

BJP Legal Cell declares teams for J&K, various districts

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JAMMU: Advocate Rajesh Thappa, Convener, Legal Cell, J&K BJP in consultation with J&K BJP President Ravinder Raina, BJP General Secretary (Org) Ashok Koul and All Cells Incharge Rakesh Mahajan declared the State Team of BJP Legal Cell and District Team of BJP Legal Cell of various Districts.

State Team of BJP Legal Cell: Dewakar Sharma, Vikas Pankaj and Sarfraz Hamid Rather (Co-Convener) and Ravinder Gupta, Ranjit Singh Jamwal, Adarsh Bhagat, Bhanu Jasrotia, Amit Manhas, Anil Khajuria, Gourav Jamwal, Sandeep Gupta, Deepali Sharma, Manoj Bhat, Avtar Singh Sodhi (Kashmir), Dheeraj Sharma, Rajat Gupta, Atul Raina, Ajay Kotwal, Nazish Matoo (Kashmir), Jatinder Sharma, Dheeraj Choudhary, Bindusar Abrol, Nitika Bali Sharma, Pooja Sharma, Sandeep Singh, Abdul Hafeez, Numan Malik (Kashmir), Satinder Singh (Kashmir), Suresh Sharma,

Anchit Haritayam Sharma, Pervaiz A. Chowdhary and Dharminder Singh (Members).

BJP Legal Cell District Jammu (West): Adv. Punjeet Mahajan Convener; Adv. Abdul Hafeez and Adv. Suresh Sharma Co-Convener and Members are Sanjay Sharma, Rakesh Dogra, Ankit Kochar, Sahil Gupta, Rahul Sharma, Parkhi Parihar and Karan Singh Johal. District Jammu (North): Amit Chib Convener and Sorab and Naresh Baghat are Co-Convener while Members are Kanav Sharma, Sachin Sharma, Nikash Sharma, Ankit Vaid, Shubhika Sharma, Ayushman Sharma and Jattan Singh. Cell District Jammu (Mahila):

Neetika Bali Convener, Priyanka Charak and Malwika Uppal Co-Convener and Members are Pooja Sharma, Neha Manhas, Taniya Jamwal, Palvi Sharma, Pratibha Sharma, Renu Kumari, Priya Jalali, Vishali, Pooja, Pooja Devi, Arti Thakur, Diksha Thapa, Kanchan Verma. Adv. Neetu Sharma and Neha Gandotra. District Reasi: Adv. Parvesh Kant Convener; Adv. Gulshan Singh and Adv. Nigam Aroraa Co-Convener. Member are Adv. Vishal Sharma, Adv. Rajat Goswami, Adv. Gourav Samotra, Adv. Gourav Prashar, Adv. Abhinav Salmat, Adv. Ranjeet Singh and Adv. Sahil Sharma. District Ramban: Adv. Suraj Singh Raina, Rishab Bali, Gagan Deep Singh, Nikhail Fool and Irfan Ul Haq. District Rajouri: Adv. Nawaz Mirza Convener, Asif Kataria and Adv. Dushant Sharma Co-Convener and Members are Adv. Yogesh Kr Sharma, Amit Padha, Sachin Sapotra, Zulfakar Ahmed, Mehroz Mirza, Tarun Wasson and Ahjaz-ul-Haq. District Nowshera: Kamal Singh

and Soney Kumar, Co-Convener and Members are Surinder Thakur, Vaibhav Sharma, Deepak Thakur. District Udhampur: Rakesh Sharma Convener; Pawan Gupta and Vijay Laxmi Co-Convener and Members are Shwetkeu Singh Jamwal, Shivani Gupta, Raghav Sharma, Tanvi Sharma, Akhil Dubey, Atul Singh and Mudrit Mahajan. District Poonch: Adv. Sanjay Raina Convener, Adv. Gulshan Kumar and Chaman Lal Co-Convener and Members are Adv. Navjot Sharma, Adv. Tahir Mehmood, Dheeraj Kour, Adv. Saleem Bhatti, Adv. Wassem Bukhari, Bhanu Partap, Mehmood Hussain Shah, Mahesh Raina, Rishab Bali, Gagan Deep Singh, Nikhail Fool and Irfan Ul Haq. District Rajouri: Adv. Nawaz Mirza Convener, Asif Kataria and Adv. Dushant Sharma Co-Convener and Members are Adv. Yogesh Kr Sharma, Amit Padha, Sachin Sapotra, Zulfakar Ahmed, Mehroz Mirza, Tarun Wasson and Ahjaz-ul-Haq. District Samba: Adv. Sandeep Convener.

Convener and Dheeraj Choudhary Co-Convener. District Kathua: Rakesh Sharma Convener; Randeep Singh Jasrotia and Ankush Sharma Co-Convener and Members are Vikas Sharma, Sudanshu Sharma, Nidi Suman, Atul Singh Andotra, Kamaljeet Singh, Amit Sharma and Varun Sharma. Pahadi Zila Basohli Bani Billawar: Mandeep Partap Singh (Ramkot) Convener, Sachin Dev Singh (Billawar) and Rishi Singh Badyal (Bari Duggan) Co-Convener and Members are Adv. Sarthi Billowria (Machhedi), Bhoompati Brij Raj (Billawar), Manisha Badwal (Ramkot), Bhanno Partap Singh (Kahnoo Ramkot), Sahil Sharma (Billawar), Armesh Kumar (Bani), Bishav Singh (Billawar), Vijay Behal (Bani). District Kishtwar: Inderjeet Charak Convener, Amit Shan and Pavita Kiran Co-Convener and Members are Atul Sharma, Pooja Shan, Rajesh Sharma and MR Rathore. District Samba: Adv. Sandeep Convener.

Dr Rohit asks leaders to hold door to door campaign



Apni Party Provincial Secretary & District President Jammu Urban, Dr Rohit Gupta chairing party workers meeting.

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JAMMU: Apni Party Provincial Secretary/ District President Jammu Urban, Dr Rohit Gupta has asked the party leaders to intensify door to door campaign.

Gupta chaired a meeting of Apni Party leaders who represented different wings and discussed organization structures and issues that need to be highlighted for the welfare of general masses.

In his address, Dr Rohit Gupta asked the party leaders inform people about the developmental and social security

scheme of the party in their door to door campaign.

Dr Gupta had threadbare discussion during the review meeting with regard to the membership drive, and asked the leaders to hold public grievances meetings.

He also said that the party program should be explained to public whether it is providing free 500 units of electricity in Jammu during summer season, and 300 units of free electricity during winter season.

Similarly, he said that the party will enhance old

age/widow pension up to Rs 5000, and will provide free four cooking gas cylinders per year under Ujjawala Scheme per year to each family.

The meeting was attended by Vaibhav Mattoo, District Vice President Jammu Urban, Puranchand Rahi District President SC Wing Riyaz Panch District President ST Wing, Prem Sagar District President OBC Wing, Shivam Choudhary District President Youth Wing Ritu Pandita District President women wing and others.

North West Frontier ITBP celebrates 17th Raising Day



IG NW Frontier Sanjay Gunjya presenting trophy to ITBP officers.

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LEH: HQs North West Frontier ITBP celebrated its 17th Raising Day on Saturday. IG NW Frontier Sanjay Gunjyal receives the salute from the Parade formed by Ladakh based units. While addressing the gathering, Gunjyal extended greetings to all Veterans of the force, Himveers & their families and also encouraged Himveers to improve Frontier's overall performance.

ITBP personnel were awarded with DG's Commendation Rolls & Insignias for their achievements. The Best Green Sanjay Battalion Trophy, Best Border Battalion Trophy, and Best Non-Border Battalion Trophy were given to various Battalions under NW Frontier.

On the occasion a Voluntary Blood Donation Camp was also organised at Sector Hospital Leh.

Continuous contact with masses at grassroots level our strength: Baru

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JAMMU: Sanjay Kumar Baru toured Anand Vihar Bohri to oversee the recently completed development works and also listened the grievances of local residents, accompanied by BJP Local Shaktikendra Pramukhs Rakesh Sharma, Bubesh Sharma, Booth president Bachan Lal Bhagat and Wazir lane Youth Welfare Committee President Jatinder Khajuria. During the attraction with locals Sanjay Kumar Baru said that BJP is the only political party which keeps a continuous masses contact at grassroots level and it's great strength of party to win the elections again and again. He said policies and welfare schemes of Prime Minister Narendra Modi government during the last 9 years, the residents of India have witnessed a golden era; an era



Corporator Ward 41 Sanjay Kumar Baru during visit to Anand Vihar Bohri.

which is led by unprecedented growth, development and resurgence of India. He said that the Modi government started its course with 'Sabka Sath, Sabka Vikas' and the joining of 'Sabka Vishwas, Sabka Prayas' has led to the inclusion of every person from the most neglected part of the society. Baru further said that while Bharat has just completed 75 years of freedom from British rule, now it is high

time to contribute our energy in these 25 years of Amritkaal for further strengthening of Bharat Amritkaal starting from now till 2047 belongs to remake and rebuild Bharat, which will be based upon our rich culture with ultra modern scientific advancements in the reach of common masses. Self-reliant Bharat, which treats every being with concern and which is full of energy, free

from disease and poverty, he added.

Sanjay Baru listened all the grievances patiently and said that black topping of by lanes at Anand Vihar is already sanctioned but work will start only after the temperature improved and left out deepdrain and paver tiles work of Extension Anand Vihar lane is under tendering process, he ensured early completion of these development works.

FICCI FLO JKL holds change of guard in 39th annual session

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JAMMU: FICCI FLO Jammu Kashmir & Ladakh (JKL) change of guard took place during the 39th Annual Session of FLO held over two days on the March 30 and 31, 2023, followed by the First Governing Body meet for the new term on April 1, 2023 at FICCI House, New Delhi.

Continuing in the spirit of Power to Empower Founding Chairperson Ritu Singh, passes the baton on to Varuna Anand as Chairperson FICCI FLO Jammu Kashmir & Ladakh for the term 2023-2024.

Ritu Singh, in her annual report, highlighted all achievements under her leadership in the past 2 years and



FICCI FLO Jammu Kashmir & Ladakh members at annual session.

was honoured with a trophy of Appreciation for her relentless work done in Digital Literacy at the rural level under project Vriddhi-Our Digital Beti.

As an annual feature the change of Guard is a process followed both at the head office percolating down to all

the 19 Chapters.

Jayanti Dalmia, the 39th National President FLO, passed the baton to Sudha Shivkumar, who comes in as the 40th National President of FLO, for the term 2023-2024.

Day one witnessed an interesting Panel Discussion,

moderated by Harjinder Kaur Talwar, Past President FLO & Chair Inclusion, G20Startup20 with Chintan Vaishnav, Mission Director of the Atal Innovation Mission, Niti Aayog.

The second day was graced by Sunil Kant Munjal, Chairman Hero Enterprise,

Chief Guest Anurag Sharma, Member of the Lok Sabha, Guest of Honour Subhrakant Panda, President FICCI and Shailesh Pathak, FICCI Secretary General.

Day three officially began the session for the term 2023-2024 on Saturday at FICCI House, New Delhi with the first Governing Body Meet for the term.

Varuna Anand, Chairperson FLO JKL shared her vision for the chapter during the first GB meet showcasing her prime initiative "Take pride in your Tribe" which would cover many member engagement and promotion programs.

She also highlighted to scale

up the Marquee events of the chapter under the Founding Chairpersons leadership so far undertaken at the Grassroot, Middle & Senior level.

She proudly introduced her Core team for the term 2023-2024 which include Ruchika Gupta Senior Vice Chairperson, Aarti Chowdhary Vice Chairperson, Sona Mehta Treasurer, Pooja Gandotra Joint Treasurer, Mona Saraf Secretary and Chandani Kapoor Joint Secretary.

She thanked Ritu Singh for her unflinching support and admired and appreciated her zeal, which has taken the chapter to great heights in a short span of two years.

State Coordinator of Bajrang Dal, Karthik Sudan addressing a press conference at Jammu.

Minorities Commission delegation attends conference at New Delhi

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JAMMU: A delegation of National Minorities Commission members belongs to J&K UT participated in All India Annual Conference of National minorities Communities held at New Delhi. The Conference was chaired by John Barla, Union Minister of State Incharge National Minorities communities along with All India National Minorities Communities

Chairman Iqbal Singh Lalpura.

In the outset, the Chairman gave the welcome address and also highlighted the importance of the conference. A number of prominent office bearers of Commission belonging to country delivered their lecture and apprised the benefits schemes for the upliftment of minority communities. John Barla insisted upon the members to go to the public domain and make familiar them about the various scheme announced by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi especially for the minorities communities comprises with 6th religions sections like Muslim, Sikhs, Christian, Buddhist, Jains and Parsi. He reiterated that our Prime Minister is always anxious about upliftment of minorities and said that it is the India which has created a separate minority department. The Minister urged members to escalate the Prime Minister's slogan Sabka Saath Sabka Vikas Sabka Paryas and Sabka Vishwas. A charter of demand belongs to POJK1947 Sharnarhi Intellectual Forum related to minorities of J&K UT was handed over to Minister of State Incharge National Minorities Commission and Chairman. The National communities members from J&K who participated are Advocate Amrik Singh who is also President of All J&K 1947 POJK Sharnarhi Intellectual Forum, Major General (retd) Jagdeep Singh Ishar, R.S 'Tolra and Paranjit Singh from Kashmir.

Maharaja Harisingh Agriculture Collegiate School start New Session



Students, faculty and parents attending Havan on first day of new session.

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JAMMU: Every new beginning in Maharaja Harisingh Agriculture Collegiate (MHAC) Nagbani under the aegis of DAVCMC started with a Vedic Havan which has been traditionally carried on since its inception.

Traditional Havan was attended by the Tiny-Tots who took admission in school for

the new session. Around 200 students with their parents participated in this spiritual ceremony. Bhajans and devotional songs were presented by Upma Sharma and Deepak Sharma, the school music teacher.

School Principal, Brij Mohan Babbar said that the school has been spreading its essence throughout the

nation. He congratulated the parents and students for getting admission and stepping into the new phase of their academic life. He encouraged the teachers to become the role models for the students.

Fruit saplings donated by the teachers were also planted to make the environment more friendly and healthy.

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JAMMU: The 999 Production organised the media interaction of winners of Miss & Mrs North Jammu on Saturday.

While addressing media, the owner of 999 Production Lucky Singh Angel said, "I would like to congratulate to all the participants of the event whose enthusiastic participation helped to make event successful."

Singh further congratulated to title winners of the North Jammu season 4 event. More success and more heights to Miss North Jammu Akriti Panotra and Mrs North Jammu Meenakshi Gupta to grab the title of season 4.

"Jammu have a huge potential as well as fashion and modeling talents and they deserve the right platform where they can display their talents," Singh stated.

"I would like to assure the youth of Jammu that I will keep try hard to provide them the purpose platform in the



Owner of 999 Production Lucky Singh Angel after addressing a press conference at Jammu.

field of modeling as well as fashion in Jammu. It is indeed the requirement of time," Singh mentioned. Singh further extended his gratitude to the sponsors of the event, "Sponsors have a very important stake in the event as it couldn't be possible without their support." I would like to say thanks to all sponsors, dignitaries and jury members to make North Jammu season 4 a successful event.

"Jury Manyas Singh, Jasmeet Reen, Ashina Sharma, Supreet Kour and Manmeet

Singh. Samant Singh Jamwal (Dir Citizens Cooperative Bank), Rani Bhan, Irfan Choudhary, Gurdeep Kour, Surinder Suri, Nirmal Mahana (AAP Leader), Inderjeet Raina, Madhav Sharma AIR Broadcaster.

Paramjeet Properties, Kudan Motor, Colour Trends, Dheeraj Studios, J&K Immigration Consultant, 999 fitness were the main sponsors whereas the MJ Colour saloon, Galaxy Enterprizes and My Tomorrow Land Bistrio by 999," Singh thanked. Miss North Jammu

Akriti Panotra thanked 999 production to organise such platform, "No doubt such kind of event and initiatives help to motivate the talented youth and also help to chase their passion in the field of fashion and modeling."

Mrs North Jammu Meenakshi Gupta said, "I am thankful to 999 production to provide such a splendid opportunity to perform and especially married women are more thankful to such event. All credit goes to 999 production and its team."