

# Two days JK UT Youth Ju-Jitsu Championship concludes

**STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: With an aim to infuse sportsmanship, camaraderie and brotherhood among the Youth, Ju-Jitsu Association of Jammu & Kashmir concluded its two days long 6th J&K UT Ju-Jitsu Championship 2021 at J&K Sports Council Hall, Bhagwati Nagar, Jammu from 28th February to 1st March 2022.

Around 200 students from 10 various districts of J&K UT were participated in the championship with great enthusiasm and zeal.

The Championship provided a perfect platform to the participants to showcase their performance and hone their skills. The main aim of the tournament was to provide all round fitness and extra ordinary skills in the students.

The championship went off well and prize distribution ceremony was attended by Chandher Mohan Gupta Mayor JMC as Chief Guest, Suminder Singh - Managing Director, IDPS was Guest of Honour and Lalit Kumar Gupta CA, Shuja Zaffar, Gul-e-Surkhab, Dr. Navneet Gupta, Vikas Dogra, Madhu Abrol Manager IDPS,



Winners posing for a photograph with officials.

Shweta Thakur Sharma were Special Guests.

The championship conducted under the supervision of Tarsem Sharma Founder/ General Secretary Ju-Jitsu Association of Jammu & Kashmir and Technical officials Danish Sharma (Qualified National Referee), Harshvardhan Raina, Rohit Thakyal, Brijesh Bhatt, Farooq Ahmed, Rameshwar Singh Jamwal, Rajat Bhagat, Rudrakshit Gupta, Ranjeet Singh and Mehul Sharma.

**Final Results**

**BOYS Under-11 27 kg :** Aahan Sharma, 1st, Sarthak Gupta, 2nd and Aarav Singh Janwal, 3rd. **30 kg:** Sarvagye Gupta, 1st, Veer Vikram Singh, 2nd, Raguvansh Bhatt and Girish Sharma, joint 3rd. **34 kg:** Kartavya Verma, 1st, Darsh Bhat, 2nd. **38 kg:** Ahmed Latif, 1st, Vinayak, 2nd. **Under-14 34 kg:** Nitin Kumar, 1st, Piyush Bhatt, 2nd, Keshav Sharma and Muzamil Riq, joint, 3rd. **37 kg:** Madhav Sharma,

1st, Sheikh Mohd, 2nd. **40 kg:** Mohd. Arif, 1st, Sheikh Inam, 2nd, Tanish Mehra and Satyam, joint 3rd. **44 kg:** Nasir-ul-Islam, 1st, Zameer Ahmed, 2nd and Droan Dushyant Kohli and Vishav Dev Singh, joint, 3rd. **48 kg:** Ritish Pandotra, 1st, Rakesh, 2nd and Rudra Bakshi and Rudransh Chib, joint 3rd. **52 kg:** Aman Kumar, 1st, Musawir Riyaz, 2nd Fazil Ahmed Wani, 3rd. **56 kg:** Daksh Chib, 1st, Mohithasan, 2nd and Shavad and Mohit Kumar, joint 3rd. **60 kg:** Priyanshu Bhagat, 1st, Virat, 2nd. **65 kg:** Owais Ahmed, 1st, Akhileshwar, 2nd. **Above 65 kg:** Zayin Dobriyal, 1st, Abishek Choudhary, 2nd, Adlyan Singh and Kouvam Gupta, joint 3rd.

**GIRLS Under-11 30 kg:** Sneha Malhotra, 1st, Simranjot Kour, 2nd. **42 kg:** Aakshra Sudan, 1st, 2nd Ridhima, Razia Akhtar and Palak Manzoor, joint 3rd. **Under-14 50 kg:** Nida Sakeena, 1st, Anika Rai, 2nd Aaranya, Mahajan, 3rd. **55 kg:** Iqra Zehra, 1st, Pritika, 2nd. **58 Kg:** Tanushka, 1st, Stuti, 2nd. **61 kg:** Arifa Zehra, 1st, Kashik Rajput, 2nd. **Above 65 Kg:** Harshleen Kaur Bhatia, 1st, Arifa, 2nd.

# General Bipin Rawat Memorial Cricket Tournament starts at Mendhar



Participating teams posing for a photograph with army officials and others.

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POONCH: The First iteration of General Bipin Rawat Memorial cricket tournament, was inaugurated under the aegis of Ace of Spades Gunners today at OP Hill stadium in Mendhar, district Poonch. About 30 teams of border villages of Mendhar, Rajouri & Poonch areas are participating in this tournament

which is being conducted on a knock out basis. The inaugural match of tournament was played between Dream 11 and 11 Star Gursai team. The cricket tournament is being organized by Mendhar Youth led by Pankaj Sharma, President, Sntan Dharam Sabha Mendhar with assistance from

Mendhar Gunners to create a conducive atmosphere for youth. The tournament is a homage to the late Gen Bipin Rawat, CDS and is a testimony of Indian Army's commitment to provide a platform to the youth of J&K, to showcase their hidden talent and channelise their energy in a progressive manner.

# GGM Sc College conducts cleanliness drive

**STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: NSS Unit of GGM Science College Jammu organized cleanliness Drive in the college campus.

This event was organized with theme Clean India campaign" under guidance of worthy principal Dr. Ravender Tickoo and supervision of NSS PO. Dr. Narinder Kumar.

Dr. Tickoo apprised the volunteers that aims of cleanliness drive is to build India sustainable and environmental friendly for leading a healthy lives.

In this connection, NSS PO Dr. Kumar sensitize the students and volunteers here today to raise awareness about the relevance of plastic free and pollution free environment and also to inspire positive approach towards its importance.

Dr. Kumar enlightened the gathering about the drawback of adding of poly-thene bags, and other non-biodegradable materials in the surrounding. He added that stakeholders should use biodegradable materials and counsel the public about the non-biodegradable materials which cause environmental hazard. Dr. Kumar stressed upon the students and volunteers about the Clean India initiative.

The volunteers and students showed their zeal and enthusiasm in cleanliness drive and make it

## Career Abacus organises 'Speedy Math Competition'

**STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Career Abacus, a leading Abacus Teaching Institute, on Wednesday organized Speedy Math Competition online.

It is held annually to promote excellence in mental calculation and math learning.

Director of the Institute, Arvind Sharma informed parents that participating in the competitions increases the interest and confidence of children. Number of students from Career Abacus participated in the competition. Students from UKG to 8th from different schools participated in this competition.

Paper consisted of 80 marks and 3 minutes time was given to solve the sums. Such was the speed of the students many were able to score full marks in the competition.

Arvind Sharma, thanked the parents for their continuous support and assured them that such competitions will be conducted in future also as these help in removing the math phobia and make math a fun activity.

The event was supported by all the franchisee, Centre heads, trainers and staff members.



NSS volunteers and faculty during cleanliness drive.

successful event. Students expressed their views regarding cleanliness drive like a clean and green environment is a basic ideology in sustainable development.

The students are the real ambassadors brand for maintaining cleanliness and hygienic surrounding. More than 50 students took part in the campus cleanliness drive.

# Olympian Arif, Wushu Champion Sadia receive rousing welcome at MA Stadium Jammu

**STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Olympian Arif Muhammad and Wushu Champion, Sadia Tariq have received a rousing welcome while reaching at Jammu the J&K Sports Council and Wushu Association of J&K.

Secretary J&K Sports Council, Nuzhat Gul felicitated Sadia Tariq for her outstanding feat at the Moscow Wushu Stars Championship held in Moscow last month.

Sadia defeated her Russian counterpart in the finals to claim the Gold medal for her country.

Secretary Sports council conveyed her best wishes to both the athletes on behalf of Advisor to Lieutenant Governor, Farooq Khan and



Olympian Arif Muhammad and Wushu Champion, Sadia Tariq receiving warm welcome at Jammu Airport.

Principal Secretary Youth Services & Sports, Alok Kumar and assured all possible support for the Youth Asian Games scheduled to be held in China later this year.

She said, "all possible help for the preparation of coveted event shall be extended so that Sadia is able to give her best in the competition". While congratulating Olympian Arif Muhammad,

she also expressed her gratitude to the athlete for adding another feather in cap of J&K by being the lone qualifier for the Games from the country and also being the first ever flag bearer for

the Games. Sadia Tariq will be enrolled in NCOE Bhopal for the preparation of the Youth Asian Games 2022 and the selection process will commence on 14th and 15th March by the TIDC members of the Sports Authority of India. Dronacharya Awardee and National Chief Coach, Kuldeep Handoo and President Wushu Association J&K, Vijay Saraf also praised the performance of Sadia. President Hockey J&K, Divisional Sports Officer (J), Manager MA Stadium, Manager Indoor and coaches and other officials from J&K Sports Council were also present on the occasion.

## UT Level U-19 T-20 Cricket Tournament

# Jammu Dare Devils to face Kashmir Rising Stars in final today

**STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Jammu Dare Devils and Kashmir Rising Stars registered emphatic wins against Kashmir Super Stars and Jammu Warriors respectively and entered in the final of the UT Level Cricket Tournament being organized at JKCA Science Cricket Ground by J&K Police under guidance of S.J M Gillani, Additional Director General of Police, Armed J&K.

In today's first match, Jammu Dare Devils defeated Kashmir Super Stars by 55 runs.

Batting first, Jammu Dare Devils scored 159 runs for the loss of five wickets in 20 overs. Kamalpreet Singh played a fine inning of 71 runs followed by Achintya Khajuria, who contributed 40 runs while Dhruv and Rohan Gill added 20 and 13 runs respectively to the total. For bowling side, Junaid took two wickets



SSP Dushyant Sharma conducting toss of coin between captains of two teams.

while Sarshel and Mehraj claimed one wicket each. In reply, Kashmir Super Stars managed to score only 104 runs for the loss of ten wickets in 17.1 overs with Qazi Junaid (55) runs and Sarshel Abbas (18) runs were the main scorers. For bowling side, Kamalpreet Singh and Imran grabbed three wickets each while Achintya took one wicket. Kamalpreet Singh was declared Man of the Match for his all-round performance.

In another match, Kashmir Rising Stars defeated Jammu Warriors via super over by four runs.

Batting first, Jammu Warriors scored 117 for the loss of nine wickets in 20 overs. Rhytham was the top scorer with 42 runs while Toheed made 27 and Sunny added 11 runs to the total. For Bowling side, Athar claimed four wickets

while Oman took two and Mudassir, Saqib and Sahil grabbed one wicket each. In reply, Kashmir Rising Stars also scored 117 runs for the loss of ten wickets in 20 overs. Zubair was the top scorer with 31 runs while Athar, Kesar and Saqib contributed 19, 17 and 15 runs respectively. For bowling side, Vishal and Ilyass scalped three wickets each while Kafil took two and Qamar claimed one wicket. In Super Over, Kashmir Rising Stars scored 14 runs with Sajid (10) and Zubair (4) runs. In reply, Jammu Warriors managed to score only 10 runs. Thus, Kashmir Rising Stars won the match and entered in the Final. During the post matches ceremonies, Shehzad Salaria SSP APCR was the Chief Guest in the first

match who distributed the Man of the Match award in presence of Rajesh Gill Chief Prosecuting Officer. SSP Dushyant Sharma SO Sports APIHQ was the Chief Guest in the second match who conducted the introduction of two teams at the time of toss of coin between the captains of two teams. The officials of the matches were Munish Sharma, Deepak Gupta, Vijay Raina whereas the commentary of the matches conducted by R.P Singh. The final match between Jammu Dare Devils and Kashmir Rising Stars shall be played tomorrow on March 3, 2022 at 10 am at the same venue. DGP J&K Dilbag Singh will be the Chief Guest on the occasion who shall present the trophies among the winner and runner-up and teams.

# Heritage visit organised by PSPS Govt PG College for Women Gandhi Nagar



Students and faculty during visit to a heritage site.

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JAMMU: A Heritage Visit was on Wednesday organized by the Department of History, PSPS Govt. PG. College for Women Gandhi Nagar for its students.

The Students visited the state of Art, Dogra Art Gallery and State Archives. The Visit was flagged off by the college principal Dr. Sangita Nagari. Prof. Mala Bhasin, Staff Sect. of the College was also present.

The Principal encouraged the students to be keen learners of the heritage of our state. The students keenly observed various artifacts present in the Dogra Art Gallery and were highly impressed by the rich heritage of the state. The students were accompanied by Prof. Puja Parihar, HOD Dept. of History and Prof. Abhinav Sharma.

# SKUAST-J to host 5-day Krishi Mela-2022

**STATE TIMES NEWS**

JAMMU: Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences & Technology of Jammu is organizing five day Mega Krishi Mela - 2022 from March 7 to 11, 2022 here at Main Campus, Chatha.

Prof. J.P. Sharma, Vice-Chancellor, SKUAST-Jammu and Chief Patron of the Krishi Mela, during interaction with the media, informed that the theme of this year Krishi Mela is "Natural and Modern technologies".

Prof. Sharma briefed that Krishi Mela, 2022 would focus on demonstration and exhibition of proven and improved technologies developed by the university to improve agricultural productivity, profitability and sustainability in the Jammu region. Manoj Sinha, Lt. Governor J&K Union Territory will inaugurate the Kisan Mela on March 7, 2022.

Prof. Sharma said that the event shall bring a large number of farmers, farm women, livestock owners, agripreneurs, industrialists, rural youth, researchers, technocrats, extensions workers, students and policy makers on one platform, wherein they shall have direct access to lat-



Vice-Chancellor, SKUAST-Jammu, Prof. J.P. Sharma talking to reporters.

est innovative ideas available in the field of agriculture, horticulture, animal husbandry and other allied sectors.

Prof. Sharma further informed that main attraction of the fair will be exhibition of latest agri-start-ups, kisan hosties, workshop on APEDA, seed conference, pulses and oilseeds, convention on FPOs, natural farming, beekeeping and sale of quality seed and planting material, live demonstration of new varieties, field trips, flower show, vegetable show, fruit show, animal and dog show, agri-tourism, rural sports, farmers-scientist interaction, awareness programme on agriculture education for school children and presentation by National awarded

innovative farmers. Besides, Agri-Fest and Vet Fest covering number of events like cultural programme, rural sports activities, debate competitions, dance programmes etc will also be organised during the Krishi Mela. Farmers from nearby states viz., Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Delhi, Uttarakhand, etc. will be visiting SKUAST-Jammu to actively participate in the Krishi Mela, 2022. The event will be witness over 300 stalls from put up by public, private, NGOs and progressive farmers, depicting the latest farm technologies such as hydroponics, Integrated Farming System, improved farm machinery, irrigation systems, mobile soil

testing lab and exotic vegetables related to farmer welfare will also be laid by SKUAST-Jammu, Department of Agriculture and other allied departments, entrepreneurs, progressive farmers, IFFCO and other public and private companies, handicrafts, books and organic fertilizers etc. The Mela will also be available live on virtual platforms and the event is expected to be attended by more than one lakh farmers/stakeholders through physical as well as virtual mode. Besides, the sensitization of rural youths and farmer-scientist interactions will be arranged to provide a quick and effective way of exchanging innovative ideas. During the fair, progressive

farmers will be felicitated for their outstanding contribution in the field of agriculture and allied sectors. It is the only forum of its kind where policy makers, government officials and all stakeholders will come together to have interaction and dialogue with farmers. Prof. Sharma said that 5 days Krishi Mela will be a mega event to be organized by SKUAST-Jammu in collaboration with Department of Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry, Floriculture, Sheep Husbandry, Sericulture, Fisheries, Command Area Development, IFFCO, Kisan Board, National Horticulture Board, JKEDI, ICCR etc. Dr S K Gupta, Director Extension, Dr Pardeep Wali, Director Research, Dr S K Gupta Registrar, Dr M S Bhadwal, Dean FVSc & AH, Dr Bikram Singh, Dr SEH Rizvi, Dean Basic Sciences, Dr Punit Choudhary Deputy Incharge media cell along with other members including, Dr Pranav Kumar, Dr J S Manhas, Dr Sachin Gupta, Dr Rakesh Sharma, Dr Vivek Arya and Dr Pawan vSharma from SKUAST Jammu were also present on the occasion.