

Empowered to Lead, Inspired to Serve - Junior Prefects take oath at JKPS Kunjwani



Glimpses of Investiture Ceremony at JK Public School Kunjwani.

STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: The Investiture Ceremony is one of the most significant and eagerly awaited traditions in any school's calendar - a solemn occasion that symbolises the transfer of trust, responsibility, and hope to the newly elected student leaders. Year after year, it serves as a powerful reminder of the confidence reposed in these young torchbearers, who, donning the mantle of responsibility, pledge to perform their duties with dedication, integrity, and adherence to the values of their alma mater.

In keeping with this proud tradition, the Primary Wing of JK Public School, Kunjwani celebrated its Investiture Ceremony with

great zeal, zest, and a sense of solemn pride. This momentous event marked the formal bestowal of authority upon the Junior Main Council and Junior House Council, signifying the school's belief in their capability to lead with honour and vision.

The occasion was graced by Shashi Choudhary, Director, JK Educational Society; Rajesh Rathore, Principal, JKPS Kunjwani; Anju Kohli, Coordinator; and the entire faculty, whose presence added inspiration and dignity to the proceedings.

In her address, Shashi Chaudhary urged the newly appointed council members to be role models, to embrace humility, and to serve with sincerity as the nation-

builders of tomorrow. She reminded them that the values and ethos instilled in them by the school would serve as a guiding light throughout their lives. Her words resonated with encouragement and purpose, setting a high benchmark for the leaders of the future.

The ceremonial proceedings, mentored by Sumeet Kour and Bindu Kumari, witnessed the conferring of sashes upon the newly elected leaders:

Sports Captain-Kevin Sambyal; Vice Sports Captain-Vishnu Yash Sharma; Cultural Captain-Anitesh Suri; Vice Cultural Captain-Japkaran Singh; Discipline Captain-Pragya Singh Pathania; and Vice Discipline Captain-

Mahiyal Kour.

The newly appointed Captains, Vice-Captains, and House Prefects included Arnab Deepak Barnwal, Jacqueline Kour, Savya Gupta, Ridhi Khandpal, Urva Ibtihaj, Sehajpreet Kour, Anhad Singh, Amania Gupta, Mannat Saini, Swara Sharma, Medhansh Singh, Mohd Hamza, Avneet Kaur, Aarav Malpotra, Mehraansh Singh, Shirij Uppal, Smardeep Kour, Lavanya Sharma, Jaskirat Kour, Rahini Thapa, Arnab Singh Yadav, Hartaj Singh, Rishab Singh, and Jessica.

With sashes worn proudly across their shoulders and a pledge in their hearts, the council members vowed to uphold the values of JKPS,

lead with example, and carry forward the school's tradi-

tion of excellence.

The event was a resound-

ing success, leaving an indelible mark of pride,

promise, and purpose in the hearts of all present.

All J&K Megh Sabha demands increased relief for Machail Mata clobbered victims

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JAMMU: The All Jammu & Kashmir Megh Sabha expressed deep grief and solidarity with the victims of the recent clobbered tragedy near Chashoti, Paddar, Kishtwar, along the Machail Mata pilgrimage route. Addressing the media, Narinder Datt, President of the Sabha, said the entire Megh community stands united in mourning the devastating loss of lives and injuries caused by the natural disaster. He acknowledged the Jammu and Kashmir



President of the Sabha, Narinder Datt talking to reporters.

Government's relief announcement Rs 2 lakh for deceased, Rs 1 lakh for seriously injured, and Rs 50,000 for partially injured-but called it inadequate. Datt urged the adminis-

tration to increase compensation to Rs 10 lakh per deceased, considering the economic hardships faced by affected families. He also demanded permanent daily-

wage employment for one member of each bereaved family. Appealing to Prime Minister Narendra Modi, he requested financial aid from the PM Relief Fund to support the victims. He also called on local MLAs to identify affected families in their constituencies and ensure proper relief and rehabilitation. Also present were Rajinder Bhagat (Vice President), Amar Nath Bhagat (Cashier), Narinder Singh, Ravi Kant (State Coordinator), Vishal Bhagat (President, Pouni), Ashok Bhagat, and others.

Anjuman-e-Imamia Jammu holds Chehlu procession

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JAMMU: Anjuman-e-Imamia Jammu organized a solemn Chehlu procession to mark the 40th day of martyrdom of Imam Hussain (a.s.) and his 72 companions, who sacrificed their lives in Karbala for the values of justice, humanity, and Islam.



Syed Iftikhar Hussain Jaffari addressed mourners during the three-day Majlis and highlighted the relevance of Karbala's message in today's world. Special prayers were offered for

the victims of the Uttarkashi clobbered, Kishtwar tragedy, and the oppressed people of Gaza. President Syed Amanat Ali Shah and General Secretary Prof. Sujat Khan emphasized

that Imam Hussain's (a.s.) message transcends communities and calls for resistance against tyranny. Syed Afaq Hussain Kazmi noted strong interfaith participation and support from market associations. Syed Ayaz Naqvi, in his vote of thanks, appreciated the administration and mourners from Jammu, Kashmir, Ladakh, and Shia organizations for their support.

The peaceful gathering reflected the enduring spirit of Karbala-truth, sacrifice, and unity.

TRAVELTIME!

Jammu to Srinagar	
IndiGo	10:05 AM - 10:45 AM
SpiceJet	11:10 AM - 12:00 PM
Air India Express	12:50 PM - 1:40 PM
Air India Express	1:35 PM - 2:45 PM
IndiGo	1:55 PM - 2:35 PM
IndiGo	6:40 PM - 7:20 PM
Srinagar to Jammu	
IndiGo	11:45 AM - 12:35 PM
Air India Express	12:10 PM - 1:05 PM
SpiceJet	12:35 PM - 1:30 PM
Air India Express	2:20 PM - 3:35 PM
IndiGo	3:15 PM - 4:05 PM
IndiGo	5:20 PM - 6:10 PM

FIND TRAIN SCHEDULE

11078 Jhelum Express	
Departure	: 23:35 from Jammu Tawi
Arrival	: 11:15 at New Delhi
12426 Jammu Tawi - New Delhi Rajdhani Express	
Departure	: 21:25 from Jammu Tawi
Arrival	: 05:55 at New Delhi
12446 Uttar Sampark Kranti Express	
Departure	: 21:50 from Jammu Tawi
Arrival	: 06:55 at New Delhi
Train 26401 - Katra to Srinagar (Morning Service)	
Departure	: 8:10 AM from Katra
Arrival	: 11:10 AM at Srinagar
Intermediate Stop	: Banihal at 9:58 AM
Fare:	
Chair Car (CC): 715	
Executive Chair Car (EC): 1,320	
Booking: Available on IRCTC	
Train 26403 - Katra to Srinagar (Afternoon Service)	
Departure	: 2:00 PM from Katra
Arrival	: 05:00 PM at Srinagar
Fare:	
Chair Car (CC): 660	
Executive Chair Car (EC): 1,270	
Booking: Available on IRCTC	

FIND CINEMA

WAR 2 HINDI	
WAVE ONE MOVIE JAMMU	9:00 AM / 10:00 AM / 12:20 PM / 1:20 PM / 3:45 PM / 7:10 PM / 08:00 PM / 09:50PM / 11:20 PM
PVR KC JAMMU	9:00 AM / 11:55 AM / 3:35 PM / 7:15 PM / 10:05 PM / 10:55 PM
COOLIE THE POWERHOUSE HINDI	
WAVE ONE MOVIE JAMMU	10:05 PM / 4:00 PM / 10:40 PM
PVR KC JAMMU	12:00 PM
MAHAVATAR NARSIMHA HINDI	
WAVE ONE MOVIE JAMMU	1:15 PM / 4:40 PM / 7:15 PM
PVR KC JAMMU	9:05 AM

HELPLINE

TELEPHONES

Directory Enquiry	197
Fault Repair	198
Local Assistance	199
Trunk Assistance	180
International Trunk Booking	2447952, 2577951, 2573638
Billing Complaints	2543896, 2548415
Billing Complaints Computerize	1955
Change No. Announcement	1951
Gandhi Nagar Exchange	2451953, 2430953

HOSPITALS

Government Medical College	2584290, 2484291
Psychiatry and Disease Hospital	2577444
Ambulance Rajouri	257147, 257084, 257357
Blood Bank/Eye Bank - SMGS Hospital	2547639, 2547637
Emergency	2549669
Blood Bank	2547637, 2547638
Chest Disease Hospital	2577064, 2458012
Dental Hospital	2544670
Govt Hospital Gandhi Nagar	2430041
Emergency	2431740
Child Hospital	2577023
Acharya Shri Chander College of Medical Sciences and Hospital	262270

AMBULANCES

Indian Red Cross Society	2549413
Jammu University	2453165, 2543525, 2435248

FIRE STATIONS

Gandhi Nagar	101, 2435283, 2457705
City	2544263
Canal	2554064
Roop Nagar	2597522
Gangyal	2480026
Bari Brahmana	220020
Akhnoor	252481
Kathua	234313
Samba	243280
Katra	232451
Udhampur	270897
Police Control Room	100, 2542001, 2545481-82
Police Exchange	2547621-22, 2547624
Civil Defence Control Room	2549100, 2548645, 2544920
Civil Defence	2548645, 2549100, 2544920
Hot Line	383

TOURISM

Tourist Officer, Airport	2431917
Tourist Officer, Railway Station	2430078
Tourist Reception Centre	2579554

BUS SERVICES

JKSRTC General Manager	2435262
JKSRTC Bus Stand	2577475
JKSRTC Jammu Srinagar, Service	2576562
Punjab Roadways	2542782

WATER SUPPLY

Company Bagh	2542582
Parade	2544979
Bakshi Nagar	2543557
Panjthirhi	2547501
Narwal	2430031

ELECTRIC SUPPLY COMPLAINTS

Canal	2554147, 2554199
Parade	2542289, 2543398
Nanak Nagar	2430776
Gandhi Nagar	2430180
Shastri Nagar	2430781
Janipur	2543828, 2579258
Satwari	2452816
FIRE SERVICE : (Control Room)	101

CIVIC SERVICES

Municipality	2547846, 2542192
Health Officer	2547440
Garbage / Carcass Removal	2547440