

Hi-tech Science labs can only produce future Nobel laureates: Principal JKPS Kunjwani

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JAMMU: If India wishes to emerge as a Super-power, then school Science labs must be upgraded and transformed into world-class Science labs. In order to achieve this social commitment, JKPS Kunjwani has been striving hard to enhance the scientific attitude of its students through the endeavours made by the CV Raman Club of Junior Scientists. More than 80 students are the part of the club and have been making incredible efforts while working on different projects and experiencing the practical knowledge by developing creative skills. Indeed, a brilliant example of learning by doing.

"CV Raman Club focuses on the expansion of imaginative, innovative and the scientific temperament of every child by making them explore their aspirations under the guidance of their mentors. Club students have been divided into different class groups and the work is done on war footings",



Students of JKPS Kunjwani making various Science projects.

said the Principal, Rajesh Rathore.

Class 6 students have been acquiring the skills in the domain of small drill machine and making it successfully on

the principle of converting the electrical energy into mechanical energy by using material, namely, PVC pipes, connectors, cardboards, transformers, rectifiers, battery elimina-

tors, drill chucks, switches etc.

Junior scientists from Class 7 are working on the Robotic Hand and Drone using cardboard, fans, motors, propellers, batteries, wires etc.

Working is based on the use of electrical energy into mechanical energy.

Class 8 students have been working on the science model 'Recyclable Fountain' by using

plastics bottles, motors, PVC pipes, thermocol, colored water etc

Class 9 students are designing the Solar Power Rover based on the principle of conversion of solar energy into mechanical energy. The inexpressible joy on the vibrant faces of these Junior Scientists fills the teachers with josh.

Class 10 students have been working on the repairing of the old bulb and made it reusable again. They are also making sound speakers, using a magnetic tape for capturing music and making it connected by Bluetooth sensor based on the working of electrical energy transforming into sound energy.

"There is tremendous enthusiasm among the members of the CV Raman Club of Junior Scientists. We see it as a fantastic opportunity to invite the innovative ideas from the young scientists so as to make them explore and move on to the next level", said Rajesh Rathore.

KNIT observes 'World No Tobacco Day'



KNIT students displaying Say No To Tobacco banners.

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JAMMU: World No Tobacco Day was observed in Kotwal National Institute of Teaching (KNIT), Bharat Nagar, Talab Tillo here on Tuesday. Staff and students participated in the event. All the participants highlighted the harmful effects of consuming tobacco in any form and advised the students not to indulge in any activity related to tobacco.

Prof. J. L Kotwal, Director KNIT emphasized on the student to be alert in the society so that they don't get addicted to consumption of tobacco in any form.

He also advised the students to start a campaign for non consumption of tobacco from their homes itself. He said that we should quit tobacco and save environment.

Principal KNIT Bimla Blawria also spoke on the occasion regarding harmful effects of consumption of tobacco and its remedial measures. She exhorted upon the students to avoid drug addiction and be aware of the parasite in the society in search of victims in the institutions and the society.

An oath ceremony and Signature Campaign regarding "World No Tobacco Day" was also held. The program was organized by Sarika Gupta and Jyoti Gupta.

Taransh of DPS Jammu bags third rank in National-level VVM exam 2021-22

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JAMMU: Taransh Mahajan, a student of class VII-E of Delhi Public School (DPS) Jammu added another feather in the cap by becoming the first ever national winner (Himalayan) from the UT of J&K in the coveted National Level Vidyarthi Vigyan Manthan (VVM) Exam 2021-22.

He was ranked 3rd in National Level Exam which was conducted by Vijnana Bharti (VIBHA) in collaboration with Vigyan Prasara, an autonomous organization under the Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India on 28th & 29th May, 2022 held at Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Varanasi.

Earlier, Taransh had excelled at the three levels viz; School, District and State Level Exam by bagging the 1st rank in all of them.

He has also received a memento, participation certificate and a cash prize of Rs. 10,000.

Further, he will also be given an opportunity to interact with the renowned scientists of the country and an internship in Centres of repute like National Science Laboratories, Defence Research & Development Organization, Indian Space Research Organization, etc. for 3 weeks along with a Bhaskara Scholarship of Rs. 2,000 per month for a year.

Principal DPS Jammu, Ruchi Chhabra congratulated Taransh and his proud parents for the glorious achievement and bringing laurels to the school as well as the U.T of J&K. Headmistress, Meenu Gupta also lauded him.

President RCT, Ajatshatru Singh, Pro VC, Ritu Singh and Director, S.S Sodhi appreciated the glorious achievement and extended their best wishes to Taransh and his parents.

DDC Doda declares Inter-Zone Distt level tournament open

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DODA: District Development Commissioner (DDC) Doda, Vikas Sharma on Wednesday declared the Inter-zone district level tournament open here at Sports Stadium. The Sports event has been organised under the aegis of Sports Department Doda in which around 15 different games will be played by the student players of different zones.

Addressing the players, the DDC admired all of them for actively participating in the games especially in outdoor activities. He advised them to give priority to the outdoor games which are extremely important for the overall health and personality development of individuals.

Further, the DDC said that soon the Multipurpose Indoor Hall will be dedicated to the youth of this district. Besides, he asked the DYSSO to coordinate with the executing agency and pass on the directions to ensure the completion of the Multipurpose Indoor Hall by 15th June positively.

Moreover, the DDC directed the DYSSO to identify the land in all the zones so that a comprehensive project was conceived for the construction of playgrounds, to create viable sports infrastructure for the sports lovers at the nearest possible locations.

Among others present during the inaugural ceremony were DYSSO Doda Jaffar Haider Sheikh and the staff of the Sports Department.

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JAMMU: A week-long football coaching camp for young boys and girls by international footballer from Jammu, Arun Malhotra and his team, concluded at Dr B R Ambedkar Stadium on Wednesday.

"The motto of holding such camps was to educate young kids about the basics of football and to provide a positive platform where they could spend their summer holidays learning the game they love to play," said Arun.

Around 135 young boys and



Participants posing for a photograph with officials at a camp.

girls involved in this first of its kind coaching camp in Dehradun. "Serving and some of the retired footballers of

the ONGC have initiated the camp so as to guide the youngsters," informed state sports awardee, Arun

Malhotra.

Finding the activity something useful and productive, the sports administration of

the ONGC assured those involved in holding this camp of support in their future endeavors.

KC Gurukul Public School shines in All J&K Inter-School Rope Skipping C'ship

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JAMMU: The students of KC Gurukul Public School Paloura, Jammu added yet another feather in their illustrious cap by winning 31 medals including 10 gold, six silver and 15 Bronze in All J&K Inter-School Rope Skipping Championship organised by Rope Skipping Association of J&K in association with International DPS, Jammu on May 28 and 29, 2022.

Twenty five schools of Jammu participated in the event where Carmel



Medal winner students posing with faculty members.

Convent stood first and KCGPS bagged second position.

Harshita (VI B), Raja Surya (VI B), Rijul Bhan

(V B), Ashwin (VII A), Sanjana (VIII A), Parth (VII A), Aditya Nadh (VIII B), Krishna Sharma (X A), Deepak Hans (IX

B) and Vardaan (X B) won gold medal while Yashavi (III), Vanshika (VI A), Aditya Nadh (VIII B) and Deepak Hans (IX B) won silver medal.

Vedika (III), Niharika (III), Aditi (IV A), Harshita (VI B), Sukhmani (VI B), Sarthak (II), Ansh (V A), Nakshtra (IX B), Mohit (X B), Upasana (VIII A), Priyanshi (VII B), Aditya Nadh (VIII B), Deepak Hans (IX B) and Vardaan (X B) won bronze medal.

The management of the school conveyed best wishes to the winners.

Shiksha Niketan School congratulates alumnus for qualifying UPSC Exam

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JAMMU: The Management, the Principal & the Staff of Shiksha Niketan Senior Secondary School, Jeevan Nagar, Jammu conveyed their heartfelt congratulations to their ex-student, Dwarka Gaadhi, son of Sudesh Kumari and Balak Ram, resident of Village Shibu Chak, Tehsil Bishnah, District Jammu for qualifying his UPSC (IAS) Exam, the result of which was declared on May 30, 2022.

Dwarka Gaadhi remained a "Bonafide/Regular" Science student of this School from Class 9th to 12th (2012 to 2016) & passed his 12th Class Board Examination in the Year 2016 by bringing laurels to the fair name of the institution by securing 7th position. As a student of this school, Dwarka Gaadhi has remained an obedient, punctual, hardworking, co-operative, submissive and intelligent student of whom the Principal, Rameshwar Mengi and the staff especially his teachers felt proud of. He was always full of respect to the Principal and his Teachers. It is prayed to Almighty to shower his blessings on Dwarka Gaadhi to enable him to achieve further heights so that he may shine and shine with success in his future career. The Principal and staff wished him all the best.



Activity fest held at JKPS Panjtirthi



Glances of 'Activity Fest' organised at JK Public School Panjtirthi.

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JAMMU: JK Public School (JKPS) Panjtirthi is a school with a difference as it has multifaceted school curriculum which includes literary activities, physical activities and meaningful academics for the holistic development of the children.

Exuberating, motivating, engaging and encouraging are the best words to describe the Saturday activities which is a regular part of the curriculum of JKPS Panjtirthi.

An array of activities like declamation, symposium, extempore, frog races, puppet show etc were

organised in Activity fest to enhance child's vocabulary, pronunciation, fluency, knowledge, confidence, to build their scientific temperament, to inculcate creative expressions, reflective thinking, observation power, logical reasoning, to strengthen their values and to remove stage

fear.

Active participation by students in such activities actually improve their brain function, enhance and development their physical skills, comprehension skills, communication skills and time management skills.

These activities Provide opportunities to children to express themselves in a better way and to explore different areas of their interest and they can even improve their grades all while having fun. Each child spoke on the mike as per the activity allotted. The Principal of JKPS

Panjtirthi, Suman Banbah said, "o give real service to society we always add something to our curriculum, which cannot be bought and measured with money. JKPS provides the greatest platform to students for recreation, rejuvenation and motivation."