

## Shree Toyota introduces Urban Cruiser 'Hyryder' in Jammu

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JAMMU: Ahead of the launch, Shree Toyota on Monday put on display in Jammu its latest offering, the Urban Cruiser Hyryder, a self-charging strong hybrid electric vehicle and the first of its kind in the high-volume B SUV segment in India.

Answering the demands of the Northern Indian market, the hybrid SUV flashed its bold and sophisticated styling and advanced tech features at an event held today at Shree Toyota, Jammu, in the presence of Vikas Saxena, Territory Manager, Davinder Kumar Batra, Managing Director Batra Group, Manik Batra, Director Batra Group, Bhisham Batra, Director Batra Group, Sahil Gupta, GM Shree Toyota, and other members of Shree Toyota Team. Shree Toyota is the authorized dealer for Toyota



Urban Cruiser 'Hyryder' unveiled at Shree Toyota Jammu.

in Jammu and Ladakh regions.

With an advanced body structure and inherited global SUV lineage from Toyota, Urban Cruiser Hyryder has been designed for a greener and sustainable future, delivering a unique combination of exemplary dynamic performance, best in class fuel economy, quick acceleration, lower emissions, and a smooth drive, making it a perfect

choice in the segment for the diverse needs of the Indian car buyer.

Speaking on introducing Northern Region to the hybrid SUV, Manik Batra said, "Toyota has been constantly working towards its 'mass electrification' initiative by advancing electrified technologies in its cars, while also, aligning with the 'Make in India' and 'AtmaNirbhar Bharat' initiatives of Government of

India. It's high time, we all embrace the shift towards environment friendly technologies and sustainable mobility, even more so, when the ecosystem you reside and drive in is significantly sensitive, like that of Jammu and Ladakh."

"The new hybrid SUV allows us to experience world-class motoring as well as live in harmony with the nature. In simple words, it has both for powering it - fuel and battery, which is a milestone in the automobile sector," said Bhisham Batra

The interiors are beautifully crafted to perfectly suit the bespoke experience offered by Toyota. The SUV in Self-charging Strong Hybrid Electric grades has a stunning black and brown interior and Neo Drive grades has a full black interior which combine to provide a stellar experience.

## Numerous political parties extend support to agitating FAA candidates

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JAMMU: Extending support to agitating FAA selected candidates, who are on continuous protest from last 19 days, many prominent political leaders from various parties also joined their protest and expressed full concern over the issue. Many party patrons also used social media platforms to express solidarity towards cause of selected FAA candidates.

Earlier, a large number of selected candidates gathered outside Press Club Jammu and Press Colony Srinagar, and raised slogans in support of their demands. The protesting candidates



said that they have invested two years in exam of FAA and why should they suffer for wrongs done by others. The requested LG administration to take notice of

emerging situation in JKSSB and fulfill their demands in larger interest of students, failing which they would be forced to march towards Delhi.

## Cong finalizes preparations for JKPYC Foundation Day, Tiranga Yatra

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JAMMU: National General Secretary of Indian Youth Congress, Jagdev Goga on Monday asked the party cadre to remain steadfast in making the upcoming programmes including the August 5 Gherao of PM Narendra Modi's house a great success.

He said this while chairing a meeting of the Office Bearers of J&K Youth Congress here at Party Office.

Navneet Kour, Secretary IYC and Uday Chib, President JKPYC also accompanied the IYC leader during the meeting.

The agenda of the meeting included a massive nationwide protest against 'record-breaking' price rise and unemployment on August 5 wherein Congress Working Committee (CWC) members along with other senior leaders will Gherao PM Modi's residence and party MPs will take out a march upto Rashtrapati Bhawan in New Delhi while elected representatives at all levels will court arrest in their respective blocks and district headquarters.

The National Gen Secretary IYC also discussed the outline of the JKPYC Foundation Day celebrations in the UT of J&K. He asked the youth Congress leadership to ensure a meaningful and dazzling event on this special day of the Congress party.

Besides, Goga also discussed threadbare the arrangements for the upcoming Tiranga Yatra of the party commencing on August 9 and lasting upto August 14, a day ahead of Independence Day.

At the outset of the meeting, Goga said that Congress will hold a mas-

## KD Singh elected President of SKUAST NTEA-J

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JAMMU: K.D Singh has been elected as president while Zameer-ul-Haq as General Secretary of SKUAST Non Teaching Employees Association-Jammu (NTEA-J).

In the General Elections of the association held at Conference Hall, Main Campus Chatha of SKUAST-Jammu under the supervision of Dr Vikas Sharma, Returning Officer, NTEA-J Elections 2022 and Associate Professor (Biochemistry), K.D Singh was declared elected as president of the Union by securing 318 votes. He defeated his rival Dheeraj Choudhary, who bagged 194 votes. Rajesh Sharma was elected as Sr. Vice President (284 votes) against Rohit Kumar (224 votes) whereas Gurajivan Singh was elected as Vice President (313 votes) against Kuldeep Singh (195 votes).

Zameer-ul-Haq was elected as General Secretary by securing 292 votes as he defeated his rival Naresh Kumar Bhat, who bagged 220 votes. Varundeep Dubey was elected as Joint Secretary by



Newly elected President, K.D Singh posing with other officers.

defeating his opponent Parveen Kumar by 127 votes. Seema Bhat was elected as Secretary by defeating her opponent Rekha Sawhney Kapoor by 102 votes. Dheeraj Rajwal was elected as Publicity Secretary by defeating his opponent Ashish Katoch by 115 votes. Chanchal Singh was elected as Additional Organizing Secretary as he defeated Imran Hussain by 173 votes. Kewal Swarop was elected as Treasurer as he

defeated his opponent Nirmal Jit Dogra by 101 votes. Tirath Ram was elected as Joint Treasurer by defeating his rival Ashok Kumar by 105 votes. Dr PK Rai Professor (Soil Science), Dr Rajeev Bharat Associate Professor (Agronomy), Dr Jasbir Singh Manhas Associate Professor (Agril. Extension) and Dr Nazim Khan Assistant Professor (Livestock Farm Complex) acted as Assistant Returning Officers whereas Dr Vivek M Arya Associate Professor (Soil Science) acted as observer in this General Elections.

## People should get booster dose to increase immunity: Rekha

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JAMMU: Referring to the studies at the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) and other international research institutions suggesting that antibody level wanes after around six months after the primary vaccination with both doses and giving a booster increases the immune response, Rekha Mahajan, Secretary J&K BJP, urged upon all the adult people of 18 years and above to get injected free booster dose at the earliest.

Rekha Mahajan, who herself took the booster dose at Govt Health Centre, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu, on Monday, said that new cases on daily basis are reported, showing that Corona Virus was not yet over so people who are eligible for the vaccine doses concerned should take them to limit the spread of the infection in the community.

With an aim to increase the uptake of the precautionary dose of COVID vaccine among the eligible adult population, 75 days

year across the world from August 1 - August 7. This global campaign aims to raise awareness about breastfeeding and its advantages. Following a surge in the infant mortality rate due to a drop in the number of mothers who wanted to breastfeed, the initiative became essential. While everyone has the right to make their own decisions, breastfeeding is recommended by the World Health Organization (WHO) until a child turns two.

Rekha also congratulated PM Narendra Modi for yet another milestone of administering 200 crore vaccinations.

## World Breast Feeding Week begins at Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar

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JAMMU: World breast feeding week from August 1 to 7, 2022 was initiated at Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar wherein the main programme under directions of Dr Sashi Sudhan Sharma, Principal & Dean GMC & AH's Jammu was organized by Dept of Obstetrics & Gynaecology under HOD Dr Amita Gupta in presence of Dr Swarn Gupta Head of unit SMGS, Dr Arun Sharma MS Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar GMC Jammu, PG's, Registrars, doctors, staff of MCH Gandhi Nagar, attendants of patients, mothers admitted in the hospital.

Dr Arun Sharma informed all that world breastfeeding week will be celebrated in Maternity Hospital Gandhi Nagar for 7 days wherein PG students, nursing students will participate by daily



A doctor addressing a programme at MH Gandhi Nagar.

educating the mothers coming to OPD, Admitted in ward and public at large plus 7 days street plays, poster competition, rangoli, seminars and awareness of public will be done by various activities.

Dr Arpita from Dept of Gynae & Obstetrics gave detailed information on breastfeeding.

Dr Swarn Gupta talked about benefits of breast feeding to the child as well as mother.

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## Bone & Joint Week celebrations begin at ASCOMS



Secretary ASCOMS, D.K Batra lighting ceremonial lamp.

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JAMMU: The Bone & Joint Week celebration was inaugurated at Acharya Shri Chander College of Medical Sciences (ASCOMS) & Hospital, Sidhra, here on.

To mark the inauguration, a Yoga & Meditation session was held in which the faculty members,

MBBS/ Postgraduate Students and other staff members were given a live demonstration of Yoga and the importance of meditation in day to day life.

D.K Batra, Secretary, ASCOMS was the Chief Guest on the occasion who also inaugurated the week long celebrations.

Dr. Ravinder K. Gupta, Prof & Head Paediatrics Deptt, performed the Yoga which was appreciated by one and all.

Dr. K.S Mehta, Acting Director Principal appreciated the efforts of Dr. Rajesh Kumar Gupta, Prof & Head Orthopaedics Deptt. ASCOMS and President J&K Orthopaedic Association for taking such an initiative and associating ASCOMS with this national event.

Dr. Rajesh Kumar Gupta Prof & Head department of Orthopaedics presented the vote of thanks.

A walkathon was also held from the College Auditorium to National Highway and back to make the general public aware about the Bone & Joint Health.

## Resolve issues of agitating daily-wagers: JKPCC

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JAMMU: Congress lashes out at the Govt. for failure to address daily wagers issues at the earliest, as the people are suffering due to non-supply of drinking water in several areas especially in most crucial areas

Expressing grave concern over the delay in resolving the issues of PHE daily wagers, as a result the regular water supply is badly affected in most rural areas, JKPCC Chief Spokesperson Ravinder Sharma said that Govt. should shun rigid stand and anti-workers approach and accept their genuine demands.

He said that the BJP led LG administration is totally in different to the rightful demands of the workers who have been rendering services to the people for long time since years. They deserve regularization in a time bound manner besides regular wages, clearing of backlog wages besides hike in wages.

He said that water supply system has nearly collapsed in most parts while Govt. is least bothered about most genuine demands of daily wagers and the sufferings of general public.

The Govt. should immediately shun the anti-employees attitude and anti-workers mind-set besides should be concerned about public sufferings.

## Awareness programme held on Modi@20 Dreams, Meet & Delivery

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UDHAMPUR: In continuation with series of activities undertaken under Modi@20 Dreams Meet & Delivery, a program was organized at BJP Office Udhampur under leadership of Kr Rajeev Charak Incharge for Ramtan, Doda, Kishatwar & Doda, Udhampur. The programme was attended by Pawan Kumar Gupta Ex-MoS Finance while Pardeep Dutta Chief Editor, Times Now was the main speaker on the occasion.

While deliberating on Modi @ 20 Dreams, Dr PK Rai Professor (Soil Science), Dr Rajeev Bharat Associate Professor (Agronomy), Dr Jasbir Singh Manhas Associate Professor (Agril. Extension) and Dr Nazim Khan Assistant Professor (Livestock Farm Complex) acted as Assistant Returning Officers whereas Dr Vivek M Arya Associate Professor (Soil Science) acted as observer in this General Elections.

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Ex-MoS Finance, Pawan Kumar Gupta & Pardeep Dutta Chief Editor, Times Now and others during a programme.

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While deliberating on Modi @ 20 Dreams, Pawan Kumar Gupta appraised gathering about vision, dreams, and achievements of Prime Minister Narendra Modi in his career of 20 years initially as Chief Minister of Gujarat and thereafter as Prime Minister of India. Kr Rajeev Charak stated that India today stands tall

globally among other nations with pride and head held high. He stated that during his school days, he didn't recall any instance where he could say India stands tall in the global arena. The programme was also addressed by Sumeer Kauria, District Convenor Udhampur Modi @20 Dreams, Meet & Delivery. The vote of thanks was presented by Adv Dinkar Gupta.

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