

## OBITUARY/TENTH DAY

With profound grief and sorrow, we inform the sad demise of **Smt. Neerja Handoo (Dassi)** W/o Sh. Sanjay Handoo R/o H. No. 12, Sector-1, JDA Housing Colony Jammu. The Tenth Day will be performed at Muthi Ghat (Near Director Office Education) on 27-04-2022 at 9:00 AM.

### GRIEF STRICKEN:

(Father-in-law & Mother-in-law)

Mrs & Mr B. K. Handoo

Mrs & Mr Rajinder Handoo

Sanjay Handoo

Mrs & Mr Manesh Sharma (Daughter & Son-in-law)

Karan Kapoor & Shriya Handoo (Daughter & Son-in-law)

Siya Sharma (Grand Daughter)

Mr Tej Pandita (Brother-in-law)

Mr & Mrs Raman Mantoo (Brother-in-law & Sister-in-law)

Mr & Mrs Sameer Matoo (Brother-in-law & Sister-in-law)

Mr & Mrs Vinod Handoo

Mr & Mrs Ramesh Handoo

Mr & Mrs Raj Kumar Handoo

Mr & Mrs Vinod Bagati

Mr & Mrs Raja Ji Raina

Mr & MrsRajan kotru

Shipla Pandita, Swati Handoo, Ritika Handoo, Pavitra Matoo,

Neharka Matoo, Princy Pandita

Mr & Mrs Pawan Matoo

Mr & Mrs Nakul Matoo

**Mob. No: 9419188826**



Smt. Neerja Handoo (Dassi)

## 10TH DAY/RASAM KRIYA

With profound grief and sorrow we inform the concern that the **Tenth Day** of our beloved **Late Sh. Ram Nath Ji Tharmatt (Sundrani Wale)** will be on Friday 22-04-2022 at 11.00am and Rasam Kriya will be perform at Devika Ghat Udhampur on Saturday 23-04-2022.

### GRIEF STRICKEN:-

(Son & Daughter-in-law)

Sahil Sharma and Richa

Himani and Deepak (Daughter & Son in law)

Darshana Devi (Wife)

Hari Ram (Brother)

Sham, Romesh, Gopal, Jinder, Mahesh, Sandeep,

Ganesh, Rakesh (Nephews)

**AND ALL THARMATT FAMILY**

**MOB.:- 7780912618, 9906250607**



Late Sh. Ram Nath Ji Tharmatt (Sundrani Wale)

## TENTH DAY KRIYA

With profound grief and sorrow we inform the sad and untimely demise of our beloved father **Sh Piyare Lal Bhat** S/o Lt Jia Lal Bhat on 14-04-2022 (Thursday) erstwhile resident of Gund Gushi Mughal Pora Kupwara presently R/o H No. 7-A Lane No. 2 Patoli Brahmana (Shardha Colony) Jammu.

**Tenth Day Kriya** will be performed on

Saturday 23-04-22 at Muthi Ghat near

Director School Education office from 7 AM-10 AM.

### GRIEF STRICKEN :

Smt Veena Ji Bhat (Wife)

Kishore Kumar Bhat (Son)

**Daughter in law & Son**

Smt Nitu and Rakesh Bhat

Daughter & Son in law

Smt Sushma & Sh Ravinder Bhat

Bhabis & Brothers

Smt & Sh J L Bhat

Smt & Sh P N Bhat

Smt Umawati Bhat - Sister

Smt & Sh Arjan Nath Pandita - Sister & Brother in law

Master Pursharth Bhat - Grand Son

&

**SAMAST BHAT PARIVAR**

**M No. 9910991590**



Sh Piyare Lal Bhat

## TENTH DAY KRIYA

We are very sorry to announce that **Krishna**

**Kher** W/o Late Autar Krishan Kher, originally resident of Malayar Nai Sarak, Habbha Kadal Srinagar and currently living at 80/130, Patel Marg Mansarover Jaipur left for her heavenly abode on Thursday, April 21, 2022." She was more than happy to be the central figure in the lives of her children. Anyone who knew them knew that she was a star in their eyes and that's all that mattered to her ". She will be deeply missed by her friends and relatives.

**Tenth Day Kriya** will be performed at Jaipur home on

29-April-2022 at 8:00 am.

Urmi and Ravi Kher - **Daughter in law and Son**

(9664247276; 9414228550)

Sunita & Sunil Dhar - **Daughter & Son in Law**

(9910872168; 9910056638)

Mridula Kher and Rudraksh Dhar - **Grand Children**



Krishna Kher

# DDC member calls on CE PMGSY, discusses road projects of Akhnoor

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

AKHNOOR: Pt. Suresh Sharma, member District Development Council held meeting with Rajan Mengi, Chief Engineer, Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojna (PMGSY), Jammu and discussed the construction work of all the roads in Block Maira Mandrian and Chowki Chaura of Akhnoor assembly constituency. PMGSY SE Jammu Mohit Mahajan, PMGSY XEn Jammu Rampal Gupta, AEE Ravi Keran Sharma were also present in the meeting.

In this, Suresh Sharma, while discussing with the officers of the department, said that under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana, the roads of Block Maira Mandrian and Chowki Chaura, including Peer Baba of Salyot

Panchayat to Dakhda Road, Kufi Godan Road, Daskal-Payan Maira Jagir Road , remaining work of the Causeway and the road should be expedited. The work of drains and culverts on the rest of the roads should be done before the rainy season and the road work of Salangar should be done expeditiously.

Apart from this, Suresh Sharma said that the in most remote mountainous area of Maira Mandrian and Chowki Chaura, many villages are still deprived of road connectivity, mainly from Juthal to Balsaro, Jalada to Kanah, Nonath to Basava Kanah, Mazoor to Jalara, Bhambla To Padoon, Kaneri to Gani Chang, Kaneri to Budhi, Mandrain to Nardi, Godhan to Gharattal, Nore to Jakh, Kandi to Keyour, Ardhan

kai Devasthan to Passenger Shad, Maira Jagir to Godan, Ghar to Rameen, Keyour to Manoh Via Mini, Jandariya Gala to Chagyal, Balgada to Targah, Mumd to Nore, Dhanna to Ghar; all the people of the area will breathe a sigh of relief if these major roads are approved, Suresh Sharma told the officers of the department that their DPR should be prepared soon. Apart from this, surveys should be conducted on many more roads so that the people of remote areas can connect with each other. Every year, funds should be kept for repair works on all the roads covered under PMGSY so that the roads can be saved from getting damaged.

Engineers and other officers of PMGSY department were present in this meeting.

# Senior Citizens Welfare Forum Katra holds 70th Executive Body meeting

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

KATRA: 70th Executive Body meeting of the Senior Citizens Welfare Forum Katra was held on Friday in their office at Panthal Road, Katra which was chaired by its President, Shiv Kumar Sharma and proceedings were conducted by Mohan Lal Sharma, Secretary of the forum.

Various allied issues were discussed and were unanimously agreed by all the members present

in the meeting.

10 worthy members viz Shiv Kumar Sharma (President), Mohan Lal Sharma ( Secretary), Om Parkash Magotra (Treasure), Sita Ram Dogra (Retd.Chief Engineer), Ashok Kumar Verma (Retd.Senior Bank Manager), Mukand Ram Sharma, Babu Ram Sharma, Sansar Chand ,Kuldeep Raj Sharma and Romesh Babber were present in the meeting.

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

P U R M A N D A L : Department of Environmental Sciences of GDC Purmandal organized intra-college bag making competition to commemorate "World Earth Day" on 22nd of April, 2022. Students of B.A sem 1st and sem 3rd showcased their creativity and artistic skills by making beautiful cloth and paper bags and they also used different materials to decorate them

# GDC Doda celebrates ‘World Earth Day’

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

DODA: Department of Geography in collaboration with IQAC and under the guidance of Dr. Attar Singh Kotwal (Principal) celebrated 'World Earth Day' 2022 by spreading awareness on environment conservation. On the occasion, a Special - e - Lecture was organised by the department of Geography, which was delivered by Dr. Tajinder Kour from Department of Geography, University of Jammu. She discussed at length about the regimes and

issues pertaining to save our planet Earth. The theme of the event was 'How to Invest in our Planet?' The students of Semester- II participated enthusiastically and some of the students presented their ideas on the environmental issues. Among the students Insha Tabassum, Muzafer Ahmed, Aashish Kumar, Himani and Kashif Rasool shared their views regarding how to invest and save our planet Earth.

Dr. Attar Singh Kotwal, Principal of the college applauded the faculty of

Department of Geography for conducting such an activity that provides platform to students to bring forward their ideas and talent. The whole programme was coordinated by Dr. Sarvjeet Singh, HOD, Geography. The programme was attended by Prof. Babu Ram, Prof. K.K Manhas, Dr. Sumit Kotwal, Prof. Zain Batt, Prof. Manjeet Singh, Prof. Mohd. Ashraf, Prof. Akrity Parihar and Manya Gupta. The programme culminated with formal vote of thanks delivered by Mahak Gull.



Smt. Khema Misri (Indra Hakhu)

## 10TH DAY KRIYA

With profound grief & sorrow, we inform the sad demise of our beloved mother **Smt. Khema Misri (Indra Hakhu)**, W/o Sh. I.K. Hakhu, R/o 164-B, Vipin Garden, Dwarka Mod, Uttam Nagar, New Delhi (originally resident of Badiyar Bala, Srinagar, Kashmir) on 15-04-2022.

**10th Day Kriya** will be performed at Sector 18, Near DTC Depot, Bhavana Road, Near Telephone Exchange, Rohini Badly on 24-04-2022 at 7:00 AM and Assembly will be held at residence at 10:30AM.

### GRIEF STRICKEN

Sh. I.K. Hakhu (Husband)

Smt. Prakriti Kaul Hakoo (Daughter in law)

Sh. Amit Hakoo (Son)

Smt. Anita Shekhar (Daughter)

Sh. Sanjeev Shekhar (Son in law)

**and Samast Pariwars of Hakhu's, Kaul's, Warikoo's, Sadhu's, Gigoo's, Bhat's & Misri's**

**Grand Children** - Shubhankar, Arnav, Saanvi & Harsh

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## Two held with illicit liquor

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

REASI: Continuing its drive against drug abuse and illicit liquor, a party from Police Station Chassana laid a surprise Naka at Channa (Tejarh) area of Chassana. On seeing Police party, a suspect tried to flee but was chased and apprehended. On search, 10 liters of illicit liquor was recovered from his possession. The accused was identified as Som Raj, son of Karam Chand, resident of Channa (Tejarh) Tehsil Chassana, District Reasi. FIR No. 20/2022 under section 48-(A) of Excise Act was registered against him at Police Station Chassana.

In another incident, a team of Police Station Mahore also apprehended an accused Balbir Singh, son of Dharam Singh, resident of Mahore during routine Naka checking at Mahore and recovered 4 bottles of XXX rum from his possession. FIR No. 28/2022 under section 48(F) of Excise Act was registered against him at Police Station Mahore.

## 23 bovines rescued; 6 smugglers arrested

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

REASI/SAMBA: Police on Friday foiled various bovine smuggling bids, thereby rescuing 23 bovines and arrested 6 smugglers.

As per details, a team of Police Post Bhambla laid a surprise Naka and intercepted three smugglers namely Sunil Dutt, son of Dev Raj, resident of Tareru Tehsil Taryath; Ashok Kumar, son of Mela Ram, resident of Salangad Tehsil Choki Choura and Kirpal Singh, son of Krishan Lal, resident of Delari Tehsil Khawas and rescued two bovines from their possession. Trio was arrested and FIR No 19/2022 under section 188 of IPC and 11 (1)(a) of PCA Act was registered against them at Police Station Pouni.

Meanwhile, a team of Police Post Shajroo during surprise Naka checking foiled bovine smuggling attempt and rescued 9 bovines from possession of a smuggler namely Mohd Ashraf, son of Makhna, resident of Maslote Tehsil Thuroo. FIR No. 29/2022 under sections 188 of IPC and 11 (1)(a) of PCA Act was registered at Police Station Mahore.

District Police Samba also successfully foiled attempts to smuggle bovines by rescuing 12 bovines and arrested two smugglers in three separate incidents under jurisdiction of Police Station Ghagwal.



Acting on information received from reliable sources regarding illegal transportation of bovines, a party from Police Station Ghagwal at Naka Tapyal, signaled a Mahindra vehicle (JK02BN/2231) to stop for checking. Instead of stopping the vehicle, the driver accelerated the speed but was successfully chased by alert cops just a few meters away from Naka. On checking, 5 bovines were found laden inside vehicle which were rescued and FIR No. 56/2022 under section 188 of IPC, 11 of PCA Act was registered at Police Station Ghagwal. Similarly, a party of Police Station Ghagwal rescued 7 bovines at Naka Tapyal, Ghagwal which were being smuggled in an Auto (JK14H/1929) and Mahindra load carrier (JK14G/5329). In this regard, FIR Nos. 57 & 58/2022 under sections 188 of IPC, 11 of PCA Act were registered at Police Station Ghagwal.

## Bootlegger nabbed with 24 bottles of illicit liquor

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

KATHUA: In its drive against the trade of illicit liquor, Kathua Police under the overall supervision of SSP R C Kotwal on Friday seized 24 bottles of illicit liquor at Basohli and arrested a bootlegger.

As per details, a police team led by SHO Basohli Insp Sikander Singh under the supervision of SDPO Basohli Shazia Akhtar during special checking in its jurisdictional area intercepted a suspicious person. During checking, 24 bottles of whisky (illicit liquor) were recovered from possession of accused, who was identified as Mani Ram, son of Munshi Ram, resident of Preta. He was arrested and FIR No 31/2022 under section 48(A) of Excise Act was registered against him at Police Station Basohli.

## 3 notorious drug-peddlers arrested with cannabis

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

KISHTWAR: Police on Friday nabbed 3 drug peddlers and recovered 141 gm Cannabis (Charas) like substance from their possession.

As per details, a Naka led by SHO Kishtwar Insp Abid Bukhari was laid at Om Mehta road crossing under supervision of DySP Hqrs Kishtwar Ashish Gupta. During extensive checking of vehicles and pedestrian, police noticed 3 suspects who were intercepted by cops.

On checking, 141 gm Cannabis (Charas) like substance was recovered from their possession. The accused, identified as Mudassir Mehaj, son of Mehraj Din, resident of Om Mehta road; Javid, son of Javid Iqbal, resident of Tanghowari and Mudassir Hussain, son of Ab Latief, resident of Zaver Kishtwar, were arrested on the spot and FIR No. 91/2022 under sections 8/20 of NDPS Act was registered against them at Police Station Kishtwar.

## Kidnapped minor girl rescued from Punjab

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

REASI: Police on Friday rescued kidnapped minor girl from Gurdaspur in Punjab. As per details, father of girl, resident of Bandi lodged a written complaint on March 31, 2022 at Police Station Mahore stating that his minor daughter, age fifteen years went to market but didn't come back. He along with his family members started searching for her at their own level but could not found her anywhere, after

which they approached Police Station Mahore. The complainant further doubted that his minor daughter has been kidnapped by someone. On this, FIR no 23/2022 under section 363 of IPC was lodged at Police Station Mahore and search was launched by multiple police parties. After hectic efforts, the presence of girl was established in Khanuwar, Gurdaspur Punjab.

Amit Gupta, Senior Superintendent of Police framed special teams under the supervision of SDPO Mahore and a team led by Sub Inspector rank officer was sent to Punjab for recovery of minor. With help of local Police, the team raided several places and recovered the missing minor girl successfully from Gurdaspur, Punjab. Police is still on job to arrest accused involved in crime.

## SSP Rashmi Wazir to investigate Vijaypur POCSO case

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

VIJAYPUR: After suspension of SHO Vijaypur, ASI and Munshi for dereliction of duty in Vijaypur POCSO rape case, the investigation has now been handed over to SSP Rashmi Wazir, Commandant of Woman Battalion 1st. An order in this regard was issued by PHQ and Wazir was asked to investigate the matter while suspended officers have been asked to stay in District Police Lines, so that proper investigation can be done. From other side, the Crime Branch will further investigate the official FIR in this matter.

According to information, action has been taken by PHQ after CID report came in this case, after which a team of Crime Branch was sent, for detailed report which stated that police had not registered the case. After intervention of Crime Branch, a case was registered and action was taken by PHQ.

Pertinent to mention here that top officials have taken action in the case and suspended SHO Vijaypur Ali Imran, ASI and Munshi. A departmental inquiry has also been ordered against them.

## Absconder nabbed after 26 years

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

UDHAMPUR: Police on Friday nabbed an absconder who was evading his arrest for last 26 years.

As per details, one Mohd Saleem Bhat, son of Ahmed Bhat, resident of Gund, Banihal was wanted in FIR 123/1994 registered under section 4/25 of Arms Act since 1996. Following a tip-off regarding his presence, a team of Udhampur Police Station nabbed him.

## Five of family injured in road mishap

### ■ STATE TIMES NEWS

SAMBA: Five members of a family got injured in road mishap at Samba on Friday. As per details, an Innova (PB01A-6192) which was on its way to Katra from Kathua, met with an accident near New Bus-stand Samba due to which five persons of a family travelling in it got injured.

They were shifted to hospital and were identified as Sunny Sharma, son of Tirth Ram, his wife Tara Sharma, Tripta Kalia, wife of Ramanand Kalia, Tirath Ram son of Thoru Ram and Aditya Sharma, son of Rajesh Sharma, all residents of Amritsar, Punjab.