible under the able guidance of Deputy Commissioner Ramban, Baseer-Ul-Haq Chaudhary, and the overall supervision of Additional Deputy Commissioner, Harbans Lal Sharma.

Inspecting the examination centres, the Deputy Commissioner emphasized the significance of this exam as a crucial step towards meeting the staffing requirements for the position of Accounts Assistants in the Finance Department by JKSSB.

The examination process was closely monitored by General Observer, ADDC, Rajinder Sharma, Nodal Officer, Dy. District Election Officer, Lal Chand, CEO Dev Anand, Tehsildars, Harvir Singh, Nasir Javed and Vijay Sharma and Superintendent of Examination Centres, ensured a smooth and fair conduct of the exam.

DODA : The JKSSB (Jammu and Kashmir Service Selection Board) on Sunday conducted OMR based written Examination for the recruitment of Accounts Assistants



Deputy Commissioner Doda, Harvinder Singh inspecting the examination centres.

Finance in the designated examination centres spread across the district.

The Examination took place in 31 examination centres

established in Doda, Baderwah, Thathri, Ghat, Khellani and other locations.

It was informed that out of 7648 applicants, 3287 took the test while 4361 remained absent.

Deputy Commissioner Doda, Harvinder Singh inspected the examination centres to ensure smooth conduct of examination. He expressed satisfaction over the process of conduct of the examination and applauded the efforts of the conducting team, including officers from different departments, Duty Magistrates, Observers, and Center Superintendents for conducting of the examination in error free and transparent manner.

KISHTWAR: The OMR based Objective type written test for Finance Accounts Assistant conducted by Jammu and Kashmir Services Selection Board's (JKSSB) concluded



DC Dr Devansh Yadav at the examination centres at Kishtwar.

today successfully in District Kishtwar. Chief Inspector/ADC Inderjeet Singh Parihar informed that out of 3744 applicants, 1575 appeared for today's exam.

Earlier, Deputy Commissioner Dr Devansh Yadav along with SSP Khalil Ahmed Poswal, ADC Inderjeet Singh Parihar, District Coordinator SSRB Dr Umesh Shan, ASP Rajinder Singh, ACR Varunjeet Singh Charak besides other officers visited all the 10 designated examination centres within the Town and adjoining areas and took stock of facilities and arrangements put in place for smooth and transparent

conduct of written examinations.

The SOPs were strictly adhered to, while the Control rooms were established at every designated centre for the ease of the aspirants, besides videography was ensured in all the Centres for the smooth and fair conduct of the examination, the Deputy Commissioner was apprised by Additional Chief Inspector of the Exam /ACR Varunjeet Singh Charak that

The DC also interacted with the aspirants and enquired from them about the facilities and arrangements made by the district administration.

SAMBA: The OMR-based examination for the recruitment of Accounts Assistants in the Finance Department, conducted by the Jammu and Kashmir Services Selection Board (JKSSB), concluded seamlessly in District Samba.

More than 2000 candidates appeared in the examination at



DC Abhishek Sharma inspecting examination centre at Samba.

17 designated centers within the district. The atmosphere during the examination was marked by diligence from both candidates and organizers.

To ensure smooth conduct of the examination, Deputy Commissioner, Abhishek Sharma and SSP Benam Tosh jointly conducted thorough inspections at several examination centres across the district. During the inspection, the DC inquired about the facilities extended to candidates, focusing on aspects such as seating arrangements, cleanliness, availability of drinking water, and electricity provisions.

Record more than 2 lakh tourists visit Baderwah since December, snow filled Guldanda becomes darling of visitors

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BHADARWAH: Breaking the long dry spell, moderate snowfall received in higher reaches of Baderwah especially in visitor's favorite Guldanda meadow is emerging as darling of tourists thronging from different parts of country as more than 2 lac tourists have visited Bhadarwah since last year December, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Bhadarwah Development Authority (BDA) Bal Krishan informed.

The only snow filled Guldanda meadow of Bhadarwah located at the height of more than 10000 ft above sea level is experiencing heavy influx of tourists to enjoy the snow in Jammu region of J&K.

Huge number of tourists enjoying in the



Tourists enjoying snow at Guldanda.

(Pic by Raja Rehber Jamal)

lapse of snow meadow of Guldanda and they were excited about snow there.

While sharing details, CEO BDA Bal Krishan said that it's a great achievement for tourism sector in Bhadarwah as we received about 2.2 lac tourists in different places of Bhadarwah

since December last year and the our Guldanda meadow becomes most visited place, which is a good omen for future of Bhadarwah as round the year tourist destination.

"It's very good sign to see Bhadarwah as round the year tourist destination of

Jammu Division," CEO added, informing we expect that as per prediction of MeT department, Baderwah will receive heavy snowfall in coming days and if it happens we are planning to organize winter carnival in February.

"It's also a good omen for Bhadarwah as for the first time we are receiving most of tourists from different parts of Country. The percentage of outside tourists is about 95%," CEO informed.

Tourists are also enjoying the beauty of snow at Guldanda meadow and describing it one of the best place to visit.

They appeal others to visit Bhadarwah and explore it in a big way as there is everything ok to visit and enjoy.

KVK Reasi empowers rural youths under ARYA project

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REASI: Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Reasi under the aegis of Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology of Jammu organized training programme on "Commercial floriculture" here at KVK Reasi campus under ARYA (Attracting and Retaining Youths in Agriculture) project. The programme was attended by the ARYA project beneficiaries of the area.

The programme was organised under the dynamic leadership of Vice Chancellor, Prof.B.N.Tripathi and able guidance of Director Extension, Prof. Amrith Vaid of SKUAST-J. Dr. Banarsi Lal, Sr. Scientist & Head of KVK, Reasi started the programme with the warm welcome of the participants. He briefed the objectives of the ARYA project and discussed on the agri-entrepreneurship



KVK officials imparting awareness among youth.

development among the rural youths. He elaborated the significance of commercial floriculture to enhance the income and employment of rural youths of hilly areas. He guided the participants about the scientific cultivation of marigold. He also guided rural youths on the value addition in floriculture. Dr.Lalit Upadhyay encouraged the rural youths for commercial floriculture and said that floriculture can open

some new avenues of income and employment among the rural youths of the area. He also motivated the rural youths by exemplifying the successful agro-entrepreneurs in the area and encouraged them for scientific farming.

Dr. Arvinder Kumar said that rural youths can generate more income and employment by commercial farming of floral crops. He narrated that ARYA project is an opportunity for the youths to

showcase their creativity through agri-entrepreneurship. Dr. Lobzang Stanzen, Subject Matter Specialist discussed on the climate resilient agriculture and encouraged the rural youths for commercial farming of marigold. He also discussed on the importance of weather forecasting in agriculture and suggested them agro-advisories for more profits. Rural youths appreciated KVK, Reasi strenuous efforts for the welfare of the farmers of the area. Rural youths also visited the various units established at KVK, Reasi and they were highly impressed by observing the results of demonstrated technologies. During the programme quality marigold seed and polyhouse sheets were also distributed among the rural youths. The programme was concluded by Dr. Arvinder Kumar with formal vote of thanks.

Pangotra Brahman Biradari congregation February 14



Biradari members after the meeting at Ghagwal.

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SAMBA: A meeting of All India Pangotra Brahman Biradari was held on Sunday in the Mela ground of Sajyoti Mata Mandir Rai Tehsil Ghagwal under the presidency of Rakesh Sharma, President of Biradari.

In the meeting representatives of various villages inhabited by Pangotra Brahmans participated. It was decided in the meeting that like previous years, annual mail of Biradari will be arranged on the auspicious occasion of Basant Panchmi. Various issues

were discussed and it was decided to hold Ramayan Path from 8.00AM (12th of February) to 8.00AM (13th of February) Havanyagya will be performed after Ramayanpath. A Vishal Bhandara will be arranged like previous years besides organising Mela in the Mela Ground on Basant Panchmi. Duties were assigned to various villages volunteers.

Prominent among those who were present were Mangal Dass Dogra, Both Raj, Sanjay Sharma Gen Secretary, Tarsem Pangotra, Cashier, Madan Lal Toofan Convenor, Raj Kumar Sharma, Ram Pal Sharma and various other prominent persons. Next meeting will be held on Sunday, 4th of February.

Janardan Seva Trust Nowshera provides financial assistance to needy



ADC Nowshera Kartar Singh handing over cheque to needy.

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NOWSHERA: A programme was organized by Janardan Seva Trust Nowshera in which a cheque of Rs 5000 per assistance was given to the needy people for treatment, children's education, girl's marriage etc. Chief Guest ADC Nowshera Kartar Singh, Additional SP

Mohammad Rafi Giri and Vijay Kumar Sharma of Janardan Seva Trust Nowshera were present.

On this occasion, cheques of Rs 5,000 was presented to the needy people like Anju Wala, Krishna Devi, Pinky Devi, Sonia, Anjali Devi on behalf of Janardan Seva Trust Nowshera.

Skilled women are vehicle of growth & development: VC SKUAST-J

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R S PURA: Four days awareness cum training programme on "Hygienic Milk Production and Value Addition of Milk" to the Farmers of Jammu district concludes at Division of Veterinary & Animal Husbandry Extension Education, Faculty of Veterinary Sciences & Animal Husbandry, R.S.Pura, SKUAST-Jammu. Prof. (Dr.) B.N.Tripathi, Vice-Chancellor, SKUAST-Jammu and Dr. Hema Tripathi, National Coordinator of ICAR-NAHEP and first Lady of SKUAST-Jammu graced the occasion and interacted with women trainees.

Prof. Tripathi as the Chief Guest of the valedictory function, said that the

skilled and trained women are vehicle of growth and development as the training on 'Hygienic Milk Production and Value Addition of Milk' can help in increasing the shelf-life of milk and will provide additional income to the dairy farmers. The awareness programme was organized under HADP Project Entitled "Innovative extension approaches for revitalizing agricultural extension"

Dr. S.K. Gupta, Director Research, SKUAST-Jammu and Dr. Rajesh Katoch, Dean, Faculty of Veterinary Sciences & Animal Husbandry, R.S Pura also graced the occasion. Participants were given training completion certificate and inputs items for hygienic milk produc-

tion. Dr. Pranav Kumar, Assistant Professor, Div. of Veterinary & Animal Husbandry Extension Education. F.V.Sc& A.H, R.S Pura & Training Coordinator of this training programme gave special thanks to Dr. Kamal Sarma, HoD, Div. of VAHEE; Dr. Sunil Kumar, Prof. & Head, Div. of Livestock Products Technology; and his team of co-coordinators [Dr. Arvind Kumar (Division of LPT), Dr. Sudhir Kumar (Division of VGO), Dr. A.K Pathak (Division of ANN), Dr. D. Chakraborty (Division of AGB) and Postgraduate students namely Dr. Anna Singh & Dr. Ravneet Kour as well as non-teaching staffs of Veterinary Extension division.

Krishan Singh elected President JKPSA Samba

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SAMBA: Under the direction of President JKPSA Jammu, Ajay Gupta, elections of private schools of district Samba was held on Sunday.

Publicity Secretary of Central body of JKPSA Gaurav Charak established election commission comprising members



Newly elected Samba unit of J&K Private School Association.

Vishal Singh, Shabir Malik and Shakti Sharma for the smooth conduct of free and fair elections of private schools of district Samba. After the conduct of election, results were announced by Gaurav Charak for the posts which include Kulbinder Singh Jamwal elected as

Chairman, Krishan Singh- President; Shiv Charan Singh and Harbans Lal- Vice Presidents; Pardeepak Sambyal- General Secretary; Rajeev Slathia- Chief Advisor; Mohan Lal-Treasurer; Kabal Singh- Joint Secretary; Shakti Kumar- Publicity Secretary; Sunil

Choudhary- Advisor; Rajinder Pangotra- Chief Organizers and Rajesh Kumar- Organizer. Before the culmination of the function members took an oath collectively to fight against the atrocities of the government fearlessly to save this venture from extinction.

Welcome accorded to Sumeet Magotra on being nominated as Working President DCC Udhampur

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UDHAMPUR: Several Senior leaders of Udhampur Congress accorded welcome to Sumeet Magotra as who has been nominated as Working President District Congress Committee Udhampur by Pardesh Congress Committee.

A colorful function was held in Udhampur in which Veteran Senior Congress leader Geeta Khajuria, PCC General Secretary and Ex. MLA Dina Nath Bhagat, PCC General Secretary Shakeel Shah, PCC Secretary Vijay Manhas, Senior Congress leader Sunil Gupta were present.

While addressing the Congress leaders and prominent workers Sumeet Magotra expressed that J&K PCC has given him a chance to serve the Congress in Udhampur District and his priority shall be to strengthen at grass root level by constituting booth level Committees. He further expressed that we have a threat of BJP's fanatic agenda of dividing soci-



Congress leaders and workers according welcome to Sumeet Magotra.

ety on communal basis. Magotra said that we have to spread fragrance of love and brotherhood as Rahul Ji doing through his Nayay Yatra. In this occasion DCC Mahila Congress President Parvej Shah, DCC Vice Presidents Gopal Khajuria, Mohan Lal Kalsotra, Shashi Manhas, Rajinder Jamwal, Block President

Udhampur Yash Pal Sharma, Seniors leaders Gunjar Singh, Navneet Thakur, Tirath Ram, Shanker Verma, Dev Raj, Rajesh Khajuria, Arvind Kumar, Subash Sharma, Sanjeev Bakshi, Surinder Kesari and many leaders of District Youth Congress and NSUI were present in the function.

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