

Sadia of J&K wins gold for India in Moscow event

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JAMMU: Sadia Tariq of J&K secured gold in the just concluded Moscow Wushu Stars Championship which was part of the exposure events to the Indian Wushu team preparing for the Asians.

As per a tweet by the Secretary J&K Sports Council, Nuzhat Gul, Sadia won gold beating Russia opponent in the finals.

Sadia is a two times gold medalist in the Junior National Wushu Championship.

As per the reports reaching here, Sadia outplayed a local favourite at the event which is the approved event in the Annual Calendar Training

JKPS Kathua student shines in Star Quest Season-4

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KATHUA: Kartikey, a student of JK Public School Kathua, participated in the event 'Star Quest season 4', event-1 'Regalia Stars' organized by International Delhi Public School Jammu. He played the character of Winnie the pooh and secured third position amongst 21 other contestants of different CBSE schools of Jammu region.

Bharti Sharma qualifies JRF

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JAMMU: Bharti Sharma, daughter of Mangat Ram Sharma and Geeta Sharma, resident of Dandesar, Tehsil Nowshera, District Rajouri, has been qualified Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) in Education.



Sadia.

Sadia is the daughter of India Today cameraman from Srinagar, Tariq Lone. A beaming father Lone who is in New Delhi said it is not just her medal but his as well.

Meanwhile, Advisor to Lieutenant Governor and Vice President Sports Council Farooq Khan congratulated Sadia bringing laurels for the country.

"We are proud of Sadiq Tariq for bringing laurels for the country at the International arena by winning gold medal in Moscow Wushu Stars Championship," Khan asserted.

He said that India especially

is proud of 15 year old Sadiq Tariq for her brilliant performance in the international level tournament.

Principal Secretary, Youth Services and Sports Department, Alok Kumar, also congratulated Tariq and Sports Council.

Advisor Khan also congratulated National Chief Coach Wushu and CEO, Kuldeep Handoo, President J&K Wushu Association, Vijay Saraf for training Sadia and her colleagues.

Advisor Khan thanked MYAS and the Sports Authority of India for sanctioning, facilitating and ensuring participation of Indian team in Moscow

Wushu Stars championship. He hoped that Sadia Tariq will perform better in Youth Asian Games slated to be held in the month of December in China.

In her felicitation message, Secretary, J&K Sports Council, Nuzhat Gul, said that Jammu and Kashmir government under the dynamic leadership of Lieutenant Governor, Manoj Sinha, is rendering full support to all those youngsters who are interested in sports activities and aspiring to pursue career in sports activities.

"This is the real meaning of Beti Padao Beti Bachao and we ensure every child gets opportunity to express his/her sporting skills," she added.

and Competition of the Sports Authority of India (SAI). Both the Junior and Senior India team is participating in the championship.

Earlier in the day, former Sports Minister and Athens Olympics medalist Rajiv Kishore took to social media and laud the gold-winning effort from

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Leadership Summit 3.0 begins at IIM Jammu

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JAMMU: Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Jammu launched third installment of its flagship event, Leadership Summit, a two-day grand event, to be attended by global heavyweights from industry, government and other walks of life. Professor B S Sahay, Director, IIM Jammu, inaugurated the event by 'Lighting of Lamp' in presence of Dr Mughbil Burhan and Dr Prateek Jain. The theme for this year is centered around leadership next for 'Atmanirbhar Bharat', with primary focus on self-reliance, self-sustenance, adopted by the Government of India and making India a part of global economy.

Dr Mughbil Burhan, in the introductory speech, introduced the theme for summit and emphasized the role of leaders with regards to pro-



Director IIM Jammu, Prof B S Sahay lighting ceremonial lamp.

viding motivation, clarity of purpose and guidance for greater efficiency.

In first panel discussion, the institute got an opportunity to host esteemed visionaries who talked about 'The Great Reset: Navigating through disruptions at the workplace.'

Kris Gopalakrishnan, Co-founder, Infosys, kick-started the session and spoke about three major requirements for education system, which included education leading to more contribution from individuals

towards development of society, imparting knowledge for humanism and justice, and building fair relations.

Anil Kaul, Managing Director, Tata, Capital Housing Finance talked at length about evolved expectations of customers and increased importance of innovation in the workplace.

Others who spoke on the occasion included J B Singh, President & CEO, Interglobe Hotels; former Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry, Dr Kiran Bedi; Deepika Kumari, Professional Archer; Ramesh Kailasam, Dr Vijay Gambhire, President & Director, Sirpur Paper Mills Limited.

The vote of thanks was delivered by Dr Prateek Jain, Chairperson, Center for Entrepreneurship, Innovations & Skill.

Ranji Trophy: After a hard toil on field, J&K batters show application

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JAMMU: After toiling hard on the field for around three sessions on day-2 and the penultimate day today, Jammu and Kashmir batsmen showed application, composure and promise today, but have a huge task at hand on the final day tomorrow, needing 319 runs more to win with 6 wickets in hand in the Ranji Trophy Elite Group-C match at IIT Chemplast, Chennai.

Earlier, resuming from an overnight score of 128/2, Karnataka declared their second innings at 298/3, thus setting a target of 508 runs for Jammu and Kashmir. Sidharth KV top scored with 72-ball 72 runs, while first

innings centurion Karun Nair and skipper Manish Pandey contributed unbeaten 71 and 37 respectively. Openers Samarth R and Devdutt Padikkal scored 62 and 49 runs respectively. Left-arm spinner Abid Mushtaq was the only successful bowler from J&K, taking all three wickets to fall, conceding 65 runs in his 18 overs. Chasing a huge winning target of 508 runs in the second essay, J&K batsmen showed resistance and were 189 for the loss of

With last day's play left, J&K needs 319 more runs to win with 6 wickets in hand.

Though, it is a huge ask for J&K, but with Ian leading from the front, promising Samad at the other end, Parvez Rasool yet to come, all-rounders- Abid, Anujib in J&K's kitty, surface behaving beautifully and cricket being the game of glorious uncertainties, all the three possibilities are there- a win, a loss or a draw. Let's wait for the final day.

RBBA delegation calls on JMC Commissioner



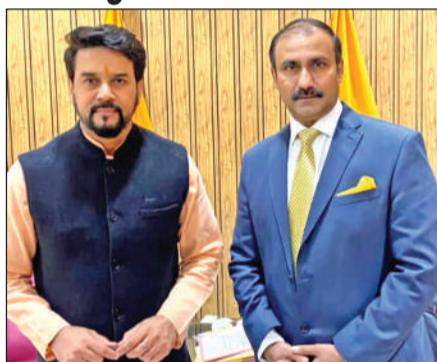
RBBA delegation calling on JMC Commissioner Avny Lavasa.

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JAMMU: A delegation of Raghunath Bazar Businessmen Association (RBBA) led by its President Sanjay Gupta called on JMC Commissioner Avny Lavasa, on Saturday, regarding Smart City project. While lauding initiatives taken by Govt to develop Jammu as Smart City, RBBA President put forth their reservation regarding

as proposed by Jammu Smart City Ltd, as parking is the main life-line for any business area. He also suggested few things for incorporation under Smart City Project including Selfie-point at Raghunath Mandir Chowk, a gate at Raghunath Mandir Chowk on lines of gate at Bharat Mata Chowk, relocation of security pickets, removal of sign-post which has been placed in front of temple, etc. JMC Commissioner gave a patient hearing and assured that all reservations and suggestions will be taken into consideration. Others present on the occasion included Sanjay Sethi (Senior Vice President), Amit Goel (General Secretary), Nitin Gupta (Secretary), Ankush Sethi (Treasurer) Baldev Khullar, Virinder Puri and Ashwani Arora.

Ranjeet Kalra meets Anurag Thakur



SAI Management Committee Member, Ranjeet Kalra during a meeting with Union Sports Minister, Anurag Thakur.

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NEW DELHI: Ace Sports Administrator & presently the member of the management committee of Sports Authority of India (SAI) Centre in Jammu, Ranjeet Kalra met Union Minister for Sports and Youth Affairs & Information & Broadcasting

Anurag Thakur at New Delhi.

Kalra, during the course of the meeting, discussed various matters pertaining to promotion of sports in J&K and also issues regarding the upgrading & logistics of SAI centre in Jammu.

Kalra, while expressing gratitude to Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha's administration for the new sports policy and appointment of outstanding sports persons to gazetted posts, requested the minister to further strengthen the sports programs in Jammu and Kashmir by pitching in resources and funding for the success of the newly released visionary sports policy.

Ranjeet Kalra also thanked Anurag Thakur for his continuous and generous support for promotion of sports and youth affairs in UT of Jammu and Kashmir especially with regard to the upcoming and the newly created state of the art sports infrastructure in various districts built under the Prime Minister's special sports package for J&K.

Events like Ice wall climbing can help Ladakh to become winter destination for tourists: LG

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LEH: The Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh, RK Mathur, on Saturday started Ice Wall Climbing Competition-2022 organised by North-West Frontier of ITBP Leh in collaboration with Ladakh Mountaineering Guide Association (LMGA) at Gangas.

LG Mathur stressed the need for a collective effort from all organisations, including armed forces and civilians, to organise this event at a grander scale. He stated that it is a matter of pride that around 106 participants are taking part in this ice wall climbing competition.

He also expressed hope to see international participants taking part in the event and also participants from Ladakh at the Winter Olympics. LG Mathur said that ice wall climbing and ice and snow sculpting could become major events to attract tourists in winters.

LG Mathur also stressed on the need for comprehensive infrastructure to make adventure sports safe, attractive and

SKUST-J conducts Ph.D entrance test offline

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JAMMU: Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology of Jammu (SKUAST-J) under the guidance of Vice-Chancellor, Prof. J.P. Sharma conducted entrance examination for admission to Ph.D pro-



A Police officer presenting memento to LG Ladakh, R.K Mathur.

popular among tourists. This may include safety of sports, medical help, medical evacuation, etc.

Earlier, Inspector General, North-West Frontier of ITBP, Lhari Dorjee Lhatoo, stated that the objective of the competition is to attract international participants and also prepare athletes who could represent India at Winter Olympics.

Deputy Inspector General (DIG), North-West Frontier, ITBP, Sandeep Khosla, gave

the vote of thanks. The ITB and LMGA teams gave a demonstration of ice wall climbing and medical rescue.

Additional Director General of Police (ADGP), SS Khandare, Deputy Commissioner, Leh, Shrikant Suse; Senior Superintendent of Police, PD Nitya; Upper Leh Councillor, Stanzin Tsepak were present during the event. 13 teams are taking part in the two-day competition in which lead and speed events would be held.

The programme started with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the dignitaries, followed by a floral welcome of the guests by the center to oversee the conduct of the entrance examination and expressed satisfaction for the conduct of CET.

The result of the CET, counseling schedule and other updates shall be available on the university website www.skuast.org.

Anita Karwal visits KV-1 Jammu, motivates students to opt new non-traditional career alternatives

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JAMMU: A delegation of senior officers headed by Anita Karwal Secretary (SE&L) GoI on Saturday visited Kendriya Vidyalaya (KV) No 1 Gandhi Nagar. Other members of the delegation included Maneesh Garg Joint Secretary (SS-II) DOSEL, GoI, Nidhi Pandey Commissioner, KVS at JS (Level), Vinayak Garg NVS at JS (Level), B.K. Singh Principal Secretary to School Education Department, J&K and Aftab Khan Sr. consultant, TSG, Edcel from the Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, GoI.

The delegation was welcomed and received by the



Anita Karwal Secretary (SE&L) GoI along with other members, posing with students of KV No 1 Gandhi Nagar.

Deputy Commissioner KVS Jammu region Dr. D Manjunath.

After paying floral tributes to Mahatma Gandhi statue in Vidyalaya premises, Anita Karwal had an interactive session with the students and faculty of various Kendriya Vidyalayas of Jammu region.

Karwal motivated and

encouraged students to have a broader vision and opt for new non-traditional career alternatives.

She made the audience aware of the NEP 2020 which has completely reformed the traditional academic and teaching approach and has given more freedom to students to specialize in their choice of subjects.

Sunil Memorial Volleyball tournament begins

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JAMMU: Retired SSP, Shiv Kumar Singh on Saturday inaugurated Sunil Memorial Volleyball Tournament being organized by Volleyball Club Baktha under the aegis of Volleyball Association of Jammu and Kashmir at Panchayat Ghar Volleyball Ground, Baktha here.

The two-day open volleyball tournament was organized in collaboration of District Volleyball Association Kathua.

in all, seven teams from

Kathua, Samba and Jammu Districts participated in the tournament.

today's results: Budhi

Club beat Dhaloti Club 2-

1 (25-13, 22-25, 15-14);

Baktha Club beat

Magloor Club by 2-0 (25-

18, 25-17); Samba beat

Kathua club by 2-1 (25-

23, 17-25, 25-23); Dhanvi

Club beat Upper Mela by

2-0 (25-19, 25-17); JBD

Club Lower Mela beat R S

Pura Club by 2-1 (25-20,

24-26, 15-10); Gurha

Mundian beat Shaktipunj

Hiranagar by 2-0 (25-18,

25-13); Baba Sidgiora

Club beat Rising Star Club 2-0. A large number

of people of adjoining vil-

lages witnessed the

matches.

He also appreciated the school teachers for providing holistic education to children so as to contribute their best to the nation building process.

Shilpa Dubey also lauded the endeavours of students and staff. She wished them innumerable milestones and glory ahead. The vote of thanks was presented by Tirupati Bala.

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