

# Highlight key achievements of Modi Govt under Samajik Nayay Saptah: Ravinder Raina to cadre

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SAMBA: Ravinder Raina, President BJP Jammu & Kashmir, on Friday launched cleanliness drive at Purmandal which is popularly known as Chota Kashi.

Speaking on the occasion, Raina said that Purmandal is a historical sacred place of Hindus, which has its mention in Kalhana's Rajtarangni, as well as in Hindu epic books, and has remained a well known place for pilgrims from the ancient times. He said it's our responsibility to promote a prosperous and beautiful environment created and nurtured by a supportive community. This 'community' can be your family, friends, schools, groups, towns or cities and your opportunity, perhaps a life-changing experience, is to create leaders to inspire your 'community' however small or large that may be BJP Jammu & Kashmir provides you opportunities to step out and find ways to inspire others towards your passion and discover from that experience that 'you will live life more joyfully and successfully.

Speaking over the Samajik Nayay Saptah in connection with Party's foundation day celebrations, Raina said after 42 years of journey we feel



Ravinder Raina, President BJP Jammu & Kashmir and others during cleanliness drive at Samba.

indebted to the veteran leaders who contributed in raising its seats from 2 to 300 seats in the Lok Sabha. He said that today BJP is the largest party of the world and connected firmly to the people of this nation. He asserted that today J&K witnessing unprecedented development after abrogation of Art 370 is a result of the sacrifices of the leaders like Shyama Prasad Mookerjee. He said that BJP and Central Government headed by the Prime Minister, Narendra Modi stand fully committed for the development of Jammu and Kashmir. The unprecedented overall development of J&K witnessed today is the result of this sincere commitment of BJP led Government at

the Centre for the progress and prosperity of this sensitive Union Territory and its people, he added.

Ravinder Raina appreciated BJYM President Arun Prabhat for engaging local youth in large to make this event more enthusiastic.

After performing Pooja at Uma Pati Mahadev Mandir and conducting cleanliness drive of Devika stream, Ravinder Raina interacted with the locals with a message to every age group to be a part of this cleanliness program, and make their participation in keeping our Jammu Kashmir clean and green. Besides, he insisted female villagers to make use of composite bin at their homes to accommodate daily household biodegradable

waste which helps in moisturizing the soil.

Meanwhile, BJYM Jammu & Kashmir under the dynamic leadership of Arun Prabhat successfully conducted various cleanliness/awareness programmes across Jammu & Kashmir. Several cleanliness and awareness drives were conducted by Arun Prabhat at AAP Shambu (Roopnagar), Shiv Temple Opposite RRL Lab (Jewal), and Devika River - Purmandal Shri Kashi Vishwanath Ji.

Arun Prabhat Ji said that BJP Jammu Kashmir youth wing has started these drives across Jammu & Kashmir, with a clear message of improving sustainable way of living and it is us the youth of the Jammu Kashmir who has to take the stand and lead from the front.

Other prominent persons who were present include Ankush Jamwal, BJYM District President Samba, Vikas Sharma, State Secretary & Prabhari, Kashmiria Singh BJP District President Samba, Jai Sharma (SEM), Dil Bhadur Singh Convener Swatch Bharat Mission and T.R Sharma Co-Convener Swatch Bharat Mission.

## DEO Doda chairs virtual meeting to encourage voter participation

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DODA: In a bid to encourage voter participation and enhance Systematic Voters Education and Electoral Program (SVEEP), District Election Officer, Vishesh Mahajan, chaired a virtual meeting with more than 450 EROs (Electoral Registration Officers), AEROs (Assistant Electoral Registration Officers), BLOs (Booth Level Officers), from different locations. The online interaction was aimed at assessing the progress of new voter enrollment in the current year.

During the meeting, the DEO urged all BLOs to ensure that no eligible new voter is left out in their area who has reached the age of 18 years.

Furthermore, the DEO announced special days for the SVEEP program, which aims to motivate new voters to enrol themselves in the voters' list. He suggested using schools, colleges, universities, and hospitals for advertising to encourage new voters to participate actively.

The online meeting was attended by Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) Doda, Additional Deputy Commissioner Bhaderwah, Assistant Commissioner Revenue Doda, Deputy District Election Officer, besides tehsildars and others.

# Jal Jeevan Mission awareness programme held in Kishtwar



DC Kishtwar Dr Devansh Yadav speaking during the event.

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KISHTWAR: The Project Management Consultancy, Mission Directorate, Jal Jeevan Mission J&K, and District Administration, District Jal Jeevan Mission, Kishtwar organised a hand-holding cum awareness programme at Conference Hall DC Office Kishtwar.

Deputy Commissioner Kishtwar Dr Devansh Yadav was chief guest of the occasion, and Assistant Commissioner Panchayat Kishtwar Zakir Hussain Wani was also present.

The event had nearly 600 participants including PRIs, Pani Samiti members, ASHA Workers, Anganwari workers, field staff of Jal Shakti Department (PIHE), District Project Management Unit JJM Kishtwar Staff, representatives of Implementation Support Agency, and GVK Kishtwar water testing lab staff.

In his address, Deputy Commissioner highlighted the various aspects of Jal Jeevan Mission and steps being undertaken to provide clean and safe drinking water to every household in the district. He apprised the stakeholders about the JJM scheme and the role being played by PRIs and Pani Samiti members in its implementation and execution of other JJM projects in various panchayats of the District Kishtwar. He directed to rationalise the Pani Simitis in the next few days as per the guidelines and emphasised on them to play a proactive role and support in executing and functioning of the schemes under JJM.

Executive Engineer, Jal Shakti (PIHE) Kishtwar, Sunil Sharma also apprised the stakeholders about the JJM Scheme and laid emphasis on them to assist the administration to make the "Har Ghar Nal Se Jal"

mission successful. From Mission Directorate, Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) Sajal Srivastava, IEC, UT Team Leader, Project Management Consultancy conducted a detailed session highlighting the various aspects of water management and immediate measures to ensure clean tap water to every household. He explained the role and duties of various stakeholders and demonstrated data entry mechanisms and other indicators of Jal Jeevan Mission with regard to the dashboard/website.

Other topics discussed included rainwater harvesting, usage of grey water, water quality, water-borne diseases, water saving, and the importance of "Soak Pits." The program was conducted by Riaz Ahmed Butt, Coordinator, IEC, JJM, Kishtwar, who presented a detailed analysis of various aspects and achievements of Jal Jeevan Mission.

# Various educational institutions celebrate World Health Day

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BANIHAL: Debates and Seminar Committee of Government Degree College Banihal in collaboration with Department of Physical Education and Sports celebrated World Health Day on the theme: Health for All: under the auspices of India's G-20 Presidency and AKAM in the conference hall of college. The event drew maximum participation of students and faculty members.

On the onset, organizer Prof. Sajad Ahmad Sultan announced the theme and threw light on the historical importance of celebrating the day. The key note speaker on the occasion Deepak Kumar (Physical Training Instructor) of the college illuminated the audience about the methods and secrets of healthier life, the advocacy of which can lead a stress free and peaceful life.

The program was carried out under the overall supervision of Principal Dr. Shalini Sharma, who in her presidential remarks described the theme "Health for All" and reiterated the government's efforts in providing quality health services through the mode of PM-JAY (Sehat scheme). The proceeding of the program were put



Students of and faculty of GDC Neeli Nallah during the event.

forth by Prof. Sajad Ahmad Sultan convener Debates and Seminar Committee. Finally the event was concluded with vote of thanks by Prof. Ram Parkash (HoD) Mathematics.

**S U N D E R B A N I :** Government Degree College Sunderbani, NSS unit in collaboration with Red ribbon club and eco club celebrated World Health Day by organising lecture on the theme "Our planet our Health". In the program a large number of students and faculty members took active part. Dr Rakesh, Rafiq Ahmed Rather and Prof. Supriya were also present in the event. The said Programme was organised by NSS PO Prof Sham Lal, Convener Red Ribbon Club Prof Sheraz kousser and Convener Eco club Prof Beant Singh. Prof Ganga Sharma and Dr Subita delivered a

detailed lecture on the said theme. Principal of the college Prof Minnie Sharma appreciated the efforts of organising team and during her speech she emphasised on the necessity to educate and aware masses regarding health issues.

**UDHAMPUR:** To commemorate the "World Health Day" NSS Unit Govt. Degree College Neeli Nallah, Udhampur organized Symposium on the topic "Health for All". under the mission G20 Awareness. The programme was organized under the guidance of Prof. Hans Raj, Principal of the college. The event was started with a keynote address by the Prof. Hans Raj, Principal. A total of 10 students participated in the symposium presenting their views on the theme of the day. Deep Kumar, student of semester VI secured 1st position and

Sunaina Devi and Rupali Rajput, students of semester IV secured 2nd and 3rd position respectively.

The event was followed by cleanliness and plantation drive in the college campus with the aim of enhancing the beauty and healthy environment of the college. The Principal, staff and students participated in this drive enthusiastically. The programme was co-ordinated by Prof. Radha Rani, NSS PO Unit. The organizing Committee constituted of Prof. Swati Dutt, Prof. Shaista Yasmeen and Manisha Kanchru. Others present in the programme were Dr. Intiaz Bhatti, Dr. Ranjeeta Langeh, Shalini Jamoria, Dr. Parul Chhibber and Pratibha Heer.

**THANNAMANDI:** Under the banner of G20 theme "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" Department of Zoology in collaboration with Department of Physical education Govt. Degree College Thannamandi organized World Health Day 2023 under the theme "Health for All". The programme was collaboratively organized by Prof. Raheela Mushtaq (HOD Zoology) & Dr. Mohd Ibrahim (HOD Physical Education) under the overall patronage of

Principal of the college Prof. (Dr) Farooq Ahmed. The programme was convened by Dr. Tajinder Singh (HOD Botany). An extension lecture on meditation for students was delivered by Ex IPS Officer Rajan Singh who stressed on giving small time to develop healthy habits in daily life. On the occasion Prof. Ajaz Nazir (HOD Physics), Dr. Mukaddus Kariem (HOD Chemistry), Waqar Ahmed (Chief Librarian), Dr. Altaf Ahmed, Dr. Mohd Arshad (Department of Urdu), Parvez Ahmed Lone (HOD Economics) were attending the programme. Speaking on the occasion, Principal of the college, Prof. (Dr). Farooq Ahmed stressed on the need to develop mental health.

**BANI:** GDC Bani celebrated World Health Day to mark the Anniversary of founding of the World Health Organization. The program was conducted under the patronage of the Principal of the college Prof. (Dr.) Manisha Sarup Kohli. The Principal while speaking on the theme of the occasion explained in detail the effect of Mental stress on the health and well-being of the individuals and said that, it is the responsibility of every human being to



GMC Doda celebrating World Health Day.

promote health, keep the world safe and serve the vulnerable- so everyone everywhere can attain the highest level of Health and well-Being. Prof. Sanjeev Verma, convener G-20 Club of the college presented vote of thanks and concluding remarks. Staff and Students of all the semesters of the college actively participated in the event.

**BHADERWAH:** The District Legal Services Authority (DLSA) Bhaderwah observed "World Health Day" in collaboration with Sub District Hospital Bhaderwah at Crescent Public School Bhaderwah. Block Medical Officer Bhaderwah, Dr Ashraf was the chief guest and Dr Mohd Iqbal Rtd Principal

GDC Bhaderwah, Adv Mohd Majid Malik and Dr Amir Malik were guests of honour.

Resource Person, Adv Mohd Majid Malik highlighted the importance of World Health Day and said that right to health is a fundamental right guaranteed to every citizen of India under Article-21 of the constitution of India.

**DODA:** The Department of Community Medicine at Government Medical College Doda celebrated World Health Day 2023 with an interactive session and various events focusing on this year's theme "Health for All".

Dr Walied K Balwan, Senior Resident, gave an introductory speech about current public health problems and their

impact, followed by a lecture by Dr Suresh K Kotwal, Head of Department of Community Medicine, on the global scenario, achievements, and challenges in the public health sector.

Various events, including seminars and poster presentations, were held, and MBBS students participated enthusiastically. The session ended with a vote of thanks by Dr Walied K Balwan.

Similar programs were held at Urban Health Training Centre (UHTC) Ghat and Rural Health Training Centre (RHTC) Bhalla. HOD Community Medicine Dr Suresh K Kotwal attended the event, with logistic support provided by Chief Accounts Officer Mohd Iqbal, and support from staff of the Department of Community Medicine and Audio-Visual section of GMC Doda. Appreciation certificates and trophies were distributed among the participating MBBS students.

## DC Rajouri unveils admission prospectus for Eklavya Model Residential School

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RAJOURI: Deputy Commissioner, Vikas Kundal unveiled the admission prospectus for the upcoming academic year 2023-24 of Eklavya Model Residential School, marking the second academic session for the school. The school was established with the noble objective of providing quality education to students from schedule Tribe communities.

During the unveiling ceremony, the Deputy Commissioner emphasised the importance of education in empowering young minds and creating a better future for the country. He highlighted the need for equal access to education for all children, irrespective of their background or socio-economic status.

The Deputy Commissioner encouraged parents and guardians to take advantage of this opportunity and enroll their children in the school. He



DC Vikas Kundal and others unveiling admission prospectus.

emphasised that the school will have state-of-the-art infrastructure, with its buildings in an advanced stage of construction, highly qualified faculty and a comprehensive curriculum designed to provide students with a holistic learning experience.

The Eklavya Model Residential School is affiliated with the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) and offers education from class VI to XII. The prospectus con-

tains detailed information about the admission process, eligibility criteria, and fee structure. Interested parents and guardians can obtain a copy of the prospectus from the school's website or by visiting the admission office.

Chief Planning Officer, Mohd Khurshid; Chief Education Officer; Sultana Kouser; District Social Welfare Officer; Wakeel Ahmed Bhat and teachers of the school were present at the event.

## BJYM Poonch organises medical camp & Swachh Bharat Abhiyan

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POONCH: Today Bhartiya Janta Yuva (BJYM) Mocha Poonch on Friday organised free medical camp & Swachh Bharat Abhiyan at Qilla market Poonch & Dheri Sahab Mangnar.

On this occasion Distt President Bhartiya Janta Party Poonch Rajesh Raina Poonchi, Sunil Gupta & State Spokesperson & Er Sahil Mir inaugurated the medical camp at Qila Market Poonch & Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan at Dheri Sahab Mangnar Poonch.



BJP leaders inaugurating camp.

Er Sahil Mir appealed to all the resident of Distt Poonch to come in the front and par-

ticipate in the large number to take benefit of Govt schemes.

## PTTI Vijaypur organizes workshop to aware staff & trainees on 'stay safe online'



A resource person delivering lecture.

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VIJAYPUR: Police Technical Training Institute (PTTI), Vijaypur organized a workshop on the topic "Stay Safe Online". The objective of the workshop was to raise awareness among Police personnel and trainees to stay safe online while using social media platforms, making digital payments and during other online activities.

On this occasion, Rahul Pandita, Cyber Expert has delivered a comprehensive lecture on the subject who discussed in detail various cyber frauds which are in prevalence such as phishing scams, ransomware, identity theft, SIM swapping etc.

He briefly explained about the modus operandi being adopted by the cyber scammers to cheat the innocent citizens of their hard earnings. Pandita also advised to the participants to avoid sharing personal information on social media platform as the same may be utilized by hackers for their malafide intentions. Besides, he stressed upon not to share any sensitive /personal information viz. OTP, Bank Details & passwords etc. with anyone on mobile to stay safe online.

While speaking on the occasion, Dushyant Sharma-SSP, Vice Principal PTTI Vijaypur also quoted some examples with regard to the modalities being adopted by Cyber scammers and to look out for steps to be taken for its prevention. Kuldeep Raj, Dy.SP (Indoor/Tech) PTTI Vijaypur (Nodal Officer-Stay Safe Online Campaign) told that the workshop has been organized on the directions of PHQ-J&K with a motive to raise awareness among Police Personnel about prevailing cyber frauds. Shiv Kumar, SSP Principal PTTI Vijaypur thanked Cyber Expert Rahul Pandita for sparing his valuable time to aware staff and trainees of this Institute during the workshop.

Z i a - U l - H a q , Dy.SP(Admn/Outdoor), Davinder Gupta, Dy.SP (Telecom), Inspr. Surrender Paul Singh (CLI/CTI), Inspr. Vishal Kumar (RI/CDI), Inspr. Mulk Raj, Inspr. Ram Lal, Inspr. Anil Kumar, Inspr. Pawan Kumar, Inspr. Vivek kalsotra, Inspr. Tariq Mehmood, Inspr. Himanshu Dutta, Inspr. Ashish Darmat and others were present on the occasion.

## Rotary Club Grand Rajouri organises health camp



Dignitaries and club members during the camp.

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RAJOURI: On the occasion of World Health Day, Rotary Club Rajouri Grand organised a mega free medical camp on Friday. Retired Army Captain Yog Raj Bakshi inaugurated the camp by lighting the lamp at Matrix Hospital, Jawahar Nagar, while Dr. Mehmood Ahmed, Medical Superintendent of GMC Rajouri was specially present on the occasion. In the said free medical camp, various doctors examined hundreds of patients present in the camp free of cost and distributed free medicines among them. On the other hand, during the free diagnostic test organized on this occasion, free lab tests were done for hundreds of patients.

Dr. Mehmood, Medical Superintendent, GMC Rajouri said that this year's theme on World

Health Day has been "Health for all ". He said that to achieve this, one should exercise regularly and take special care of food and drink. Nowadays mental stress is also the root cause of increasing bad health . He told that hundreds of people have been benefited in this free camp organized by Rotary Club Grand Rajouri and most of the patients were from poor families who could not get expensive tests done from the market. On the other hand, Rotary Club Grand President Amardeep Singh, Chartered President Lokesh Bakshi, Club secretary Rajesh Mehta .Rotarian Navneet Bahri, Rotarian Rafiq Mir, Rotarian Ankur Gupta, Rotarian Dr. Vidushi Badyal, Rotarian Umesh Sharma Rotarian Ankur Gupta were present.

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