

DIG IRP Range Jammu visits Battalion Headquarters, interacts with officers & Jawans



DIG Sarah Rizvi distributing stationery among students.

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SAMBA: Sarah Rizvi, Dy. Inspector General of Police, IRP Range Jammu visited Battalion Headquarters IRP 12th Nud Samba and took stocks of various activities carried out by IRP-12th Battalion and functioning of the unit and security of Battalion premises.

During the visit DIGP took the Guard of Honour. Thereafter, DIGP inaugurated the newly constructed tradesmen complex of this unit, conducted Darbar in which more than 160 officers/officials of the unit participated.

The DIGP passed on spot directions to the Commandant

to conduct the Darbar/orderly rooms on fortnightly basis to redress the grievances of the Jawans and also assured that the welfare measure falling under the competence of PHQ/APHQ/ZAPHQ shall be redressed and appropriate action shall be taken accordingly.

During briefing DIGP IRP Jammu emphasized that while performing Law & order and other important duties such they should be fully equipped with Law & order equipment/s and required Arms & Ammunitions and the problem should be dealt while observing utmost restraint.

The officials were also directed to exhibit discipline, inculcate the habit of PT Parade/Yoga for overall fitness and always try to become people friendly. Abrar A. Chowdhary Commandant IRP-12th Battalion spoke on the occasion and gave a brief resume of activities and nature of duties of the Battalion.

He also expressed heartfelt gratitude to the worthy DIGP IRP Jammu for sparing her precious time to visit the battalion Headquarter and listen the grievances of the jawans.

Under Civic Action Program (CAP) 2022-23 the DIGP IRP Range Jammu distributed the study material such as School bags, lunch boxes, notebooks and other stationery items among 60 School Children of Govt. Middle School Manamu Samba.

Other officers present on the occasion were Perbeet Singh (SP) DyCO/Adjutant, Mohd Ibrahim-SP DyCO, Tahir Hussain DySP C.C "A" Coy & Sunil Kumar DySP C.C "C" Coy.

GDC Samba celebrates World Environment Day



Faculty members planting sapling.

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SAMBA: On 50th anniversary of World Environment Day, Eco Club of Pt. Prem Nath Dogra Govt Degree College Samba, launched a plantation drive in collaboration with Cadila Pharma. In total, 30 Ashoka tree saplings were planted in the college campus to serve the dual purpose of environment protection and campus beautification. Anuj Gupta, H R Head, Bipin Thathiyal, Vice President Quality Control, Dr Rafter, Factory Medical Officer and Satpal, Security Head from Cadila Pharma visited the college for the drive. Prof. (Dr.) Twinkle Suri, Principal of the institution exhorted that the day inspires us to act locally and think globally, fostering a sense of responsibility for our planet. Also, a green initiative of raising a vertical garden was taken up for which Dr Nazia Rasool, Head E V S Department, SPMR College of Commerce was invited as an expert, she demonstrated the skills involved in vertical garden installation to the students. The entire drive was supervised by Prof Vijay Chandan, Convernor Eco Club with an active support by its members including Dr Kuldeep Singh, Dr Sushma Sharma, Dr Yash Paul, Prof Rashu Sharma and Prof Babita Kumari and Dr-Javed Ahmed.

GDC Nowshera launches plantation drive

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NOWSHERA: Department of Environmental Science in collaboration with NSS unit, NCC unit and forest department of sub-division Nowshera on Monday celebrated

World Environment Day under the theme "Solutions to plastic pollution". The chief guest of the programme was Vivek Verma, Conservator of forest West circle, Rajouri.

During the event a plantation drive was held in the college premises and planted several local varieties of plant such as Peeple, Jamun, Silver oak and Water brush. On this occasion a pledge was also undertaken by the students and faculty members of the college in presence of DFO Nowshera, Satyendra Maurya, Dr. K K Sharma, Principal GDC Nowshera and Anil Kumar, Range officer Nowshera.



Faculty, students and officials of Forest Dept during the drive.

While speaking on the occasion, Principal of the College raised awareness among the students about the Afforestation and motivated the students to plant more and more trees to conserve nature. On this occasion Vivek Verma, Conservator of forest West circle, Rajouri emphasized about the need of involvement of young generation in the preservation of Environment and ecosystem.

At last rally was also undertaken by the students and faculty of the college along with Vivek

Verma, Conservator of Forest West circle, Rajouri, Dr. K K Sharma, Principal GDC Nowshera, Satyendra Maurya DFO Nowshera and Anil Kumar, Range officer Nowshera. The whole programme was organized under the supervision of IQAC co-ordinator Joginder Singh, HOD Environmental Sciences Dr. Mohd Zeeshan, NSS programme officer Dr Sunil Dutt Sharma, NCC officer Dr Akhil Khajuria and Department of sociology Professor Rajat Bhardwaj.

GDC Kathua organises workshop on plastics & climate change

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KATHUA: Department of Environmental Sciences and Ravi Eco Club Government Degree College Kathua in collaboration with Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Kathua (SKUAST Jammu) organized 'One Day Workshop on "Plastics and Climate Change" on the occasion of 'World Environment Day 2023' under Mission LIFE Initiative of Government of India.

In the first Technical Session, 10 participants gave poster presentations on the topic "Solution to Plastic Pollution". The students elaborately expressed their views on the toxic effects of plastics on the air, water and soil. They also highlighted the Hazards associated with the recycling and production of plastics. During the second Technical Session, Dr. Vishal Mahajan Senior Scientist and Head, Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Kathua (SKUAST, Jammu) has given a Key note address on



Dignitaries and faculty along with winner students.

Plastics and Climate Change. He gave a detailed presentation on the contribution of plastics in climate Change. He alarmed that the green house gas emissions from production, refining, recycling and disposal of plastics is the major hazard of the present era. He suggested number of alternatives and Management Measures for Plastic pollution. A Best out of Waste Planter making Competition was also held on the occasion in which about 20 students participated enthusiastically. The best

posters and the best planters were adjudged by the Jury members. The first , second and third position was secured by Khem Raj, Niketa Raina, Aman Jyot, respectively while the consolation prize was given to Sumegha Sharma in poster presentation competition. In the planter Making competition Vishal Gupta, Lakshmi, Sumegha, Som Raj won the first, second, third and consolation prize, respectively.

The Workshop was organized under the patronage of Prof. Seema Mir,

Principal GDC Kathua who also graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

Dr. Deepshikha Sharma, HOD Environmental Sciences and Convenor Eco Club being the Organizing Secretary of the event, explained the prime objective of the workshop.

Dr. Anupama Arora , Dr. Surya Pratap and Dr. Ambica acted as the jury members of Poster presentation Competition while Prof. Ritu Bhagat, Dr. Chetna Mahajan and Dr. Renu acted as the jury members for Best out of Waste planter making Competition.

Prof. Neeru Sharma from Deptt. of Environmental Sciences coordinated the whole event. Prof. Surbhi Gupta from Deptt. of Environmental Sciences presented the vote of thanks.

The faculty members present on the occasion were Prof. Raj Kiran, Dr. Rachna, Dr. Kailash Sharma, Dr. Sumit Dubey, Prof. Neha Bandral, Prof. Nisha Bhagat and Prof. Jyoti.

Reasi Forest Range takes out rally on Environment Day



Winner student being given prize.

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REASI: On Eve of Environment Day a rally was organised by Reasi Forest Range from IRP Chowk to Bhingarh Fort under 'Mission Life' to promote changes in Lifestyles to protect the Environment. Students of Kids Dream land School , Mahadev Reasi , trainees of S.B.I., Volunteers of One Stop Center Reasi, Soil

Conservation Range Reasi and staff of Municipal Committee Reasi also participated in the rally.

Executive Officer , Municipal Committee Reasi and some social activists also attended the rally . During his address Range Officer Reasi, Sh. Naseer Malik focused on the environment challenges and measures to counter them.

Arvind Bargotra , Block

Forest Officer , Reasi conducted pledge ceremony at Fountain Chowk Bhingarh Fort and earlier at Suraj International School Reasi under the banner Mission Life Campaign and Lifestyles for Environment .

Earlier field staff of Soil Range Reasi under team head Vipin Sharma planted scores of plants at Gaushala Jyotipuram along with RSS activists and other prominent social activists.

Later , B.O. Reasi and team also planted some plants at Govt. Middle School Upper Seela and also distributed prizes among students who participated in Drawing Competition on the Occasion.

Pertinent to mention that the whole drive started on 10th of May in Reasi Forest Division under over all supervision and control of Jyotsana , Divisional Forest Officer Reasi and about 300 programmes were conducted under Mission Life Campaign : 2023.

GDC, HSS, Municipality Khour celebrate National Environment Day



Students taking out rally at Khour.

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KHOUR: NCC Unit of GDC and HSS Khour in collaboration with Municipality Khour carried out a rally in Khour market to celebrate World Environment Day. The World Environment Day is celebrated every year on 05th June to raise global awareness to take positive environmental action to protect nature and the planet earth. Theme for the World Environment Day 2023 is under the campaign

#Beat Plastic Pollution. The aim of the programme was to spread awareness regarding the ill effect of single use plastic bags on environment as it takes many years to decompose and it release toxic substances into the soil when perish under sunlight, if plastic bags are burned they release a toxic substance into the air causing air pollution. Under this programme the NCC cadets carried out cleanliness drive and also interacted with the local inhabitants and made them aware about the plastic waste which is the main cause of pollution in the area. The entire programme was organized by Professor(Lt.) Arun Sharma (NCC Officer of the College) and Ghar Singh (ANO HSS Khour) under the guidance of Dr T K Sharma, Principal GDC Khour and Col R S Jasrotia, Bn Cdr; 2 J&K BN NCC.

Agar Jitto mela concludes, thousands pay obeisance at revered Shrine

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REASI: Annual Baba Jitto Aghar Mela, which commenced on June 3, concluded on Monday amid Vedic rituals and chanting of mantras by a group of Pujaris of Baba Jitto shrine at the site. A small village Agar, located about 5 km from Katra, was beautifully decorated for the big event. Thousands of devotees from within and outside J&K including from Punjab, Haryana and Himachal Pradesh thronged the place to pay obeisance to Baba Jitto Mal- a farmer, who had preferred to end his life instead of bearing the injustice at the hands of greedy landlords. ADC Abduhal Star was the chief guest on the last day. He lauded the efforts put in by the Aghar Management Committee, locals and district officers for making elaborate arrangements for the successful conduct of Aghar Mela.

The devotees took the holy bath at springs known for having a healing power and paid obeisance at the temple constructed in the memory of the saint farmer. It is believed that by taking a bath in the spring,



A section of dignitaries during the Mela.

people can get rid of skin diseases. A Dangal competition organized by the Mela Management Committee witnessing the participation of professional wrestlers hailing from Punjab, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh and several parts of Jammu and Kashmir; was one of the major attractions on the concluding day. On the second day of the Mela, a Culture programme was also organised by the Department of Information and Public Relation in which many cultural troupes performed. Awareness camps and exhibition stalls put up by the Government departments including Department of Agriculture, Horticulture, Sericulture, Floriculture, Handicrafts, Health department, tourism and various other departments showcased

their schemes and programmes. The locals and the Mela committee appreciated the DDC Reasi Babila Rakval for adding new events to the Mela that helped attract a large number of people.

NOTICE

That I am a widow of No. 13604627 Late PTR Ajudia Lal Sharma who has served in the 4th Para Regiment for 17 years. During the Army services my husband has endorsed my name as Lalita Sharma with date of birth 23.06.1952, whereas my correct name is Kanta Devi with correct date of Birth as 07.03.1954. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within seven days.



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AUCTION NOTICE

Owing to non-payment of outstanding amount in Vehicle loans at J&K Bank Branches Gole Market, Udhampur, Cama Housing Colony, Udhampur and Arli, Katra by the below named borrowers, the Bank has seized the hypothecated vehicles in terms of Loan Agreement and are parked in Bank's yard situated at Officers Training Institute Gole Gujral, Jammu. The description and detail of the vehicles are given hereunder:

S. No.	Name of the borrower/ Branch	Registration No. of vehicles	Maker of Vehicle/ Model	Month/ Year of manufacturing	Minimum Reserve Price (Excluding GST as applicable)	Earnest money @10% of Reserve price
1.	Rakesh Gupta / Gole Market Udhampur	JK14E-5288	Ashok Leyland Ltd./ AL 3118 IL Super WB 5350MM (210")	3/2017	10,50,000/-	1,05,000/-
2.	Ramesh Kumar/ Cama Housing Colony Udhampur	JK14G-6084	SML ISUZU Ltd Samrat GS 4760 HSD 19F 10.7	5/2019	6,25,000/-	62,500/-
3.	Aditya Agencies Prop. Jaswant Singh/ Arli Katra	JK20A-3415	Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd./ Mahindra Supro Maxi Truck T4	04/2017	1,70,000/-	17,000/-

The Bank has decided to put the aforesaid vehicles to auction on "as is what is", "as is where is" "whatever there is" and "no complaint" basis. Sealed quotations affixed with two rupees stamp are invited from the interested parties for the purchase of said vehicles accompanied by Call Deposit Receipt (CDR) @ 10% of the Reserve Price as mentioned above for each vehicle pledged to in charge, IAPM Department, J&K Bank Ltd, Zonal Office Udhampur which is to be deposited with the undersigned on or before 19.06.2023 up to 4.00 PM during working hours at J&K Bank, Zonal Office Udhampur. The Vehicles are available for inspection on any working day between 10.00 AM to 4.00 PM from 03.06.2023 to 17.06.2023. Interested parties desirous to inspect the vehicles can contact IAPM Department Zonal office Udhampur on Ph. No. 01992-270367 & Mobile no-9622279140. The sealed tenders/bids will be opened on 20.06.2023 at 3.30 P.M in the office of the undersigned in presence of the bidders who choose to remain present on the given day and time and they will be given an opportunity of inter-se bidding to improve the offer. The successful bidder shall have to deposit the entire qualified auction amount within 10 days. The Call Deposit Receipt (CDR) shall be refunded to unsuccessful bidders without any interest. In the event of any default in payment of any of these amounts, or if the sale is not completed by reason of any default on the part of the successful bidder, the Bank will forfeit the earnest money deposited by the successful bidder and may also proceed with further course of action under its sole discretion including sale/disposal of vehicle to the next successful bidder etc.

The Bank reserves the right to withdraw/cancel the bid/auction of all or any vehicle at any time/stage without assigning any reason thereof and shall not entertain any claim/liability of any other person of whatsoever nature. All attendant charges/dues/taxes including transfer of ownership/permits etc. shall have to be borne and be the responsibility of the purchaser exclusively. GST at the applicable rate on the taxable value derived under GST law will be charged in addition to the bidding price/sale price.

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