

5th phase constituencies to continue BJP's upward trend: Dr Jitendra

STATE TIMES NEWS
KOLKATA: Seven important Lok Sabha constituencies of West Bengal go to polls in the 5th phase on 20th and will continue the BJP's upward trend into the subsequent two phases also. This was stated here on Saturday by Union Minister Dr Jitendra Singh, who is assigned by the BJP the responsibility of 5th phase Lok Sabha election in West Bengal and has been continuously campaigning here for the last nearly one month. With a few hours left for the 5th phase of Lok Sabha election, Dr Jitendra Singh while speaking to the media on the sidelines of a Party Micro Management meeting of Polling Booth Incharges, said that out of the seven constituencies going to polls on the 20th, the BJP had won only three last time, but this time we are winning all the seven and by all means we are confident of winning



Union Minister Dr Jitendra Singh speaking at a Micro Management meeting of BJP Polling Booth Incharges at Kolkata.

six out of seven. Giving elaborate statistical details based on data and different factors, Dr Jitendra explained, this is a peculiar mix of constituencies, for example, two of these, namely Bongaon and Barrackpore constituencies are in 24-Parganas and close to the Bangladesh border. Both these constituencies had been won by BJP in 2019 and we are confident of retaining these this time also, he said. These are also the constituencies, the Minister

said, particularly the Bongaon where CAA has an appeal and Union Home Minister Amit Shah during his public rally had successfully refuted the false propaganda and false apprehensions sought to be spread about the CAA by Mamata Banerjee and other TMC leaders. Out of these seven, three constituencies are located in the Hooghly district, said Dr Jitendra, which include Serampore, Hooghly and Arambagh. In Hooghly con-

stituency, he said, BJP's sitting MP Locket Chatterjee is contesting for the second time and has a definite edge in spite of the fact that in the recent few weeks the TMC has launched a vociferous campaign against her which was personally led by Mamata Banerjee herself. The Arambagh constituency, said Dr Jitendra, was lost by BJP in 2019 by simply 1,000 votes. This time we are confident of winning it and we have a new candidate contesting there. Serampore constituency is important for us and this time BJP is strongly placed here with a bright chance of dislodging the sitting TMC MP Kalyan Banerjee who has in recent years earned lot of disrepute both because of his unruly misconduct as a Parliamentarian and also the anti-incumbency factor among the masses, he said. Giving further analytical details, Dr Jitendra said, the other two of these seven

constituencies are part of the Howrah district, one of them being Howrah itself and the other Uluberia. Howrah constituency, he said, holds importance because of the legacy reasons also and was witness to a mammoth public rally by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on 12th of this month at which the PM reminded the people that at one time Howrah was known as the hub of industry but has now been left far behind because of the wrong priorities of the ruling parties in West Bengal. Expressing confidence, Dr Jitendra said, the voters in all the seven constituencies have made up their mind to vote for BJP and to send out a message that people here are fully resolved to liberate themselves from the misgovernance and anarchy of Mamata Banerjee-led government and embark on the path of development led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.



Delegations call on LG

STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: Representatives of Youth Convention J&K headed by its President Suhail Farooq on Saturday called on Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha and briefed him about their endeavours under Green India Mission. Meanwhile, a delegation of KCCI led by its President Javid Ahmad Tenga also called on LG.

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JKSCERT launches Toycathon 2024 for promoting innovative ideas, revival of local culture & heritage

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: The State Council of Educational Research & Training Jammu & Kashmir proudly announced the launch of Toycathon 2024 on Saturday with a renewed focus on promoting innovative ideas and reviving local heritage. The event took place at the JKBOSE Rehari Jammu where the dignitaries from JKBOSE, Department of School Education, Directorate of School Education Jammu & Kashmir, Department of Planning, Samagra Shiksha and faculty of SCERT Jammu and DIETs joined offline and online.



Director SCERT J&K, Prof. (Dr.) Parikshat Singh Manhas and other dignitaries launching Toycathon 2024 brochure.

local heritage through innovative toys. The brochure of Toycathon 2024 was launched by the Director SCERT J&K, Prof. (Dr.) Parikshat Singh Manhas in the presence of all the dignitaries. Toycathon 2024 like the previous edition focuses on developing toys and games that reflect the innovative ideas, use of regional resources and revival of our local heritage. The registration link along with the QR code was unveiled and declared open for submission of entries.

Speaking on the occasion, the Director SCERT J&K, Prof. (Dr.) Parikshat Singh Manhas highlighted that the success of Toycathon

2023 reflects the enthusiasm and creativity of young minds of JKUT. He invited the students across the region to join in continuing this spirit of innovation and creativity. In his address, he emphasized upon leveraging the platform to explore the potential of JKUT to wield and sustain the creative ecosystem for the development of games and toys contributing towards Atmanirbhar Bharat making it Viksit Bharat in real essence. He restated that to achieve all our goals as per NEP 2020, being one nation, we have to make our indigenous toys more popular all over the world as these are in consonance with both tradition and nature so that Indian

value system, Indian culture and our eco-friendly approach towards the things can be envisioned globally.

The Programme focused on creating awareness among the educators to realize the importance and role of toys and games to make teaching learning process effective and experiential, also acting as tool of culturization, developing 21st century skills among the children. The concept for the Preparation of Toys/ Games for the Toycathon event should be based on the following themes: Regional Culture-Historical events, Heritage and regional freedom fighters, out-of-the box creative, logical and scientific thinking, learning, education and schooling, social and human values, occupation and its specific fields, environment, Digital gaming connecting folk to future, games exploring astronomical concepts rediscovering traditional local toys, any toys/ games applicable for specially abled child and fun based toys for joyful learning. Prof. (Dr.) Sindhu Kapoor, Joint Director

JKSCERT Divisional Office Jammu while speaking on the occasion reiterated that the objective of Toycathon 2024 is not merely to stimulate creative thinking but to foster an environment where ideas can flourish and transform into tangible outcomes. She said Toycathon 2024 is an event of learning where our young innovators may blend tradition with innovation aspire to create toys that not only entertain but also educate and preserve our cultural legacy.

The Toycathon event will be held under three categories i.e. Category 1: class 6th to 8th, Category 2: class 9th to 10th and Category 3: class 11th to 12th in four phases. Participants should register themselves in the event through google form and submit the ideas in the prescribed format. Participants should make toy/game as per the themes mentioned. The last date of submission of ideas is 31st July 2024.

The Grand finale of the event will be held in the month of September/October, 2024.

Dynastic rule has damaged people's interests to the core: Bukhari

STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: Apni Party President, Syed Mohammad Altaf Bukhari, on Saturday, said that "Jammu and Kashmir's two political families, the Abdullahs and the Muftis, have severely damaged the interests of the people over the years and decades."



Apni Party President, S.M.A Bukhari addressing public rally in south Kashmir's Kokernag.

He asserted that "these families have subjected the people of J&K to prolonged miseries and indignity in pursuit of their own political ambitions." Bukhari was addressing a public rally at Kokernag in South Kashmir's Anantnag district. Apni Party president urged people to vote for Zaffar Iqbal Manhas, the party's candidate for the Lok Sabha polls in the Rajouri-Anantnag constituency, which is scheduled for vot-

ing on May 25. "Taking a dig at the traditional parties, especially the NC and PDP, Bukhari blamed them for harming the interests of the people over the years. He said, "The conventional parties, especially the family-based ones, have been damaging the interests of J&K people for their own political gains. These parties have been mis-

leading people through deceptive narratives, fake promises, and emotional sloganeering solely to attain power for themselves. They are responsible for the miseries we have faced over the past seven decades."

Recalling his association with the PDP, Bukhari said, "I supported the late founding leader of the PDP because he

used to say that he hated dynastic rule, and he claimed to be against the family rule of the Abdullahs. However, to our utter shock, we saw him handing over the party to his own daughter as he was passing away. He, too, ensured his family would rule here after his death. Now his daughter is preparing her own daughter to take over

the legacy. Are the people of Jammu and Kashmir subject to these political families?"

Bukhari hoped that people would vote out the leaders of the PDP and NC in the ongoing parliamentary elections.

"It seems that two former chief ministers would face defeat in two constituencies, Baramulla and Rajouri-Anantnag, in these elections. People will teach them a lesson through the power of their vote," he said.

Urging people to vote for Zaffar Iqbal Manhas, the Apni Party candidate in the Rajouri-Anantnag constituency, he said, "I request that you give Zaffar a chance to serve you. I assure you that he will effectively represent your sentiments in Parliament."

Vaishno Devi shrine board to offer saplings as Prasad to devotees coming to shrine

MALU SHARMA
In a first such move, Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine Board (SMVDSB) has decided to offer plant saplings as 'Prasad' to the devotees visiting Shri Vashino Devi temple and for this SMVDSB has set up a high-tech outlet at Katra, the base camp of the holy shrine. Situated at Trikuta Hills Vaishno Devi Shrine is considered as most revered shrine, where on an average around 10 million people pay their obeisance in a year.



SMVDSB official visiting a high-tech outlet of saplings to be offered as 'Prasad' to the devotees at Katra.

pilgrimage. Viney Khajuria, Assistant Conservator of Forest, SMVDSB said, "In the next couple of days, the Board is going to formally start offering plants as 'Parshad'

to Vaishno Devi pilgrims visiting the shrine and for this a high-tech outlet is planned at the Nahirika complex at Katra, from where devotees can take away the saplings as a bless-

ing of Maa Vaishno Devi." Khajuria shared that a high-tech nursery has been set up by the Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine Board at village Kunia in Panthal area near Katra in Reasi.

The nursery is rearing such indigenous species of plants which are compatible with the local climatic conditions and are good for transportation and transplantation.

Devotees also expressed their joy and excitement regarding the new concept. Ragini Sharma, a devotee said, "The saplings as 'Parshad' is something unique" and we would love to take the blessing of Mata Rani in the form of a plant to our homes."

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