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Sajjad urges administration to expedite restoration of utility services in rural areas

STATE TIMES NEWS

JKPS Panjtirthi

BANIHAL: National Conference (NC) leader and District President, Ramban, Sajjad Shaheen conducted a day long extensive tour to village Pogal, Maligam, Panla, Kunda ,Narad in Tehsil Ukharhal and took stock of the problems faced by the people after the recent snowfall and heavy wind storm.

During the visit he met scores of people and also interacted with party workers. The locals apprised him about the dilapidated condition of roads, erratic power supply in far-off areas besides lack of health care facilities in their villages. The people also complained about the scarcity of drinking water in several villages and demanded construction of a bridge at Narad at Maligam

Shaheen said the bad condition of Ukharhal-Panchal road, Ukharhal-Maligam road, Pogal -Panla road. Digdole- Bajmasta road, Nachlana -Khari road Banihal-Mangit road, Chamalwas-Neel road has badly impacted the mobility and added to the miseries of the people living in Ahmed Runyal and other func-

these remote villages.

JKPS Panjtirthi

74,119.39 points up

Expressing deep concern over power crisis in peripheral areas particularly Khari, Trigam, Mahu-Mangit, Sarachi, Neel, Pogal-Paristan and other areas he said that unscheduled power cuts have aggravated woes of people in these villages of Banihal constituency.

Shaheen further said, that massive devastation has been caused to the residential houses. School buildings in the entire Ramban district including Gool due to Windstorm and heavy rainfall in the region adding that the losses faced by the people are massive particularly in Pogal-Paristan, Kunda, Narad, Maligam, Neel, Mahu-Mangit Banihal ,Khari, Kutji, Trigam, Amkote ,Thachi, Hainjhal, Duligam, Tethar Nowgam, Lamber, Asshar, Kaskut, Krawa, Phagow, chanjlu ,Chaknarwa ,Chamalwas, Sarachi and other areas including the Gool-Sangaldan, Ramban and Batote areas of Ramban district.

Later Shaheen along with party leader and DDC Pogal Sh Bashir

tionaries went to the residences of all the four persons who recently died in a tragic road accident near Maligam to offer condolences to the bereaved families.

Both the leaders extended sympathies and solidarity with the families of the deceased and demanded immediate release of ex-gratia relief in favour of the next of kith and kin of those who died in the fatal accident. Shaheen appealed to the administration to take immediate measures for the mitigation of the losses suffered by the people and depute teams to the affected areas so that the damages caused by the windstorm to residential houses and property could be assessed and financial assistance to the effected people could be provided at an earli-

Shaheen was accompanied by Zonal V/President Riyaz Ahmed Mir. block presidents Nisar Ahmed Sohil, Shakib ur Rehman Runyal, YNC Prov.V/President Tariq Ahmed Dar, besides Bahar Ahmed Naik, Shamas ud din Draboo, Mujib ur Rehman Runyal and others.

International Women's Day celebrated in Poonch

POONCH: The Department of Social Welfare with the Collaboration of District Administration, SKC GDC Poonch, DLSA and Police celebrated Department International Women's Day here in Multipurpose hall SKC GDC Poonch.

The function was presided over by the ADDC Poonch, while Dy. SP Headquarter was the guest of honour.

Principal SKC GDC Professor Aurangzeb, CPO Police Department, SHO, Female Achievers in different fields, District Hub for Empowerment of Women. Sakhi One Stop Centre, CHL Superintendent Parisha/Palaash were present on the occasion.

Speaking on the occasion, the ADDC highlighted the role of women in nation building. He also threw light on the rights of women and discussed various centrally sponsored women centric welfare schemes that are aimed at providing hand-holding to the



ADDC Poonch felicitating women achievers on International Women's Day.

women to make them selfreliant and urged the female folk to avail benefit of these schemes. He also highlighted various steps taken by the district administration women empowertowards

DSWO Poonch, Abdul Raheem Mir highlighted the role of DHEW/ $\bar{\rm OSC}$ in creating awareness about these schemes at grassroots level so that more females are empowered by these schemes.

He asserted that the economically independent women is the first major step towards empowerment of women and urged the females to avail benefit of schemes aimed for establishing their own income generating unit.

During the function, various speakers while highlighting the significant role played by women in social, economic, political, educational and judicial fronts said that mass awareness about the rights of women and to acknowledge their achievements is the need of the hour.

Meanwhile, a felicitation ceremony was organized to felicitate and honour the female mates who have shown exemplary services in different fields. A good number of Women were given certificates of appreciation and participation in the Scooty rally which was organised on 6 March 2024 along with

Nowshera Forest Division commemorates Shivratri with Rudraksh Plantation Drive



Sandeep Kumar, Conservator of Forests, West Circle Rajouri distributing Rudraksh plantation.

STATE TIMES NEWS

RAJOURI: Nowshera tion. The drive was conon Friday conducted a Rudraksh plantation drive to celebrate Maha-Shivratri.

The initiative marked a significant step towards

DC Doda

inaugurates business

venture established

under PMEGP

Harvinder Singh on Friday

spearheaded the inaugura-

tion of a business venture

M/S Shuriti Cloth House,

here near Post Office

The Business establish-

ment, sponsored by the

Doda, marks a significant

milestone in the district to

foster entrepreneurship

Employment Generation

The initiative aims to

neurs with the necessary

support and resources to

kick-start their own busi-

economic growth and

development within the

By facilitating access to

funding and guidance, the

PMEGP empowers individ-

uals to pursue their entre-

preneurial aspirations and

contribute meaningfully to

The inauguration cere-

mony was attended by sev-

eral government func-

Tehsildar, officers from

DIC and members of the

including

the local economy.

tionaries,

civil society

region.

Prime

Programme (PMEGP).

Deputy

Minister

Doda,

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Commissioner

Doda.

and the dedicated efforts of Dr. Rakesh Verma, Range Officer, Sunderbani.

The dedicated efforts of the staff from Kangri Forest Block were instrumental in the smooth conduct of the drive. Their commitment and hard work ensured the successful planting of Rudraksh trees, contributing to the preservation of our natural her-

This initiative not only pays homage to the cultural significance of Shivratri but also emphasizes our collective responsibility to protect and nurture our forests for future generations.

Block Forest Officer, Didar Singh extended gra itude to all involved and sought continued support for such initiatives aimed at safeguarding the environ-

Sawhney inaugurates Bandhara at Dewana Mandir



Former Minister Yogesh Sawhney, others at a programme.

STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Former Minister Yogesh Sawhney accompanied by distinguished leaders and members of the community, celebrated Maha Shivratri by inaugurating a Bandhara at Dewana Mandir in Jammu

The Bhandara was attended by senior Congress leaders including Varinder Singh Abimanu S

Army dedicates foot bridge to people

REASI: In consonance with the aim of working towards connectivity between resident people of remote villages, Indian Army undertook a project of constructing a foot bridge between Tulli & Banna over Malan Nala. Embracing a transformative endeavour, the construction of foot bridge heralds a new era of connectivity and communal growth. In the past the access to the other side was almost entirely blocked during winter and early spring due to frequent flooding of Malan Nala. Construction of Foot Bridge over Malan Nala, was a long pending demand of the residents. With the bridging of the Nala the inhabitants of Banna can now carryout disruption free movement from their remote location to the road head in all-weather condition. This visionary project benefiting 1500 residents, aims to bridge not only the physical gap but also the aspirations of vibrant communities of Tulli & Banna.

well as Sr. Vice Presidents Pawan Dev Singh and Ram Magotra. Pawan Sharma, Radhye Sham, President W No. 10, Haqim Sardari Lal. Vikram Singh (Vicky), and Shiv Kumar Nanda, among others were present. Sawhney extended his wishes to all devotees on occasion of Maha Shivratri stating that the great festival holds immense significance for devo-

tees across the nation. Bandhara

International Women Day celebrated at KVK Kishtwar

disempowerment' and edu-

speaking on the occasion

explained that women day

STATE TIMES NEWS

KISHTWAR: On the occaof International Women Day, KrishiVigyan Kendra Kishtwar Jammu on SKUAST Friday organized one day raining programme on vegetable cultivation and distributed hybrid vegetable seed kits at KVK HQ Dadpeth Block and Tehsil MugalMaidan of the District.50 farm women of the village attended the programme.

The programme was organized by Dr Narinder Paul Head KVK Kishtwar under the guidance of Dr AmrishVaidDirector SKUASTExtension Jammu wh was intendtocommemorate thisyear's theme, "Invest in Accelerate women: Progress" with an emphasis on combating economic

cate the farm women about their contribution in holistic development of society. Komal Sharma while

is observed on March 8 every year to mark and celebrate the social economic, cultural and political achievements of women and raise awareness about women's equality gender accelerate parity. During the training programme the women were trained about scientific cultivation of vegetables in their nutri-gardens for meeting out household vegetable requirements and ensuring nutritional security by growing seasonal high nutrition rich vegetables.

At the end of the programme, vegetable seed

kits distributed were amongthe participating women for starting the nutri-gardens strengthening the household nutritional security through production of quality vegetables at home or backyards. Reeta Devi, Jamila Begum, Rubina Begum, Kamla Devi. HeenaBanoo, Santosha Devi, Bimla Devi, Zahida Begum and 50 other women attended the pro-

Army holds joint intelligence and security review meeting

RAJOURI: A joint intelli-

gence and security review

meeting was conducted by

Indian Army in the presence of all the stakeholders at Palma Garrison, Rajouri. It was attended by officers from the Indian Army, DIG Police, DIG Border security force, Para military forces. Intelligence agencies, and other relevant stakeholders. The primary objective of the meeting was to assess the existing intelligence and security situation in the region and formulate strategies to ensure the successful and peaceful conduct of upcoming events. During the meeting, the attendees discussed several key issues related to intelligence gathering, threat assessment, and security arrangements. They evaluated the potential challenges, such as possible terrorist activities or civil unrest, and devised strategies to mitigate these risks. The meeting served as a platform for sharing intelligence inputs, discussing security protocols, and coordinating efforts among different security agencies. The participants emphasised the need for seamless coordination, intelligence sharing, and proactive measures to ensure the safety and security of the region. Overall, the joint intelligence and securi-

ty review meeting aimed to

enhance the preparedness

and effectiveness of security

arrangements in Rajouri and

its surrounding areas. By

pooling their resources and

expertise, the stakeholders

aimed to create a robust

security framework that

would deter potential threats

and maintain peace and sta-

bility in the region.

Vikalp organizes Village Outreach Programme

Rajouri,

STATE TIMES NEWS KATRA: Vikalp (a stu-

ducted under the supervi

sion of Sandeep Kumar,

Conservator of Forests,

Shweta Deonia, Divisional

Forest Officer, Nowshera,

West Circle

dents' initiative to impart education to the destitute) and NSS volunteers joined forces for the first largescale village outreach program of this semester, wherein 20 volunteers from each organization participated. Their mission was to directly engage with residents, enlighten them about Vikalp's initiatives, District Industries Centre address inquiries.

Departing from the Medical Aid Centre of among the youth through SMVDU, the teams split into two groups, covering areas such as Sirah Colony, Kakryal, and Dheerti. One group walked towards the CRPF camp provide young entrepre-(3 km) in the direction of Domel, while the other group proceeded to the nesses, thereby stimulating Shiv Mandir (4 km) towards Panthal. With dedication, the teams visited approximately 75 to 80 households. reinforcing Vikalp's commitment to providing quality educa-

tion. Some queries raised by the residents regarding the Vikalp were proficiently dealt with by the volunteers. Notably, the enthusiasm and diligence of NSS volunteers greatly contributed to the program's success.

Plans include similar outreach endeavours to further extend Vikalp's impact in the nearby areas and empower more disadvantaged students by providing them with a better future. Dr. Rajiv Kumar, Program Coordinator NSS, and Shri Sumanta Sarathi Sharma, Faculty Coordinator Vikalp, applauded the efforts of the volunteers.

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Dewana Mandir saw participation from devotees in large numbers.

DC Rajouri celebrates Mahashivratri with slum residents

STATE TIMES NEWS

RAJOURI: In a heart-warming display of community the Deputy Commissioner Rajouri Om Prakash Bhagat, along with Additional Deputy Commissioner Rajeev Kumar Khajuria, celebrated Mahashivratri with the residents of the slum area, spreading joy and festivity among them.

The Deputy Commissioner engaged with the residents. fostering a sense of inclusivity and togetherness. The spirit of Mahashivratri and the significance of unity in diversity, resonated deeply throughout the event.

During the visit, the DC extended heartfelt greetings to the slum residents, conveying warm wishes for Mahashivratri. As a gesture of goodwill and compassion. sweets were distributed



DC Rajouri Om Prakash Bhagat celebrating Mahashivratri with the residents of the slum area.

among the residents, further enhancing the festive atmosphere and spreading smiles across the faces of all pres-

The initiative not only underscores the empathetic approach of the district administration towards social integration but also highlights its steadfast resolve to fostering a more equitable and harmonious society.

Fisheries Dept ensures elaborate arrangements for fish availability on Shivratria

STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: The Department of Fisheries on Friday made adequate arrangement for supplying and ensuring sufficient quantity of different species of fresh fish across the Union Territory among the common masses in general and Pandit Community in particular as per instructions of Principal Secretary,

Agriculture Production Department, on the auspicious occasion of Shivratri.

On the occasion, the department established number of stalls in every district besides gearing up Departmental Fish Rearing Units, Sale Centres as well. The mobile vans were also pressed into service for delivery of fresh fish at the

door points of consumers. Besides, Trout fish was also transported through refrigerated vehicles at wholesale fish Marketing Centre Narwal Jammu and other centres for the people. A total of 8.810 MT of trout/carb fresh live fish was provided to all the customers. Pertinently, the private fish farmers estab-

lished by the department throughout the UT, also contributed equally in delivering sufficient quantity of fish available on this occasion in their respective area under the overall command and control of the department. The production of fish through private farmers has significantly increased over few years and the

department has been able to provide employment to many new entrepreneurs.

The Department is making all efforts for rejuvenation of fish aquaculture in the Union Territory and number of new initiatives are being taken under Holistic Agriculture Development programme besides other schemes to

create employment opportunities at larger scale and also meet out the demand of Fish.

Principal Secretary, Production Agriculture Department, Shailendra Kumar, and Director Fisheries, Deep Raj, also extended warm wishes to the people on the occasion of Maha Shivratri.