

## DIET Jammu holds SCF consultation meeting



Chairman BDC Bhalwal, Kuldeep Raj, SDM North Pawan Kotwal and others at a meeting.

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JAMMU: State Curriculum Framework (SCF) consultation meeting was organised by DIET Jammu under the supervision of Sushila Devi Sharma, ZEO Bhalwal at HSS Bhalwal.

Chairman Block Development Council Bhalwal, Kuldeep Raj and SDM North Pawan Kotwal were the special invitees on the occasion.

DIET team comprising HS Chouhan HoD DIET, Vinay Khajuria, Amar Jyoti Kour, Shifali Gupta and

Mohinika Bhardwaj (all Senior Lecturers) discussed and recorded responses of stakeholders from Govt/Pvt/CBSE schools, Social Welfare Department and Medical Department.

A detailed discussion was held with respect to suggestions of stakeholders for formation SCF.

SDM sought details about NEP-2020 from stakeholders. ZNO Sanjay Sharma briefed the participants about successful 100 days reading campaign under Padhe Bharat Badhe

Bharat in Zone-Bhalwal under the guidance of ZEO Bhalwal.

ZEO Bhalwal presented vote of thanks to all stakeholders.

Principal HSS Keri, Principal HSS Bhalwal, HMs of HS Gurha Brahmana, Sarote, Bathera, Alexander, Neha Thakur (VP CVP), Balraj Singh, Sunita Sharma, Joginder Shastri, Santosh Kumar, Sanjay Kumar, Rajiv Kumar, Kishori Lal and Ram Krishan were also present.

## Power shutdown

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Chief Engineer (Distribution) JPDCL Jammu on Friday informed that the power supply to Patoli Brahmana, Domana, Barnai, Pukhoo, Mishriwala, Baba Talab, Shamachak, Gurha Singhu, Batera, Dabbin, Chorpur, Manyal, Dhrankhu, Tirth Talab, GREF, Gumpul, Sua No.1, Garkhal, Lower Barn, Kalra, Kargil Colony, Tanda, Maria Madrian, Balli Gulaba, Chowki Choyra, Jourian, Sogal Bhalwal, Rakhi Muthi, Burnmal, Akhnoor, City, Sungal Samah, Upper Barnai, Lower Muthi, Paloura, JK Colony, ChandanVihar, PHE Roop Mahar, MES Rajouri Lines, Patoli, BSF Paloura and adjoining areas shall remain affected on February 18 from 10 am to 3 pm. Similarly, the power supply to Raya, Smailpur, Gurah, Mandal and adjoining areas shall remain affected on February 18 from 9 am to 3 pm. Likewise, the power supply to Bathindi, Transport Nagar, Fruit Market, Railway Colony and adjoining areas shall remain affected on February 18 from 9 am to 11 am. Similarly, the power supply to Choudhary Lane, Shivalik Puram, Chinore, Bantalab, CRPF Camp and adjoining areas shall remain affected on February 19 from 10 am to 4 pm.

Likewise, the power supply to Ramgarh, Rangoor and adjoining areas shall remain affected on February 19 and 21 from 10 am to 3 pm. Similarly, the power supply to Mandal, Chatroo, Dachan, Padar, Dool, Machail and adjoining areas shall remain affected on February 19, 21, 23 and 25 from 10 am to 3 pm.

Meanwhile, Superintending Engineer O&M Circle Jammu, JPDCL has informed that the power supply to Dogra Mohalla, Behind Shukantla Theater, Old Rehari, Part of New Plot and their adjoining areas shall remain affected on February 19, 21, 23 and 25 from 9 am to 3 pm. However, Superintending Engineer (Distribution) JPDCL, O&M Circle Kathua has informed that the power supply to Jarai Chowk, Footbridge, Ward No. 10, Ward No. 11, old bus stand, Mukherjee Chowk and Ward No. 05 shall remain affected on February 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 from 8 am to 1 pm.

## Three days course on 'Human Rights & Criminal Justice System' begins at SKPA Udhampur



Participating officers posing with Suraj Singh, DySP, Assistant Director (Training/ R&D) and others for a photograph at SKPA Udhampur.

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

UDHAMPUR: Three days course on 'Human Rights & Criminal Justice System in India' commenced on Thursday at SK Police Academy (SKPA) Udhampur.

In all, 28 officers of the rank of Sub Inspectors to Inspectors from various organizations of J&K Police are participating in the training programme.

The course has been designed to understand the

inherent dignity of all humans and consider the same as the foundation of freedom, Justice and Peace. On the other hand contempt of human rights results in barbarous acts which have outraged the conscience of mankind.

The module has been designed to include declarations and protocols including CEDAW, the convention on the Rights of Child, Juvenile justice Act, 2015. Eminent speakers from Academia,

Legal fraternity including those from SKPA Udhampur shall be delivering lectures. In the inaugural session, Suraj Singh, DySP, Assistant Director (Training/ R&D), delivered lecture on the topic, "Criminal Justice System and Role of Judiciary in protecting Human Rights".

The course is being coordinated by Sanjeev Gupta, Inspector and Mahmood Ahmad, SI, member faculty.

## BJP all set to win elections, form Govt in Punjab: Kavinder

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

DINANAGAR: Senior Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) leader and former Deputy Chief Minister, Kavinder Gupta has asserted that BJP is all set to win the elections for Punjab Assembly with huge margins and form its own government in the land of five rivers.

He stated this today while holding a series of meeting at Dina Nagar in Punjab while appealing to the people to cast their vote in favour of BJP candidates.

The former Deputy Chief Minister said that BJP workers and activists are working relentlessly on ground with the party's election campaign going on in full swing. He said that BJP is all set to win the elections and form the government in Punjab. He asserted that the party will register unprecedented success across Majha



Former Dy CM, Kavinder Gupta along with others during a public meeting at Dinanagar.

region of the Punjab including Pathankot, Gurdaspur, Sujanpur, Batala, Qadian, etc by winning all the seats with huge margins.

The senior BJP leader said that while the Party is trying its best to strengthen National Integration as it did in J&K by abrogating Article 370, while the Congress party is leaving no stone unturned in promoting fissions and communal divides. Asserting

that BJP will completely transform the State of Punjab after its Govt comes to power in the land of five rivers, Kavinder said that BJP is fully committed to overall development of Punjab besides ending the menace of drugs that has already eaten the vitals of the Punjabi society especially the youth. He appealed to the people of Punjab to oust the present Congress government and vote in favour of BJP so

that it forms its own government in Punjab and people get rid of the miseries added to their woes by the Congress led Government in the State.

Vociferously seeking votes for the BJP candidates Kavinder Gupta said that with the BJP Govt working under PM Modi's vision, the people of Punjab will undoubtedly witness an unprecedented transformation of the land of five rivers.

## JKSPYM organises training programme for Nurses & Paramedics

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Three days Certificate training programme for nurses and paramedics on 'drug abuse treatment & management', organized by JK Society for Promotion of Youth & Masses (JKSPYM) in collaboration with Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar GMC Jammu.

Principal & Dean GMC & AHS Jammu, Dr Shashi Sudhan Sharma inaugurated the training programme in presence of Dr Arun Sharma Medical Supdt Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar and Pallavi Thakur, Project Director SLCA (State level Coordinating Agency).

Dr Shashi, in her inaugural address, said that substance abuse prevention, also known as drug abuse prevention, is a process that attempts to prevent the onset of substance use or limit the development of problems associated with using psychoactive substances.



Principal & Dean GMC & AHS Jammu, Dr Shashi Sudhan Sharma and others at a programme.

stances. "The biggest reason teens start using illicit drugs is because their friends utilize peer pressure," she said adding that ways to prevent drug addiction is communicate and before seeking therapy,

it's important to help someone on the verge of becoming an addict. The main responsibility of SLCA is to implement the National Action Plan for Drug Demand Reduction (NAPDDR) by organizing

training and capacity building for various stakeholders in the entire Jammu & Kashmir on "Drug Abuse Treatment & Preventive Measures". About 40 nurses & nursing students and paramedics from CD Hospital, Psychiatric Hospital, Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar and other institutions are participating. Resource persons for the training programme are Dr Arun Sharma Medical Supdt Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar, Dr Mannu Arora HOD Dept of Psychiatry GMC Jammu, Dr Arti Bakshi HOD Psychology university of Jammu and Dr Abhishek Chauhan Psychiatrist GMC Jammu.

## VC SKUAST-Jammu visits Advanced Centre for Rainfed Agriculture



Vice Chancellor SKUAST-J, Prof. J. P. Sharma during visit to Advanced Centre for Rainfed Agriculture, Rakh Dhiansar.

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Vice Chancellor SKUAST-Jammu, Prof. J. P. Sharma on Thursday visited Advanced Centre for Rainfed Agriculture (ACRA), Rakh Dhiansar to take stock of research, extension and developmental activities being carried out at the Centre.

He was accompanied by Dr S.K Gupta, Registrar SKUAST- J, Dr Pradeep Wali, Director Research, Dr Bikram Singh, Dean F&O and Er. Iqbal Singh, Executive Engineer, SKUAST-J.

At the outset, Dr. A. P. Singh, Incharge, ACRA briefed about the research, extension and developmental activities going on under All India Coordinated Research Project on Dryland Agriculture (AICRPDA), National Innovations on Climate Resilient Agriculture Project, University Funded Research Programmes, Volunteer Centres of AICRPs on Bio-Control, Pigeon pea and Pearl millet, Rainfed Integrated Farming Systems (RIFS) and Scheduled Caste Sub-Plan (SCSP).

Vice Chancellor Prof. J. P. Sharma interacted with the Scientific staff of ACRA, Rakh Dhiansar and expressed his satisfaction over the efforts being made

by the centre in the research and other activities. Prof. Sharma was apprised about the progress made with respect to infrastructure development at ACRA, Rakh Dhiansar. The

Vice Chancellor instructed the concerned officer to take up more renovation/infrastructure developmental works required for accommodating the ACRA staff. He directed the scientists to formulate and design their research programmes while relating their research with the local issues to ensure tangible benefits to the farmers of the domain for their economic upliftment.

Dr. Reena, Dr. Jai Kumar, Dr. Sonika Jamwal, Dr. A. C. Jha, Dr. Brinder Singh, Dr. Rohit Sharma and Dr. Vikas Gupta were also present during the visit of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, SKUAST-J.

## OT facility starts at GRGH Gangyal



Doctors after performing operation of a patient at Government Rajiv Gandhi Hospital Gangyal.

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: On the directions of Director General Family Welfare, MCH & Immunization and Director Health Services Jammu, Dr. Saleem-Ur-Rehman, Operation Theatre (OT) facility was started for the first time at Government Rajiv Gandhi Hospital Gangyal, Jammu, with the conduction

of Special Laproligation Session. As many as 6 patients underwent Laproligation by Consultant Gynaecologist, Govt. Hospital Gandhi Nagar Dr. Naresh Khajuria along with Consultant Anaesthetist CHC, RS Pura Dr. Laughy Bhan and assisted by Dr. Nikita, MD Gynaecology.

According to Medical Superintendent GRGH Gangyal, this will further uplift the health services rendered by the hospital to the public there.

## PNB organises Financial Literacy Camp 'Go Digital, Go Secure'



PNB officials speaking at an awareness programme and distributing notebooks among students.

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Under the guidance of Yatender Kumar (DGM) Circle Head, Punjab National Bank (PNB) Jammu Circle, Rohit Raina, Chief Manager, IT team leader and Balvinder Kumar Branch Head R S Pura on Thursday conducted a financial literacy camp 'Go Digital, Go Secure' at Gagian.

Sarpanch Capt. Hans Raj along with the local villagers

and students of Government Middle School participated in the awareness camp.

PNB Officials deliberated on the various types of digital product being offered by the bank, its benefits and precautions to be taken while using this digital platform. It was emphasized that Digital transactions are fast replacing the physical cash transactions which is very easy to use and are available on 24x7 basis as per the convenience of

accountholders. Capt. Hans Raj thanked PNB team for holding such financial literacy camp in their area for making awareness among public.

Stationery items were also distributed among the student participants. Punjab National Bank is celebrating this financial literacy camp at all its branches spread in Jammu region during campaign period 14th Feb to 18 February 2022.

## DBPS holds felicitation function

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Dogra Brahmin Partinidi Sabha (DBPS) on Thursday held felicitation function for the newly nominated office bearers at Dogra Brahmin Sabha, here.

President DBPS, Ved Parkash Sharma said new office bearers would leave no stone unturned to strengthen the Brahmin Samaj at all levels and achieve the goals set forth by the DBPS.

He assured all the newly appointed office bearers that he himself would extend all possible help to them to fulfill their duties towards the people of Jammu and Kashmir.

On this occasion, Ved Parkash Sharma threw light on the life of Bhagwan Parshuram and asked the people to inculcate his preaching in their lives.

The office bearers who were felicitated included



DBPS office bearers felicitating youth wing members.

Girish Sharma and Rajesh Bhargotra (secretaries) of the Sabha whereas Riteez Khajuria (president Dogra Yuva Brahmin Pratinidhi Sabha for Jammu province), Arnav Khajuria (president, DYBPS for Jammu district).

Parshotam Chander Sharma showered blessings on the youth office bearers of Sabha and called upon

them to spread the message of great saints and holy scripture among the new generation of the region so that they are not carried away by the wrong perception in the name of modern culture. We should be proud of our high traditions and values.

Chander Mohan Sharma President Tawi Andolan was also present.

Other also Present are Tinku Sharma, Anuj Sharma, Deepak Sharma, Achal Sharma, Chitrnanjan, Raghav Sharma, Balbir Maleria, Sidharth Dubey, Anil Sharma, Anil Sharma Jindrah, Vansh Sharma, Pankaj Sharma, Rohit Sharma, Shubham Sharma, Neeraj Sharma, Lokesh Sharma and Neeraj Sharma.