


HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Ankush Manik
Class:- 3rd 'B'
D.O.B:- 29-07-2015
JKPS Panjtirthi

NOTICE

I, Bandana Kumari wife of Ashwani Kumar mother of Anvi Magotra R/o. Patli morh Tehsil Bari Brahmana District Samba hereby that my name wrongly written in my Daughter 9th Marks Card and all documents as Bandana Kumari. That my actual name is Bandana Kumari. That both the names Vandhana and Bandana Kumari pertain to one of the same person. Now I am applying for correction of my name in my daughter 9th Marks Card and all documents from Vandhana to Bandana Kumari Objection if any may be conveyed to concern authority within 7 days.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Shalini Mahajan is running a school at 198, Peermitha, Jammu, under name and style MOTHER CARE KID'S CLUB MIDDLE SCHOOL since 2004. I have applied for No Objection Certificate from Jammu Municipal Corporation. Objection if any may file his/her objection in writing to the undersigned within 7 days from the date of publication of this notice.

PRINCIPAL
SHALINI MAHAJAN
D/o Sh. Sudesh Kumar Gupta
R/o Peermitha

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Sita Ram Anand S/o Late Shri Tara Chand Anand R/o 7, Jullaka Mohalla Jammu am the original allottee of Plot No. 344, Sector 1, in Housing Colony Channi Himmat Jammu and have applied for conversion of leasehold rights to freehold rights of above said plot in my favour. Objection, if any, may be conveyed to the Managing Director, J&K Housing Board, Green Belt Park, Gandhi Nagar Jammu with in a period of 15 days from the date of publication of this notice. No objection will be entertained after the expiry of the above said period.

Sita Ram Anand
S/o Lt Shri Tara Chand Anand
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STATE TIMES



Organisers along with winners posing for photograph.

Volleyball Competition held at Budhal

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

RAJOURI: Indian Army organised Volleyball Competition at Budhal, Rajouri District.

A total of three teams from different villages fought in the tight grip championship.

The Indian Army, recognizing the importance of sports in building camaraderie and physical fitness, provided all neces-

sary logistical support, including the setup of courts, equipment, and coaching sessions.

The tournament was not merely a sporting event but also a celebration of local culture and unity. Spectators from nearby villages gathered in large numbers, cheering for their teams and enjoying the festive atmosphere.

The Army's involvement was

appreciated by the locals, who expressed gratitude for the opportunity to showcase their talent and engage in healthy competition.

Apart from giving a platform to the local players to showcase their talents, the event left an indelible mark on the community, reinforcing the Indian Army's role as a pillar of support and goodwill in the region.

Radhika qualifies Ph D



■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Radhika Sharma, daughter of Ashok Kumar and Veena Devi, resident of Village Mela, Tehsil Hiranagar, District Kathua has qualified Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in English Literature from Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee under the supervision of Dr. Nagendra Kumar. She worked on the topic 'Estranging Sensitivity: Crippling the Identity of Disabled Women In India Through the Reading of Select Texts'.

Hari Prabhu Sanstha celebrates 20th Foundation Day, holds Annual General Body meeting

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: In a significant event organized at the Institute of Management and Public Administration (IMPA) near the Jammu University Campus, Hari Prabhu Sanstha, an NGO dedicated to social service, celebrated its 20th Foundation Day and held its Annual General Body meeting.

The NGO, known for its commitment to providing pensions to poor widows, scholarships to meritorious children from poor families, running an old age home in Gujroo Nagrota Billawar, offering free computer training for needy students, providing medical assistance to the poor, helping with the marriage of poor girls, organizing periodic medical camps, and numerous other social activities, marked this milestone with a grand celebra-



Dignitaries being honoured during the programme.

tion.

Out of its 400 active members, more than 200 attended the event. It was heartening to see senior citizens and retired employees in their 90s, 80s, and 70s actively contributing to the cause of the underprivileged.

Col. Mahan Singh (Retd), DDC Chairman of Kathua, was the Chief Guest for the occasion, and DK Vaid, retired School Education Director, was the Guest of Honour.

The event was graced by Harish Prabhu Sanstha's Patron-in-Chief ID Soni, Patron Jagmohan Gupta, Chairman Harinder Gupta, President SC Gupta, Vice

President and Founder Member SK Jain, General Secretary Kuldeep Gupta, and other prominent personalities associated with the noble Sanstha. The President of Harish Prabhu Sanstha presented a detailed overview of the various activities of the organization and read out the annual income and expenditure statement, which was unanimously adopted by voice vote.

Col. Mahan Singh lauded the initiative and the valuable contributions made by the members. He emphasized that, besides supporting social causes and helping hundreds of needy individuals every year, the members are also committed to the development of their birthplaces in remote areas such as Billawar, Bhaddu, Ramkot, Kough Mandli, and other regions across District Kathua and Jammu. The DDC Chairman wished the organization good health and extended his best wishes for the continuation of their noble work. The organization also felicitated young achievers on this occasion, and S.K Jain received a lifetime achievement award for his invaluable contributions to the organization over the past 20 years.

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LSAC organizes Dogri Sangeet Sandhya "Geet Duggar Dharti De"



Children presenting dogri song.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Lagan Society for Art and Culture (LSAC) organized "Geet Duggar Dharti De" (A Dogri Sangeet Sandhya) - an event dedicated to celebrating the rich musical heritage of the Dogri language at Writer's Club, Abhinav Theatre Complex, Jammu with great enthusiasm.

Suresh Kumar Gupta (IFS), Principal Secretary to Govt. was the Chief Guest, Padmashri Dr. S. P. Varma was the Guest of Honour and Chander Mohan Gupta (Ex-Mayor, JMC) was the Special Guest.

The Dogri Sangeet Sandhya was inaugurated with the lightening of traditional lamp by the dignitaries followed by welcome address by Patron of LSAC, Adv. Sandeep Gupta.

Later the function was started with a melodious Bhajan.

Various Dogri songs were performed by the talented students of Lagan Society for Art and Culture which was much appreciated by the audience as well as the guests of the function.

The Chief Guest, Suresh Kumar Gupta expressed his appreciation for the efforts to preserve and promote Dogri culture through such artistic endeavor. Padma Shri Dr. S. P. Varma acknowledged the importance of cultural event in fostering regional identity and pride.

Chander Mohan Gupta (Ex-Mayor) appreciated the efforts of the Lagan Society and also said that these type of functions helps to encourage the youngsters and also helps to promote the rich cultural her-

itage of the society.

In the end, President, Rajesh Kumar thanked all the dignitaries and the audience who gave their valuable time in making this event a huge success. On the occasion, the participants were Lagan Verma, Parnita Sharma, Aditya Sharma, Shingarika Malhotra, Sathak Verma, Ram Bakshi, Parvinder Singh, Hinaya Kotwal, Kritika Chowdhery and Akash Sarnal.

Yash Pal Yash (Renowned Writer and Composer), Sunita Gupta (Ex- Counselor), Dr. Ashutosh Magotra (Renowned Classical Guru), Manju Bala (Renowned Singer), Mukteshi Sharma (Renowned Classical Singer), Sohan Karupia (Media Incharge, LSAC), Suresh Dogra (Vice-President, LSAC), Girdhari Lal (General Secretary, LSAC), Sonia Dogra (Treasurer, LSAC), Suresh Kumar (Joint Secretary, LSAC), Shubham Manmar (IT Incharge, LSAC), Rohit Bains (Publicity Secretary, LSAC), Dr. Atyant Shobna Sharma (Advisor, LSAC), Sunil Mahajan (Advisor, LSAC), Lokesh Chander (Member Executive, LSAC) and Hitesh Verma were present on the occasion.

Social Forestry Department organises plantation drive



DFO Sanjay Gupta planting a sapling.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

DODA: Social Forestry Department organises Plantation Drive the premises of the heritage EK Mukhi Shiv Mandir Mohalla in Doda.

This initiative was part of the campaign "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam," which aims to promote environmental awareness and greenery. Various plant species were planted during this drive.

The drive was led by Divisional Forest Officer Sanjay Gupta of Social Forestry Doda, along with other forest officials.

The president of the EK

Mukhi Shiv Temple Samiti Mohalla, Seva Ram Parihar, welcomed the DFO and expressed his gratitude for organizing the plantation drive.

A large number of prominent citizens from the area actively participated in the event, showing strong community support for the initiative.

During the drive, Sanjay Gupta also visited the Pandavas site at Shiva Dal and instructed the officials to develop a plan for future plantation efforts at this culturally significant heritage site.

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UDHAMPUR: The 53rd KVS Regional Sports Meet 2024 held at PM SHRI Kendriya Vidyalaya No. 1, Udhampur under the guidance of the principal, Swati Bansal, concluded on Sunday.

This year's meet saw participation from 23 schools across the Jammu region. The competitions were held in the U-14 and U-17 boys' categories, with primary events being Kabaddi and Volleyball.

The event commenced with a warm welcome to the distinguished chief guests: Sunil Sharma, a retired principal, national volleyball player, and alumnus of KV No. 1 Udhampur; Ashwani Sharma, a national kabaddi player; Ashok Padha, President of the Volleyball Association of District

Udhampur; and Bhim Sen, a national kabaddi player.

The day's schedule was communicated to all participating schools, detailing the match venues and timings. The atmosphere throughout the event was vibrant and energetic, as students displayed remarkable skills and sportsmanship.

The KVS Regional Sports Meet 2024 at PM SHRI Kendriya Vidyalaya No. 1, Udhampur proved to be a resounding success. It not only encouraged a spirit of sportsmanship and teamwork but also enhanced camaraderie and enthusiasm for sports among the students.

After two days of competitive and exhilarating matches, the meet concluded with a closing ceremony where certificates were awarded to the winners. The winners of the

Under-14 Kabaddi match: KV Bhadarwah (1st position), KV Lakhampur (2nd position) and KV Kathua (3rd position).

Under-17 Kabaddi: KV No. 1 Udhampur (1st position), KV Samba (2nd position) and KV Bhadarwah (3rd position).

KV Baramulla was declared as the winner of the Under-14 volleyball match.

The winners of the Under-17 Volleyball match were KV No. 1 Udhampur (1st position), KV No. 2 Udhampur (2nd position) and KV Samba (3rd position).

This ceremony celebrated the hard work and dedication of the participants.

Overall, the KVS Regional Sports Meet 2024 was a memorable event, fostering a strong spirit of sportsmanship and teamwork among the young athletes.

NC, Congress deprived women of their due rights: Purnima



Purnima Sharma, Spokesperson BJP J&K chairing a meeting at R S Pura.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

RS PURA: Advocate Purnima Sharma, Spokesperson BJP J&K and former Deputy Mayor, on Sunday addressed a gathering of women at RS Pura, highlighting the significant strides made by the Modi government in empowering women over the past decade.

In her address, Adv. Sharma emphasized the transformative schemes and initiatives introduced by the Modi government, aimed at uplifting and empowering women across the nation. "The Modi government has been at the forefront of promoting women's rights and opportunities, ensuring that women receive their rightful place in society," she stated.

Adv. Sharma criticized the previous regimes led by the National Conference (NC) and Congress, accusing them of depriving women of their due rights. She pointed out that it was only after the abrogation of Article 370 that women in Jammu and Kashmir began receiving equal rights. "The abrogation of Article 370 has paved the way for women in Jammu and Kashmir to enjoy the same rights as women in the rest of the country," she noted.

She urged the women of the area to take full advantage of the schemes introduced by the Modi government, which are designed to benefit them directly. "The government has launched numerous programs focused on women's health, education, and financial independence. It is crucial that you all avail these benefits and improve your quality of life," she encouraged.

Adv. Sharma also called upon the women to support the BJP in the forthcoming Assembly elections in Jammu and Kashmir. "Your support is essential for achieving equitable development in our region. By backing the BJP, you are ensuring that the progress made in the last ten years continues and that women's issues remain a priority," she appealed.

The meeting saw the participation of several notable leaders and dignitaries, including Rakesh Choudhary, Sangeeta Dogra, Pt. Sunil Dal Choudhary, District President, Meena Kumari, District President Mahila Morcha, Meeta Sharma, District Parbhari, Chand Bapti, Seh Parbhari, Surekha, DDC Arnia, Subhendu, General Secretary and Sashi Bala, General Secretary.

Rajeev Charak holds Janta Darbar



BJP leader Rajeev Charak along with locals during the Janta Darbar.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: BJP leader Rajeev Charak on Sunday held a Janta Darbar in the Bahu Assembly Constituency, where he addressed concerns about empowering the most neglected and oppressed sections of society through public welfare schemes under the Narendra Modi government.

During the event, Charak highlighted that the current budget has been designed to address the needs of these marginalized groups, contrasting it with the perceived policy paralysis of previous Congress-led governments.

Charak emphasized that this is the 11th budget presented by the National Democratic Alliance (NDA) under Prime Minister Narendra Modi. He pointed out the government's focus on supporting the middle class, which he described as the backbone of the country. Finance Minister Nirmala

Sitharaman had announced a new tax system where there would be no tax on income up to Rs 3 lakh and a 5% tax rate on income between Rs 3-7 lakh.

Charak also noted that the central government has allocated ₹42,277.74 crore to Jammu and Kashmir for the fiscal year 2024-25, which is a 1.2% increase from the previous year. He acknowledged the grievances of local residents from Ward No. 74 Sunjwan, Satellite Colony Shiv Mandir Lane, Mahant Manjit Singh Nagar, and other areas of the Jammu Municipal Corporation.

Residents raised several issues, including the lack of a nearby ration supply shop in Nawabad Sunjwan Jammu road, non-functional street lights, poorly maintained lanes and drains, and the absence of a community building for events. Additionally, they requested the construction of a gate at Mahant Manjit Singh

Nagar Gurdwara Sahib and a boundary wall for the Sunjwan crematorium to maintain the sanctity of the worship place. They also sought resolutions for pending cases related to old age and widow pensions.

In response, Charak assured the attendees that he would contact the relevant departments to expedite the resolution of these issues and ensure that the complaints are addressed effectively. The event was attended by several local leaders and representatives, including Kamal Pathania, Sanjay Sharma, Shakti Singh, Seva Singh, Hardev Singh, Vijay Singh, Lakhman Kumar, Vijay Kumar, Ramesh Kumar, Mubina Ara, Sheikh Tariq, Kamaljeet Singh, Gurdeep Singh, Bikram Singh, Samarpreet Singh, Sukhdeep Singh, Gurpreet Singh, Santosh Koul, Pyary Lal, Ravinder Dhar, and Ashok Ganjoo.

PoJK refugees of Poonch organises meeting



Dilbagh Singh and others during the meeting.

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POONCH: PoJK refugees organized a meeting at Dak Bungalow, Poonch, to address their ongoing problems and pending demands. Key issues discussed included the need for permanent settlement and the recognition of Malkana Haq.

The meeting was chaired by S Dilbagh Singh, Advocate Chandan Lal, Laxmi Chant

Shastri,

The gathering focused on the challenges faced by the refugee community and emphasized the importance of government intervention to resolve these matters effectively.

The refugees are seeking tangible solutions and assurances from authorities to address their longstanding grievances.

Special camps held under 2nd SSR, 2024 across district Ramban

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RAMBAN: Special camps were conducted across the district under the supervision of the District Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner), Ramban, Baseer-Ul-Haq Chaudhary under 2nd Special Summary Revision, 2024 of Photo Electoral Rolls.

On the directions of the District Election Officer (DEO), various designated officers of District Administration today conducted an extensive tour of AC-54-Ramban and AC-55 Banihal and other various polling stations to take stock of progress on registration of eligible voters during Special Camps organized at Polling Stations across the district.

During the visit the



Officials during the camp at Ramban.

Tehsildars and other officers interacted with BLOs and instructed them to ensure 100% enrollment of new and eligible voters during this Special Summary Revision.

They also instructed them to conduct house to house visits to identify the unregistered eligible youth as voters with

special focus on bridging the gender gap, besides mapping up of PwD voters.

Sensitizing the people with regard to registration of unregistered eligible youth as voters, they also appealed to them to cooperate with the BLOs of their respective areas.