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JK Public School Kunjwani faculty felicitating girls students for winning 1st Batra Group's Mirchi Girls Football League and boys for winning medals in 1st J&K UT Javelin-Throw Competition.

STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: JK Public School Kunjwani shines in 1st J&K UT Javelin Throw Competition held at University of Jammu on

August 7, 2022. It was organized by the J&K Amateur Athletics Association. In the U-20 category, Ameen Rehman won gold medal whereas in

the U-18 category, Umer Abbas won silver medal. Similarly, in the 1st Batra Groups Mirehi Girls Football League held on August 6 and 7, 2022 at

Birla Open Minds International School, Channi Himmat, Jammu, team JKPS clinched the Trophy. The winners include

Arshiyah Naveed, Suhana Wani, Vomika Sharma (Captain), Ifra Talib, Samridhi, Radhika, Diya Singh, Kanishka Heer, Kashvi and Rohani.

Director JK Educational Society, Shashi Chaudhary and Principal JK Public School Kunjwani Rajesh Rathore felicitated the winners in the school assembly

and appreciated the Athletics Coach Shivdev Singh, Football Coach Eliza Sotra and Subash Chander, HOD (Sports) for these outstanding achievements.

STC Jammu Badminton Coach to attend refresher course
■ STATE TIMES NEWS JAMMU: Badminton coach of the Sports Training Centre (STC) Jammu has been selected to attend refresher course at Prakash Padukone - Dravid Center of Excellence at Bangalore.

Transferred to Jammu in the recent past, Tousif Ahmad shall be attending the fortnight-long course from August 16 to 31. Only three Badminton coaches from all over the country have been selected for the important course, organized by Badminton Association of India (BAI).

Meanwhile, Incharge STC Jammu, Deputy Director, Nadeem Ahmad Dar wished Tousif Ahmad all the very best during his stay at Bangalore.

GDC Khour holds Tug of War competition



Tug of War contest in progress.

STATE TIMES NEWS

KHOUR: Department of Sports, GDC Khour organised Tug of War Competition in the college premises as a part of celebrating 75 years of Independence under the aegis of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav from the college campus.

The rally was flagged off by the principal Prof. (Dr) Sameru Sharma, who said that the main focus behind the campaign is to invoke the feeling of patriotism in the hearts of people and to celebrate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav from the college campus.

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Atul was received by the friends and members of AJKCA at Jammu Airport amidst congratulatory messages for his successful performance as Chief Protocol Officer for the 44th Chess Olympiad, a mega event which hosted participants and delegates from a record 187 countries of the world.

Sharing his experience, Atul told that it was the most challenging assignment of the Olympiad which he has performed upto the expectations of the organizing committee.

He thanked Bharat Singh Chauhan, Tournament Director of 44th Chess Olympiad for showing faith in him to perform a responsible job in the biggest sports event of the world.

Atul also thanked all the members of AJKCA for the support and encouragement.

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MUNers from JKPS Kunjwani win EMUN Best Delegation Trophy

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JAMMU: JK Public School (JKPS) Kunjwani bagged the Best Delegation Trophy of Erudite MUN, hosted by International Delhi Public School, Jammu.

It's pertinent to mention here that the Erudite Model United Nations Conference scheduled from August 5 to 7, 2022 witnessed well-equipped delegates from more than 25 schools trying their fortunes in the sprawling IDPSJ campus to prove their competence and skills.

JKPS proved their mettle with their clear stand, convincing line of argument and befitting examples to substantiate their points and acclaimed the best Delegation Trophy at the Erudite MUN 2022, held at IDPS Jammu.

Though the competition was tough and nail biting, Jkians presented their grandeur and proved their undefined potential and caught the spotlight at the show.

Though being first timers, the young Jkians caught the lime light as 6 verbal mentions and 4 podiums. Five committees including Lok Sabha, National Commission for Women (NCW), Commission on the Status of Women (COSW), UN Human Rights Commission (UNHRC) and International Press (IP) were there. Adit Sharma bagged the first position for best reporting.

JKPS delegates participated in 4 of the prescribed committees, namely, International Press in which first position was bagged by Adit Sharma. In Lok Sabha, great performance was shown by Rameshwar as Adhir Ranjan

Choudhary and secured second position, followed by Ridham Mishra as Mehbooba Mufti, Japnajot Singh as Manish Tewari, Manjyota Sambyal as Tejasvi Surya and Angel Sharma as Nirmala Sitaraman, who were recognized in the verbal mention. In the National Commission for Women, Radhika Bhan got 3rd place which was appreciated by the senior Chairperson. In CSW, JKPS Kunjwani dele-

gates too rocked the committee as the 3rd position was secured by Sanchita Sahi (Tunisia) verbal mention by Saahish Gupta (Pakistan). Despite being their first MUN session, out of the total 14 delegates that participated, 6 verbal mentions and 4 podiums bagged by 10 of the delegates.

Amidst thunderous applause JK Public School, Kunjwani Jammu lifted the Best Delegation Trophy of EMUN.

Principal JKPS Kunjwani, Rajesh Rathore expressed his gratitude to the mentors who worked hard, groomed students and polished their skills.

He appreciated Team IDPS Jammu for providing a brilliant platform to students to discuss global challenges, deliberate on crucial issues, bring to the fore their diplomatic skills, analyzing perspective and arriving at the solution.

Director JK Education Society, Shashi Choudhary lauded the passionate endeavours put in by the proud recipients of various titles. She inspired students to keep exploring their full potential and keep bringing laurels to the Institution.



Winner MUNers of JK Public School Kunjwani.

GCET Jammu organises Tiranga rally under 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign

STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: NSS Unit of Government College of Engineering and Technology (GCET) Jammu on Wednesday organised a massive Tiranga rally under the campaign "Har Ghar Tiranga" in order to celebrate the upcoming 76th Independence Day under the aegis of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav from the college campus.

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Students and faculty members taking out Tiranga rally.

The rally led by NSS volunteers besides students and staff members was started from the college campus and culminated in the nearby village.

The volunteers also distributed the flags among locals. The whole event was organized by NSS volunteers

and local people of the vil-

teers Sunidhi, Vishwas, Nikansh, Jaanvi, Mohd. Sami, Gazanfar, Rakshant, Harshdeep, Ishmeet, Sanjeev, Satvik, Rohit and Jashan under the guidance of NSS P.O. Dr. Raman Gupta.

He along with volunteers and local people of the vil-

lage took pledge to hoist the tricolour at their houses from 13-15th of August.

The other members present during the rally were Dr. Heer Saini, Dr. Neerupma, Dr. Rajinder Singh, Balbir Singh, Er. Surjeet Ranyal, Er. Atit Sharma, and Sunil Sharma.

For further details, players can still contact the National coach of the game, Gourav Kumar Dubey.

Girls participated in Rakhi-making contest and showcased their abilities and the boys of classes I-V extended their gratitude to the Rakhis of the girls by depicting their creativity in Thank you cards for sisters. The boys of classes VI-X had engrossing time, flying kites during the Inter House Kite Flying Competition.

Principal, Dr. Vikesh Kaur congratulated all on the sacred festival stating that the aim of such cele-

bration is to sensitize the children with the ambience of affection, care, empathy and benevolence and to inculcate the feeling of cordiality and consonance in them.

Chairman, G.N. Tantry also extended his wishes to all the children and the

teachers on the occasion of Raksha Bandhan and advised them to spread a sense of love, respect and brotherhood all around to receive the same in return.

Wushu gets 7 entries for National Games

■ STATE TIMES NEWS JAMMU: The game of Wushu has been allowed a participation of seven players from as many weight categories for the 36th National Games being hosted by Gujarat Olympic Association from September 27 to October 10.

To select the team, the Wushu Association of J&K is organising selection trials to name players for seven qualified events at Srinagar on August 12 and 13.

Players from all over J&K have been advised to take part in the selection process by reporting the venue on given dates.

Those eligible players have been asked to bring along Date of Birth certificate, Domicile certificate and Medical fitness certificate.

The qualified events:

Sanda (Men): 56 kg, 60 kg, 65 kg, 70 kg. Sanda (Women): 60 kg. Taolu (Men): Doashu and Gunshu. Taolu (Women): Nanquan and Nandao.

Important to mention here that in the 35th National Games, held at Kerala, four events qualified in the discipline of Wushu and team won gold, silver and two bronze medals.



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The dignitaries present were commandant of the Battalion Ramesh Kumar, who appreciated the gesture of the students of DPS Udhampur.

He stated that students of Delhi Public School have always made their school proud with their scintillating performances and initiatives.

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Artists of Cultural Wing Jammu and students of the host school presented a scintillating cultural programme featuring Dogri, Hindi and Punjabi songs.

In his address, the chief urged the DIPR to



J&K Amateur Kabaddi Association members honouring player Lucky Sharma.

STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Lucky Sharma of Jammu has become part of the actor Abhishek Bachan owned Jaipur Pink Panthers for the 9th edition of the Pro Kabaddi League (2022-23) season.

Lucky got a price tag of Rs 10 lakh from the Jaipur Pink Panthers in the recently held auction

for the players.

On reaching Jammu after his selection in the professional club, Lucky was felicitated by the J&K Amateur Kabaddi Association.

Among those present in the felicitation function included Association president, Anil Gupta in the presence of Kuldeep

Gupta, CEO; General Secretary, Surinder Mohan; Sanjay Sharma (president, Baba Jitto Club); Sanjay Kumar Sharma (Coach); Manik Sharma (NIS qualified Coach), Ashwini Kumar (Baba Jitto Club) and Ajay Sharma (Senior Kabaddi Coach).

Services and Sports (DYSS) under sports projects from the Government of India, has been given category -2 hockey field certificate by the international body.

The FIH field certification mentioned: The FIH is pleased to confirm that this hockey field has been

tested and shown to satisfy the construction, performance, and player welfare requirements of an FIH Category 2 hockey field.

Meanwhile, Hockey India congratulated the management of Model School Poonch on getting category-2 field certification from the FIH.

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