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IWC distributes study material among needy students



Celebrating centenary of club Rita inaugurating the handwash station at GHSS Barola.

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
UDHAMPUR: District chairman of District 307 Rita Sharma and District Secy Priti Khajuria along with Inner wheel club members has distributed study cloths & sports material among needy students of Govt. Hr. Sec. School Barodla Udhampur on Friday.

children. District Secy Priti said that every year 70 clubs of their district 307 do social work based on a new theme "Shine a Light" on which we have to work smartly for a better future of the next generation. She added that this year Inner club shall celebrate 19th International Inner wheel convention at Manchester to mark the 100th year of the formation of the Inner Wheel movement. Other who present were Manju Baru, Mohini Baigra, Neelam Buchha, Anu Sanson, Harjeet Kaur, Tripta Sharma, Pratibha Gupta and many more.

Public Lecture on "Israel-Palestine Recent Crisis: Role of the UN and ICJ" organized at JU

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: The Department of Strategic and Regional Studies (DSRS), University of Jammu (JU) on Friday organized a public Lecture titled "Israel-Palestine Recent Crisis: Role of the UN and ICJ". The event commenced with the ceremonial lighting by Prof. Virender Koundal, Director DSRS, and Prof. Rajesh Kumar, the resource person, along with other distinguished guests. Prof. Rajesh Kumar, Dean of the School of Social Sciences at Guru Nanak Dev University Amritsar, in his presentation, titled "Israel-Palestine Recent Crisis: Role of the UN and ICJ," delved into the historical roots of the conflict, emphasizing its significance during the Cold War and its evolution into the present crisis. He argued that this conflict was the major reason and focus of the Cold War politics and that divided East and West as well as the Muslim World became the center of attention from the 1950s that witnessed different wars between Israel and the Arabian states. Shifting focus to the role of the United Nations (UN) and the International Court of Justice (ICJ), Prof. Rajesh highlighted the varied stands taken by the UN on the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Since its founding in 1948, the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) has adopted more than 80 resolutions directly related to the Arab-Israeli conflict. The event was attended by faculty members, including Dr. Mohd. Monir Alam, Dr. Suneel Kumar, Dr. Surinder Mohan, Dr. Ganesh Malhotra, and Dr. Ranjan Sharma. Dr. Ganesh Malhotra conducted the proceedings and presented a vote of thanks.

Kalash Yatra taken out in Akhnoor

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
AKHNOOR: A Kalash Yatra was taken out on the occasion of Maha Shiv Ratri besides a Maha Rudhara Yagay was also organized at the historical temple Kameshwar temple Akhnoor in which hundreds devotees took part. Mahamandleshwar Mahant Rameshwar Dass while talking with the STATE TIMES said that on the occasion of Maha Shiv Ratri nine days Maha Rudhara Yagay has organised in which today a Kalash Yatra was taken out from the historical temple Kameshwar temple Akhnoor which after passing through Kameshwar Market, Bus Stand, Gole Market, Jia Pota Ghat, filling



Mahamandleshwar Mahant Rameshwar Dass leading Kalash Yatra at Akhnoor.

ing the Kalash from river Chenab finally Kalash Yatra reached Kameshwar temple. Mahamandleshwar Mahant Rameshwar Dass also informed that during the Maha Rudhara Yagay every day religious sermons will be delivered by Mahant Dr. Satya Narayan Dass from 2: 00 PM to 5: 00 PM and Puran Ahuti will be performed on 10th of March.

Chairman NCW, others call on Lt Governor

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: Shamsher Singh Manhas, former Member of Parliament Rajya Sabha, on Friday called on Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha at Raj Bhawan. Subsequently, Riyaz Bashir Naaz, Member District Development Council Poonch also met the Lt Governor Manoj Sinha and expressed gratitude to the Prime Minister and Lt Governor-led UT Administration for the 50-bedded Critical Care Block coming up at District Hospital Poonch. The members of the delegation led by Sh Naaz also put forth various issues of public importance including extension of working period of seasonal educational volunteers. Gaurav Gupta, Secretary, Jammu Club met the Lt Governor and projected several issues per-



Chairperson NCW, Rekha Sharma calling on LG Manoj Sinha.

taining to the development of Tourism and fostering entrepreneurial growth in Jammu region. Rajinder Sharma, former Mayor JMC and Vijay Saraf, Executive Member, Indian Red Cross Society Jammu also called on the Lt Governor. A delegation of the office bearers of BJP Mahila Moreha including Sanjita Dogra, Anu Radha Charak, Venu Khanna, Ms Reema Padha and Neha Mahajan also called on the Lt Governor. Chander Mohan Gupta, senior BJP leader and former Mayor JMC was also present. Ajit Singh, Chairman, Sikh Coordination Committee Jammu Kashmir called on Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha and drew his atten-

GCW Udhampur students embark on study visit to SKUAST-J



District Coordinator JKSTIC Udhampur, Shruti Khanna and Dr. Sachin Gupta from SKUAST-Jammu and others with students at SKUAST-J.

Committee, Faculty of Agriculture briefed the students about various activities and academic programmes of the University and motivated them to become future agripreneurs. The students visited Mushroom and Apiculture units of the University. In the mushroom unit, the students learnt about various types of mushrooms including the medicinal mushrooms, their round the year cultivation and nutritional importance. Dr. Moni Gupta gave a detailed presentation about

the benefits of mushroom consumption and the biochemical compounds present in them. During their visit to the Apiculture Unit, the students got exposure about the benefits of beekeeping as a source of income generation and about the various products besides honey that are produced by honey bee. It was a first time eye opener exposure of the students to the latest advancements in entrepreneurship opportunities in Agriculture and allied fields. The scientists Dr Devinder Sharma, Dr Moni Gupta and Dr. S.K. Mishra interacted with the visiting students. The students were accompanied by Neha Gupta, Pradeep Kumar and Manpreet Kour of Government College for Women Udhampur. The students evinced great enthusiasm during their interactions with the faculty of the University. Meeting was also held among the authorities of SKUAST-Jammu and JKSTIC to explore the possibilities of arranging more such visits and collaborations in the near future.

MJR-47 urges PM to pay attention to plight of DPs of 1947 from POJK

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: J.S. Sudan, Convener, Movement for Justice for Refugees of 1947 (MJR-47) on Friday write a letter to Prime Minister Narendra Modi with a fervent appeal and a heavy heart on behalf of the Displaced Persons (DPs) of 1947 from Pakistan Occupied Jammu & Kashmir (POJK). "Our community, the unsung heroes of Jammu & Kashmir's history, stands before you today seeking justice and rehabilitation after enduring decades of neglect and hardship," Sudan said in a letter. "On the fateful day of 22nd October 1947, we bravely

implemented to alleviate our plight," Sudan stated. He, though his letter, urged Prime Minister to redress crucial demands of PoJk displaced persons. We implore the government to sanction interim relief of Rs 30 lakhs per DP family, as recommended by the Parliamentary Standing Committee, and to implement other pertinent recommendations from the reports; Grant political reservation in the UT J&K Assembly to empower DPs of 1947 as it's imperative that our community receives fair representation in proportion to our population; Regularize the more than 100 refugee Basties/camps

along the IB & LOC and old Railway Line, as assured by Union Home Minister Amit Shah during his visit to Jammu in July 2022; Provide reservation for wards of DPs in higher education institutions across the country to ensure equal opportunities for our youth; Enact a special employment package tailored for the educated unemployed youth of DP families, fostering economic independence and growth within our community; Ensure the registration of DP families' descendants and issue UID cards designating them as DPs of 1947, securing their rights and identity; Include all original residents of Pahari areas of

Congress protests against Udhampur municipality

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
UDHAMPUR: Working President of District Congress Committee Udhampur Sumeet Magotra along with workers staged protest against Govt and Municipal Council Udhampur over increase in rates of parking. Rally was taken out from Dhar Road to at Indira Chowk where workers were raising slogans against administration and municipality. While addressing workers, Magotra expressed that Municipal Council has increased the parking rates more than double of previous rates. He disclosed that door to door solid waste collection sanitation contract is a big scam of MCU. This contract is given to a firm of Haryana State based firm by imposing controversial condition to stop the small local



Congress workers taking out protest rally at Udhampur.

contractors. Congress leader said that contractor is not disposing off collected solid waste at Solid waste unit Sambal. He said that on the direction of government, MCU is asking the shopkeepers to pay heavy amount for sanitation services by threatening to impose FIR

against defaulters. He said that attitude of MCU shall not tolerate anymore and big agitation shall be initiated. He also disclosed that Electrical department installing Smart meters in Udhampur but on the other hand heavy curtailment of six hours of electricity is going on in a very disgusting situation.

Dr. Najam awarded Gold Medal

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: Dr. Najam Bhat from village Bafiaz (Mastandara), Tehsil Surankote, district Poonch has been awarded with University Gold Medal 2024 for securing first position in order of merit in Master of Arts in Gandhi and Peace Studies (Examination held in December 2022) at 37th Convocation of Indira Gandhi National Open University, Campus Maidan Garhi, New Delhi held on February 20, 2024. The Gold Medal 2024 was presented by Prof Nageshwar Rao, Vice-Chancellor IGNOU. He is highly qualified teacher having Master Degree in four subjects including Education, Urdu, Sociology and Gandhi and Peace Studies. He did B.Ed, UGC-NET and Ph.D in Urdu from



Dr. Najam Bhat receiving IGNOU Gold Medal 2024.

Guru Nanak Dev University Amritsar. Dr. Bhat has been awarded with honorary Doctorate Degrees of Doctor of Philosophy specialising in Education and Doctor of Literature (D.Lit) specialising in Language in Literature by the British

DGP J&K sanctions retirement gift of Rs 1.60 Cr in favour of police personnel

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: Director General of Police (DGP), J&K, R. R. Swain has sanctioned retirement gift of Rs 1.60 crore in favour of 160 Police personnel of J&K Police who are retiring from services today after attaining superannuation or on voluntary retirement. Retirement gift of Rs 1 lakh each has been sanctioned vide PHQ J&K order No. 484 of 2024 in favour of eight gazetted officers, one hundred seventeen non-gazetted officers, twenty-four lower subordinates & eleven followers. Pertinent to mention that the DGP sanctioned retirement gift of Rs 1.06 crore in favour of 106 police personnel of J&K Police who retired from the services after attaining superannuation or on voluntary retirement last month.

Maharaja Harisingh Classic is organising various competitions on March 10

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: Maharaja Harisingh Classic is organising a competition that includes junior body building, senior body building, men's physique, classic body building & women's bikini model. This was informed by the Gourav Gupta, Abhishek Mehra and Shramik Mahajan, organisers of the competition, in a press conference, here on Friday. They said that the competition with the theme 'For the athletes - By the athletes' will bring fitness awareness to the youth of Jammu & Kashmir and other adjoining states. They added that the main attraction of the competition is the cash prize & gifts worth Rs 5 lakh and the winners will also be awarded by health supplements and other supports. The committee also requested all the budding athletes to be a part of the event. Many top business houses of the city have extended their full support by being sponsors of the event, they said adding that the event will be held on 10th March at police auditorium.

National University of Queen Mary and California Public University USA respectively.

He is working as Lecturer in higher education for the long time. He taught in more than 15 different colleges of UT of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh.