


HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Atharav

Class:- 1st 'B'

D.O.B:- 1st Dec.

JKPS Panjtirthi

NOTICE

I, Prem Singh S/o Late Sh. Abhay Singh R/o 346 Sec-F Sainik Colony.Due to Death of my father Late Sh.Abhay Singh on date 30.01.2024 I became the legal heir. Now I am applying for transfer of Plot No. 206 measuring 30" X 60" situated at Birpur JDA Colony in my favour.If any body is having any objection with reference to transfer of lease hold rights of said plot he/she may approach JDA office within 7 days.

Farewell party held at JKAP-8th Bn Hqrs



JKAP-8th Bn. officials according farewell to retirees.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: A farewell party was held at Bn. Hqrs JKAP-8th Bn. Miran Sahib Jammu under the overall supervision of Suram Singh-SSP Commandant JKAP-8th Bn. in respect of officers who retired from the Govt. services after attaining the age of superannuation namely Kulwant Singh -ASI, Gurneet Singh -HC and Amrik Singh-HC.

CO JKAP-8th Bn appreciated the role and duties per-

formed by the above mentioned retirees during their service. He also wished them all the best for post retirement life. The retirees were made regarding aware their post retirement responsibilities towards the department and for the civil society. Bhupinder Singh-DySP, Parmeet Singh-Inspector and other officers/officials also participated in the said event.

At last welfare gifts of Rs. 1 lakh each were handed over to the retirees.

Vikramaditya nominated as Patron Member of Mayo College General Council Ajmer

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Yuvraj Vikramaditya Singh, former Member of the Legislative Council (MLC) and scion of the erstwhile Dogra Royal Family of Jammu & Kashmir has been formally appointed as a Patron-Member of the Governing Council of Mayo College, Ajmer, Rajasthan. The erstwhile Dogra Royal Family over generations has upheld a legacy of contributing to the growth in education, heritage, socio-cultural development and public service of the nation.

Vikramaditya Singh after attending the Board Meeting of the General Council, expressed his sincere gratitude to the Mayo College General Council and said, "It is an honour and privilege to serve and be associated with one of the most renowned

and prestigious educational institutions in the country. I look forward to working with the Mayo College General Council to uphold, develop and promote the values and traditions that make Mayo College a premier institution and a beacon of learning."

Vikramaditya further said, "It is a matter of great pride to continue my family legacy and association with Mayo College which began in the late 19th century when Kashmir House was setup at the campus for Maharaja Hari Singh Ji who completed his early education at Mayo College in 1908."

Pr Resident Com inspects status of works at J&K House, Chanakyapuri



■ STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: Principal Resident Commissioner Dr. Rashmi Singh on Saturday inspected the ongoing renovation and upgradation works at J&K House, Chanakyapuri. The review included the revamp of the reception area, creation of a waiting lounge, a prayer hall, an allopathic dispensary, and new office spaces. Dr. Singh was accompanied by Anil Sharma, Additional Resident Commissioner, Shruti Bhardwaj, Manager of J&K House, and officers

from the PWD wing.After inaugurating the newly renovated reception area, Dr. Singh toured the kitchen and dining hall, interacting with in-house guests to gather feedback on the hospitality and services. Guests expressed appreciation for the improvements, with several praising the public-centric initiatives that have resulted in significant positive changes at J&K House.Fomer MLA Ishfaq Jabbar commended the infrastructure improvements, including the better

NOTICE

My name has wrongly been written as Sanjeev Singh instead of Sanjeev Singh Jamwal in School record of my son namely Shavryaveer Singh Jamwal studying in 9th A. Now I am applying for the correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to Principal, KV No.1 Gandhi Nagar or concerned authorities within seven days.

Sanjeev Singh Jamwal

F/o Shavryaveer Singh Jamwal

R/o H. No.75, Ward No.6, Bari Brahmnna, Samba.

NOTICE

I, Iqbal Khan father of Muzzafar Khan R/o Sidhra Amar Colony, Jammu want to submit that my son name in school records is wrongly written as Muzzfar Khan insted of Muzzafar Khan. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to Principal, Govt. Middle School Sidhra, Jammu or concerned authorities Jammu within 7 days.

NOTICE

I,Tasvir Begum W/o Mohd Zabir R/o Padhira Tehsil Budal Distt Rajouri J&K state that my name, my daughter name and my husband name has wrongly been written as Tasveer Begum W/o Mohd Jabir instead of Tasvir Begum W/o Mohd Zabir & daughter's name has been wrongly written as Aiyat Chowhan instead of Aiyat Chouhan in School record of my daughter namely Aiyat Chouhan studying in 9th in KV No.1 School, Gandhi Nagar Jammu. Now I am applying for the correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to Principal, KV No.1 Gandhi Nagar within seven days.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is for the information of General Public that I have applied for registration of our unit KC Mall & Estates Pvt Ltd Unit-II at NH 1A Narwal Bye Pass Road, Channi Himmat Jammu, in the office of Director Tourism Jammu under ATO (Entertainment Park). Objection if any to the above registration, from any individual/institution/Department etc may be submitted to the office of Director Tourism Jammu within 15 days from the publication of this notice.

Siddhant Chowdhary

Director

KC Mall & Estates D P Pvt Ltd

NOTICE

I, SABIA, Mother of ESHA MAHARANA R/o Ajit Nagar, Jammu do hereby declare that my name wrongly recorded in my daughter's School record as SABIA MAHARANA instead of correct name SABIA.

Now, I am applying for correction, objections if any may convey to concerned authority within seven days.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public at large that S. Pritpal Singh was the allottee and in possession of a plot being plot No.355/448-A measuring 45'x66' feet in gale Market Gandhi Nagar, Jammu during his life time. S. Pritpal Singh died on 12.07.2017 and his wife namely Gurpreet Kaur died on 08.02.2022. That w Gurreet Kaur D/o Lt. S. Pritpal Singh R/o H. No.355-A Gole Market Gandhi Nagar, Jammu, Moninder Pal Singh S/o Lt. S. Pritpal Singh R/o At present 236 Tara Glen Drive Delaware, Ohio 43015, USA and Tejpal Singh S/o Lt. S. Pritpal Singh R/o At present 10 Paddington Road, Brampton Ontario, Canada L6P 2E3 are only the legal heirs of S. Pritpal Singh Gurjeet Kaur & have applied for transfer of plot i.e plot No.355/448-A in their name from the Housing Department. Objection, if any, may be conveyed to the Housing Board within a period of 15 days from the date of publication of this Notice. However, no objection will be entertained after the expiry of the above said period.

Arunachal Pradesh, Gujarat, Uttarakhand, Maharashtra among winners on day-1 Tara declares open 68th NSG U-17 Boys Football Championship

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Showing extraordinary soccer skills and dominating the game from the word go by displaying coordination, cohesiveness and elegance, besides anticipation, motor-ability and sharp reflexes, the young footballers of Arunachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Gujarat, Maharashtra and Meghalaya began their respective campaigns in style, getting the better of their rivals in the prestigious 68th National School Games U-17 Boys Football Championship, which got underway at Sainik School Nagrota and Khel Gaon Nagrota, near here today.

This Football extravaganza in which 760 players and officials drawn from 38 teams from across the country are taking part, was formally declared open by Director General Youth Services and Sports, Sh Rajinder Singh Tara in an impressive, colourful and well attended function at Sainik School Nagrota on Saturday.



Chief Guest posing for a participating team and other dignitaries.

On the occasion, the chief guest, Director General Youth Services and Sports J&K, was accompanied by Captain (IN) Shibu Devasia, Principal Sainik School Nagrota as the guest of honour; Lt Col Amit Sehlot, Vice Principal and Sqn Ldr Praveen Kumar, Administrative Officer Sainik School Nagrota as the special guests.

Ved Prakash, Joint Director Youth Services and Sports Jammu; Jitendra Mishra, Deputy Director Youth Services and Sports Central; Ravi Kumar Sharma, Deputy Director (Planning) Directorate YSS;

Sunil Kumar Sharma, Accounts Officer Directorate of Youth Services and Sports and a galaxy of District Youth Services and Sports Officers of the Department were present on the occasion.

The programme began with the National Anthem followed by presentations of bouquets, lighting of the ceremonial lamp and introduction with the players of visiting continents.

Tara, while welcoming and extending thanks to the young footballers and officials from across the country, advised them to show the sporting spirit and preserve the sanctity of sports and

games during the Championship. Terming the sportspersons as the messengers of peace and harmony, Tara said such events apart from providing ample opportunity to youth to showcase their sporting skills, help them not to fall prey to drugs and other social evils, so not to derail from the mainstream, besides providing them an opportunity to interact with their counterparts from the other States and exchange culture, develop camaraderie and friendship.

He stressed upon the important role of the Department of Youth Services and Sports J&K in

nurturing the sports talent and instilling values of leadership, discipline, resilience and perseverance.

Tara expressed his hope that all participants would cherish their time in Jammu and Kashmir and carry home lasting memories from the tournament.

Highlighting the magnitude of the event, Tara informed that over 4,000 participants competed across various disciplines during the games, emphasizing J&K's commitment towards nurturing budding athletes and promoting sports in every nook and corner of the Union Territory. The DG Sports said the event portrays a picture of unity in diversity, adding India is an example of unity in diversity because its people live together in harmony despite their many differences in religion, culture and languages.

He extended thanks to the authorities of Sainik School Nagrota for providing the organisers ground facilities to hold this mega event in a

most befitting manner.

The DG Sports assured the visiting contingents of providing all the requisite facilities during the Championship.

Later-on Joint Director Youth Services and Sports, Ved Prakash presented the vote of thanks and highlighted the activities and achievements of the department.

Meanwhile, in the inaugural match of the Championship, hosts Jammu and Kashmir lost to formidable Arunachal Pradesh in a tough contest by a solitary goal. Ojin of Arunachal Pradesh pelted the goal in the 15th minute of the match.

In the other matches played in the first session of the day, Uttarakhand defeated Vidya Bharathi by three goals to nil (3-0), Gujarat blanked Telangana by four goals to nil (4-0), Maharashtra trounced CBSE WSO by two goals to nil (2-0), Meghalaya prevailed over NVS by four goals to nil (4-0) and CBSE held Delhi to 1-1 draw.

National workshop on Ethnobotany concludes at JU



■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: The three-day National Workshop on Ethnobotany, organized by the Jammu, Kashmir, and Ladakh Chapter of the Society of Ethnobotanists (SEB) in collaboration with the Department of Botany, University of Jammu, concluded successfully today. The workshop, titled "Exploring the Cultural Connections to Plant Life," saw enthusiastic participation from researchers, academicians, and students from various institutes and research centers. The valedictory ceremony was graced by O.P. Sharma Vidyarthi, Retd. IFS officer and founder of the renowned initiative Tree Talk, who was the Chief Guest. In his address, Vidyarthi emphasized the importance of integrating traditional knowledge systems with modern scientific practices to promote biodiversity conservation and sustainable development. He also highlighted the significance of field-based learning during the workshop's

field tour to Akhnoor, where participants explored local ethnobotanical resources and their cultural relevance. Additionally, Kamal Kishor Verma provided valuable insights into the uses of wild plants by the local people of Akhnoor.

The workshop featured expert lectures from renowned resource persons, including Dr. A.K. Goel (SEB), Dr. V.V. Wagh (CSIR-NBRI), Dr. Arvind Saklani (Semi-Sabsina Group), Dr. Shreeker Pant (BGBSU), and Dr. Vartika Jain (Higher Education, Udaipur). These sessions covered various aspects of ethnobotany and provided participants with a deeper understanding of the interplay between traditional ecological knowledge and modern science.

In his address, Prof. Sushel Verma, Head of the Department of Botany,

expressed that the workshop was a success and assured that similar events will be organized in the future to strengthen the research capabilities of academicians and researchers. Dr. Harish Chander Dutt, Coordinator of the Jammu, Kashmir, and Ladakh Chapter (SEB) and Organizing Secretary of the workshop, stated that the workshop benefited 27 participants from institutes like Govt. DC Bani, GCW Gandhi Nagar, Cluster University of Jammu, Govt. PG College Rajouri, Central University of Himachal Pradesh, and RARI (CCRAS).

The workshop fostered meaningful discussions on preserving traditional knowledge and inspired future generations to continue research in ethnobotany. Prof. Nannurata Sharma, Prof. Veenu Kaul, Dr. Geeta, Dr. Skarna Nonzom, Dr. Romica, Dr. Komal Verma, Dr. Abhishek, and the herbarium curators Nitam and Dr. Sajjan were also present. The proceedings were conducted by Ritika, and Dr. Sajjan Thakur delivered the vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to all the dignitaries, resource persons, and participants for their contributions.

Oriental School participates in Katal Battal-Aitham trek



■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Tawi Trekkers J&K successfully organized one-day, seven-kilometer trek from Katal Battal to Aitham via Bhed Devta in the picturesque foothills of the Shivalik range. The trek saw the enthusiastic participation of 133 students from Oriental Academy Senior Secondary School, Jammu along with some members of the Club. The trek was led by Sonam Sidharth, general secretary of Tawi Trekkers J&K, who ensured a smooth and enjoyable experience for all participants. Accompanying the group were Vivek Chauhan, Principal of Oriental Academy;

Ram Khajuria, Advisor of Tawi Trekkers; Sanjeev Sharma, Executive Editor of Sportsline and Rajesh Shan, a retired Chief Accounts Officer (CAO). "The initiative aimed to promote adventure activities and foster a connection with nature among young students. It provided them with an opportunity to explore the serene beauty of the Shivalik foothills while emphasizing the importance of

physical fitness and environmental conservation," said Sonam Sidharth.

The trek was lauded by the participants and the accompanying dignitaries for its well-coordinated organization and safety measures.

Tawi Trekkers J&K continues to inspire the youth to embrace adventure and outdoor activities for their holistic development.

World AIDS Day observed at IPHH, College of Nursing & Allied Health Sciences



■ STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: The Institute of Public Health & Hygiene (IPHH), College of Nursing & Allied Health Sciences, Kot Bhalwal, Jammu, in collaboration with the Government Medical College & Hospital, Bakshi Nagar, celebrated World AIDS Day on Saturday with a series of impactful activities aimed at raising awareness about HIV/AIDS.

The program, held in the presence of Dr. Narinder Singh Butyal, Medical Superintendent of Government Medical College & Hospital, Jammu, featured several informative and engaging events: Students and faculty members participated in an awareness rally that focused on spreading crucial information about HIV prevention, testing, and treatment, encouraging the community to take action in the fight against AIDS.

A street play (Nukad Natak) was performed by students, creatively addressing the social stigma and misconceptions surrounding HIV/AIDS. The play called for greater empathy and support for individuals living with the virus.

Faculty and students shared speeches to further educate the

audience on the importance of regular HIV testing, preventive measures, and the global efforts needed to combat the disease.

Students designed and displayed informative posters and placards, highlighting key facts about HIV, including prevention strategies, treatment options, and the need to fight stigma and discrimination.

The event saw enthusiastic participation from first-year B.Sc. Nursing students, Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing first-year students, as well as students from the General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM) and GNM Lateral Entry (LE) programs.

The program was conducted under the guidance of esteemed faculty members, including Manoj Kotru, Vandana (Associate Professor), Anu (Assistant Professor), and nursing tutors Shevali, Swati, Sahila, Khushnma, Samiksha, Suhail, Naseer, Pawan, Khushwinder, and Dr:Sabey (Administrator).

This event aimed to not only commemorate World AIDS Day but also to inspire students and the broader community to join the fight against HIV/AIDS through awareness, empathy, and action.