

JKPS Kunjwani girls shine in u-14, u-17 football tournament 2023



JK Public School Kunjwani faculty felicitating winner under-17 and under-14 volleyball teams on Friday.

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JAMMU: JK Public School Kunjwani Girls (U-17) Football Team won Inter-Zone District Level Football Tournament and the JKPS Girls (U-14) Team won the Runners Up Trophy in this Tournament, held at Khel Gaon Nagrota.

Both these shining teams were part of Satwari Zone Team. The tournament was organized by the District Youth Services and Sports, Jammu. A total of 11 girls from JK Public School Kunjwani played in the football team U-17 and the proud winners are Pratima Sharma, Anaya Sharma, Abha Sharma, Adhya Balotra, Mannat, Karen Sambyal, Omera Khan and Rhythm Roy. Shashi Chaudhary, Director JK Educational Society and the school Principal Rajesh Rathore congratulated and felicitated both the teams in the special assembly of the school and also appreciated the School Coach Eliza Sotra and HOD Sports Subash Chander for preparing the teams and for bringing laurels to the school.

U-14 and the proud winners are Divya, Kashvi, Samridhi, Ishika Pal Koul, Harshita Gupta, Aakriti Singh, Gunika Sharma, Ruhani, Kanshika Heer, Suhana Wani and Aliza Fatima. A total of 08 girls from JK Public School Kunjwani played in the football team

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Skating Club distributes stationery items

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JAMMU: With a view to encourage and inspire the students of the villages towards studies and sports, Roller Athlete Skating Club Jindrah presented stationery items to the students of Government Girls Middle School Dhamore in district Jammu.

The gesture was aimed at paying tributes to one of the dedicated members of the Club, Bharat Bushan Gupta (Industrialist). The packets containing stationery items distributed among the female students by former India cricketer and vice president of Kreedha Bharti, J&K, Surinder Singh Bagal. As many as 30 students benefited out of the Club's initiative. The stationery packets contained bag, notebooks, pencils, erasers, sharpeners, crayons, sweets and eatables.



Roller Athlete Skating Club Jindrah members after distributing stationery items among students.

Speaking to the gathering of school teachers and members of the Club as also the target students, Surinder Singh was all praise for the Jindrah Club for continuous efforts to empower the needy sections of the society. Principal of the school, Nasim Malik thanked the Club for selection of the institu-

tion for the such events. The activity of the Club was organised under the guidance of international roller hockey player, Ramneesh Sharma (AAO, PDC). Among others present were Ankush Kohli, Arya Vir Singh Jamwal, Valeria Penfold Muniz, Bharat Bhushan Sharma (HDM, PDC) and Jyoti Vaid (teacher).

J&K Netball Association organises awareness-cum-coaching camp



Netball Association of Jammu and Kashmir officials with participating players.

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REASI: Netball Association of Jammu and Kashmir in collaboration with Jammu & Kashmir Sports Council organised awareness cum coaching camp with an aim to introduce and teach the technical aspects of the game to those new upcoming sports person of Netball Game in Reasi District.

Senior Player of Netball Sant Kumar, Madhav Sharma and Mohit Sharma from Reasi District also participated in this special Camp. The camp concluded by the NAJK to make the game popular by way of awareness cum coaching camp.

While speaking to the participants, Technical Team of NAJK assured of improved facilities and other logistic support to them and appreciated the efforts of the local youth to spread the game at the District level.

Friends Club Ramgarh wins Volleyball C'ship

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SAMBA: A grand closing ceremony of volleyball championship was organized by Samba Police today under Civic Action Programme (CAP) at Community Hall Ground Ramgarh where SSP Samba Benam Tosh, accompanied by Additional SP Samba Surinder Choudhary, Deputy SP DAR Ajay Anand, SDPO Bari Brahmana Rahul Nagar, SDPO Vijaypur Rohit Kumar and SHO Police Station Ramgarh Sudesh Kumar, honoured players with cash rewards amounting to Rs 50000, certificates and trophies in the presence of PRLs and hundreds of prominent citizens of the area.

Among the prominent persons, who spoke on the occasion and thanked the J&K Police for organizing sports



SSP Samba Benam Tosh honouring players with trophy at closing ceremony of volleyball c'ship at Ramgarh.

event, were DDC Member Sarbjeet Singh, Vice Chairperson Municipal Committee Ramgarh Kamlesh Kumari and social activist Shiv Choudhary.

In the tournament, total 08 volleyball teams viz Jai Baba Chambliyal Club Dug, Khour Slarian Club, Ramgarh Club,

Rajneesh Club Sarwa, Radha Krishan Club Gho Brahmana, Barjani Club, Friends Club Ramgarh and Swankha Club participated. The volleyball tournament has been played on knock out basis.

The final match of volleyball championship was

played between Jai Baba Chambliyal Club Dug and Friends Club Ramgarh in which team Friends Club Ramgarh under the captainship of Neeraj Kumar emerged as overall winner whereas team Jai Baba Chambliyal Club Dug under the captainship of Sunny

Kumar stood as runner up in the tournament. SSP Samba Benam Tosh said that J&K Police is going to organize more such sports and other awareness programmes in border areas of Ramgarh and Samba sector and that Dangals and cultural programmes shall also be organized very shortly in which local wrestlers and local artists shall be encouraged, felicitated and promoted. SSP Samba further said that samba district is no more safe haven for the hero-in smugglers and suppliers and nor a safe market for illicit narcotic trade. SSP Samba and other dignitaries planted trees, paid homage to the martyrs and took 'Panch Pran' pledge organized by Municipal Committee Ramgarh on the occasion.

Anti Ragging Week concludes at GCET Jammu

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JAMMU: Government College of Engineering and Technology (GCET) Jammu organized an anti-ragging week from August 12 to 18, 2023 to raise awareness among the seniors against Ragging.

During the week-long awareness drive, seminars and various anti-ragging activities like poster-making, slogan-writing and essay writing competitions were conducted to bring out the creative expression of students and to gauge their knowledge and awareness of various consequences and impact of Ragging.

The Documentary on Ragging was also shown to

the students. Lecture by Rajinder Kotwal, State Training Commissioner Bharat Scouts and Guides was conducted during the inaugural session on August 12 to sensitise the senior students about the mental and physiological impact of ragging on the young minds of the freshers who join the college.

During the Valedictory session Er. Sanjeev Gupta, Associate Professor Mechanical Department delivered a talk on

"Preventing Ragging : Creating a Safe Educational Environment". Prof. (Dr.) Sameru Sharma, Principal GCET Jammu congratulated the winners of various Activities conducted during the week.

Prof. (Dr.) Anita Brar Convenor Anti-Ragging Committee presented the closing remarks and highlighted the basic motive behind organizing Anti-Ragging week. First prize of Poster Making, Essay writing and Slogan writing competition were bagged by Vanshika Malhotra, Simarjot Kour and Jatinder Pal of 2nd Semester, Electrical

Department respectively. Tavishi Sharma of 2nd Semester, EnC Department gave outstanding performance in all the events. The Event coordinators namely Er. Sheetal Gandotra, Er. Manoj Gupta, Altaf Ahmad, Shammii Kumar, Er. Yogesh Gupta, Er. Sanjay Charak and Er. Karan Kapoor successfully organized the various events.

Remarkable Contribution by Student Coordinators namely Abu Ahsan, Raja Anees, Nikhel Shan Aroosunnisa, Amandeep was appreciable. During the Valedictory Function the vote of thanks was given by Altaf Ahmed, Warden Boys Hostel.

Badminton Sub-Junior trial event begins

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JAMMU: Organised by the Badminton Association of J&K (BAJK), the UT level selection trials cum competition in Sub-Junior age group of under-15 to under-17 got underway at Indoor Sports Complex, MA Stadium, here on Friday.

Those selected boys and girls shall form J&K team for representation at the Sub-Nationals Badminton Championship being held at Hyderabad. The opening day witnessed a hectic schedule and the competition was officiated by the technical panel



Badminton matches in progress at Jammu.

including Anil Gurkha, Pawanjit, Sukhdev Singh and Divum Gupta (Coach). Among others present were Dr DO Sharma (vice president, Badminton

Association of India), Balbir Singh Jamwal (general secretary, BAJK), DV Sharma (General Secretary, Jammu City and District Badminton Association).

Silver medal for J&K in Kalarippayattu



Winner J&K team posing with officials.

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JAMMU: Jammu and Kashmir won a silver medal in the just concluded 15th National Kalarippayattu Championship at LNCP Indoor Sports Complex, Thiruvananthapuram in Kerala. The team took part in the national event under the banner of Kalarippayattu Association of Jammu and Kashmir. The only medal in the shape of an individual silver won by Gungum Tickoo. Two other team members, Tarun Gupta and Dua Mukhtar finished fourth. The team was accompanied by Tajammul Ahmad Khan, Rudrakshit Gupta, Koushal Garg and Rajat Bhagat.

J&K STIC, DST organises seminar at GDC Udhampur

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UDHAMPUR: Government Degree College (GDC) Udhampur in collaboration with J&K Science, Technology and Innovation Council (J&K STIC), Department of Science and Technology (DST) Udhampur organized a one-day seminar on "Sustainable Development of Natural resources : Ecology and innovation". The entire event was organised under the overall patronage of the Principal Prof (Dr) Ramesh Kumar Gupta and Guidance of Dr. Sunil Kumar Bhatt (Convener, Science Club). In his message, Dr Ramesh Gupta highlighted the importance of Sustainable development. He stressed upon working towards development keeping in mind the importance



J&K STIC, DST officials posing with faculty and winner students of GDC Udhampur.

of being responsible for the environment we live in. The formal address was presented by Shruti Khanna, District Coordinator DST, Udhampur. In her address, she highlighted the new ways to broaden our knowledge and also improve our understanding

The welcome address was given by Prof. Romesh Kumar Atri, Head Department of Botany. He highlighted that such seminars represents a key source of economic dynamism and new opportunities for sustainable economic growth and green development.

The programme consisted of the inaugural, oral presentation, poster presentation and valedictory sessions. The speakers, jury members and the audience were formerly apprised by Coordinator Dr Jasmeet Kour in which she talked about the nature of programme and threw light on the proceedings of the events.

Rushal Garg, DFO

Udhampur was the Guest of Honour and invited speaker of the event. Prof. Ashni Devi, Associate Professor, Head of Department Botany, GCW Udhampur and Prof. Intiaz Shahid, Udhampur were the jury members of the event.

The participant students presenting their innovative ideas in front of the jury members in the form of oral and poster presentation. The jury members and the dignitaries presented cash prizes sponsored by DST to the students. The first, second and third positions for oral presentation were clinched by Baljeet, Ashish and Yoshita respectively. In poster presentation the first, second and the

third positions for oral presentation were clinched by Diksha, Amit Sharma and Manoj Kumar respectively.

All The participants for the competition were given certificates. In the workshop Dr. Sunil Kumar Bhat, Prof. Satish Kumar, Prof. Swarn Singh, Prof. Rajan Bharti, Prof. Rajan Bharti, Dr. Devi Das, and Prof. Asha Sohil played a vital role in its organisation. Dr Jasmeet Kour coordinated the proceedings of the inaugural, technical and valedictory session.

Prof. Rachna Bharti, Head Department of Computer Application presented the vote of thanks.

PSPS GCW Gandhi Nagar bids farewell to seniors

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JAMMU: Department of Sociology, PSPS GCW, Gandhi Nagar in collaboration with IQAC on Friday organised a farewell for the outgoing students of the final semester.

The programme began with the plantation by the students of the 6th semester. The formal welcome address was given by Dr. Suraj Mohani Jamwal, H.O.D Sociology. Principal of the College, Prof. Minu Mahajan congratulated the department and the students for their achievements and wished them success in their future endeavours. She motivated the students to always keep in mind their social responsibilities and encouraged them to always stand by the moral values and the discipline which they have learnt from the college. A cultural Programme



PSPS GCW, Gandhi Nagar faculty and students at farewell function.

was also organised in which students showcased their talents through various performances including singing, dancing and various games that enthralled the audience amid cheers and applause. Prof. Anjali Bhat (Dean, Arts), Prof. Kamlesh Slathia (Dean, Sciences), Prof. Manta Gupta (Dean, Commerce), Prof. Irvinde Kour (HOD, Home Science), Dr. Yash Pal Sharma (Convener, IQAC), Prof.

Mala Bhasin (Staff Secretary and HOD, Botany), Prof. Varun Sharma (HOD, Philosophy), Prof. Paramjeet Singh and Prof. Harjeet Singh (Pol.Science) and Prof. Shelly Sabharwal graced the occasion with their presence. In the end, students recalled their fond memories of the college through a video presentation with a sense of accomplishment, ready to embark on the next chapter of their lives.

DPS Udhampur wins 1st prize in Jammu division in National Anthem Singing Competition

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UDHAMPUR: The students of Delhi Public School (DPS) Udhampur brought laurels to institution by participating in National Anthem singing Competition organized by the Department of Information and Public Relations J&K as part of Independence Day celebration and won accolades.

Students of DPS Udhampur secured first position in the category of group Performance competition and got cash prize of Rs. 25000 Aradhya of class IXth also won third prize and cash prize of Rs. 5000 in the category of solo performance under 14 age



Advisor R R Bhatnagar presenting prize to DPS team.

categories. Arti, Music Teacher of DPSU secured first position in the category of solo performance along with Rs 25000 cash prize, all the winners were felicitated on 15th August, 2023 at MAM

Stadium, Jammu. The school today organized a special press conference, to felicitate the winners. Pro Vice Chairman of the School, Dr. J. C. Gupta appreciated the whole team of participants and gave a cash

prize to Aradhya of Class IX for a wonderful Performance. MD of the School, Vivek Gupta and Director Academics, Sucheta Gupta congratulated all the participants for such a grand achievement. Principal, Dr. Kunal Anand, Head Mistress Sr School Bhanvi Sharma & Head Mistress Jr School Shivani Koul congratulated the team. The whole program was coordinated by chief CCA Coordinator Rakhi Gupta, Sangeta Nargotra and Lakvinder Kour. Chief Coordinators of DPSU were also present.