

BJP discusses 20 days long 'Seva aur Samarpan campaign' programmes

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JAMMU: Like other states/UTs, the Jammu & Kashmir will also organize different programmes under 'Seva aur Samarpan campaign' from September 17 to October 7, this year.

This information was shared by J&K BJP General Secretary (Org.) Ashok Kaul, while chairing a meeting of prominent leaders of the party, along with General Secretary Dr. Devinder Manyal on Friday at party headquarter.

Ashok Kaul, while elaborating on 20 days programmes, said that September 17 is the birthday of the world's most popular leader and our Prime Minister Narendra Modi and October 7 is the day when he became the Chief Minister of Gujarat and remained in the chair till 2014, when he assumed the chair as PM of India. Ashok Kaul said that the BJP has chalked out series of programmes under 'Seva aur Samarpan' campaign in which different initiatives and activi-



J&K BJP General Secretary (Org.) Ashok Kaul chairing a meeting of party leaders.

ties related to environment, seva, health, publicity, media and social media will be undertaken upto booth level. In booth activity, post cards from all 5400 booths will be sent to PM Narendra Modi appreciating his governance and congratulate on completing 20 years in active politics.

In Environment related activities, party workers will take on cleanliness drive of different rivers / water bodies in their respective areas, remove polythene bags and plastic bottles, plant trees etc.

In health activities, health and blood donation camps will

be organized, help people in getting vaccination, providing artificial body aids to specially abled persons. In seva activities party will distribute fruits, ration items, clothes, stationary items among the poor and needy.

The publicity activities include organizing exhibition at district level highlighting programmes and policies of the Modi government besides welfare schemes, fixing hoardings, organizing seminars and meetings for the purpose.

In Media activities penal discussions will be organized besides uploading the party

page with government works. In Social Media special focus will be laid on uploading video clips related to various programmes of the government.

For smooth conduct of these activities, J&K BJP has given responsibilities to its leaders, who will coordinate and supervise their individual tasks.

General Secretary Dr. Devinder Manyal and Headquarter Incharge Priya Sethi will be overall Incharge for Jammu province. General secretary Sunil Sharma will be Incharge for similar activities in Kashmir.

For different activities in Jammu province, S. Varinderjeet Singh, Chander Mohan Sharma, Pawan Sharma, Ch. Vikram Randhawa, Arvind Gupta, Venu Khanna, Naresh Singh, Sanjay Baru, Balbir Ram Rattan, Ankit Gupta, Pawan Singh, Surinder Choudhary, Prem Nath Dogra, Sanjay Khanna and Kapil Singh Chib have been given the responsibilities.

BJP Govt has ensured food for all: Vikram



Former MLC, Ch. Vikram Randhawa distributing free ration among the beneficiaries.

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JAMMU: There is no need to worry to the poor and the downtrodden amid ongoing pandemic about their food as BJP government led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi has ensured food for them at least upto festive season. It was stated by former Member Legislative Council (MLC) and State Secretary BJP JKUT, Ch. Vikram Randhawa, while distributing free ration to the beneficiaries of 'Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana (PMGKAY) at Ward No-1, Panjtirthi, Jammu in the presence of Purnima Sharma Deputy Mayor

Jammu Municipal Corporation (JMC) and District President Vinay Gupta.

Randhawa said that the COVID pandemic has left many people jobless and the poor were unable to earn their livelihood following frequent lockdowns which were imposed to contain the spread of the virus. He said that yet the danger in hanging over our heads and there is every apprehension that we will witness another lockdown if we will not follow appropriate COVID behaviour like wearing mask, maintaining social distancing, frequent hand washing etc.

He said that many developed countries are in worst phases with the entry of new Delta Variant of the COVID strain and it is our duty to keep this virus away. Purnima Sharma said that the Government of India led by Narendra Modi as Prime Minister keeping in mind the sufferings of the poor has launched this unique poor-friendly scheme which has benefited 80 crore families of the nation. She said the government is providing free ration among the poor families and now at least these families have not to worry about their food.

She further said that it is the unique initiative of the government and urged upon the party workers to ensure its proper implementation. She told the gathering that around 500 families of her Ward No-1 have been benefited by this scheme.

Others present on the occasion include Rajesh Gupta, Sangeeta Anand, Narinder Koki, Naresh Abrol, and Vikram Sareen.

Hoteliers resent irregular supply of Water

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JAMMU: Today a meeting was organized at Talab Khatika Jammu by the President of Hotel and Lodges Association of Khatika Talab, Imran Hussain in which the participants resented the irregular supply of water affecting their business.

They highlighted lot of difficulties which they are facing because of the insufficient and mostly not getting the supply of water.

Inuran said that they are paying commercial rent to the Dal Shakti Department for getting sufficient water supply but they are not getting even the supply for the drinking purpose.

The supply we get does not suffice our requirement, which adversely affects our business, he said. Inuran Hussain requested the Jal Shakti Department to ensure regular supply of water as is provided in other areas so that we are able to meet the aspirations of our customers and promote our business. Prominent among those present in the meeting include Mohammad Ashraf, Bilal Khan, Abdul Majeed, Rafiq Ahmad, Habib, Ashraf Khan and Khirsheed Beigh.

Army Chief asks soldiers to prepare for future operational challenges

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JAMMU: General M.M Naravane, Chief of the Army Staff visited Headquarters Western Command at Chandimandir on Friday.

The Army Chief was updated on various operational and training related issues by Lieutenant General RP Singh, Army Commander, Western Command. The COAS addressed officers of the Western Command during which he exhorted them to serve with pride and in doing so uphold the military ethos and the rich culture of the Indian Army. Later, General Naravane interacted with the troops commending them for their professionalism and undaunted spirit in maintaining a high state of combat readiness despite the restrictions imposed by COVID-19 pandemic. He exhorted all ranks to continue working with zeal and be prepared for any future operational challenges.

SUF, POJK SIF, Congress urge agencies for soon arresting culprits of TS Wazir's murder

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JAMMU: Strongly condemning the brutal murder of Tarlochan Singh Wazir in Delhi, various Sikh Organisations urged the Delhi Police to trace out and arrest the real culprits for deterrent punishment.

Sikh United Front J&K chairman Sudershan Singh Wazir condemned murder of Tarlochan Singh Wazir, Member Legislative Council, President Jammu and Kashmir State Gurdwara Board and Chairman Transport Welfare Association in Delhi. While mourning the death of Tarlochan Singh, Sudershan said that people of J&K especially Sikhs are deeply saddened by the news as an irreparable loss made to the Sikh community as he was a man who was greatly admired and respected by leaders across the party lines.

Wazir welcomed the decision of transferring the case to Crime branch Delhi, an agency known for its professionalism and speedy investigations as he and the people



SUF J&K chairman, S.S Wazir talking to reporters.

of J&K hope that the investigation will reach its logical conclusion in shortest possible time and severest punishment will be given to the culprits who are responsible of this heinous crime.

Mohinder Singh, Chief Organizer Bhair Kanaya Nishkam Sewa Society, Darbinder Singh President Shiromani Akali Dal J&K, Rajinder Singh General Secretary SAD J&K, Raja Singh Sarpanch, Ravinder Singh Sarpanch, Kulwant Singh Khajuria Joint Secretary, Charanjeet Singh (KAS) retired SDM, Prof. Yudhvir Singh Corporator were also present in the press conference.

Meanwhile, All J&K 1947 POJK Sharnarhi Intellectual Forum convened

meeting of its Core committee members under the chairmanship of Advocate Amrik Singh and joined by Surjit Singh General Secretary of Forum wherein they strongly condemned the gruesome and coldblooded murder of Tarlochan Singh Wazir, ex-MLC and ex-President of J&K State Gurdawara Board.

They urged upon the J&K UT Govt and Central Govt's police investigation agencies to probe this blind murder at the earliest so that people of the J&K may come to know the deep rooted conspiracy hatched by the criminal culprits may come on surface. The Forum expressed that T.S Wazir was a high profile personality and his gruesome murder has caused

havoc in the civil society.

Members further elaborated that the people of J&K UT wanted to the motive and facts of this barbaric act. " Wazir was a leading representative of Transporter industry and a social worker and also was leading a religious J&K State Gurdawara Board for the last 20 years and he always stood for the Panthic cause which can never be ignored," Surjit Singh said.

The Forum reiterated that such type of murder is stands question mark for the law and order controlled agencies.

The Forum deeply condole the untimely demise and pray for his departed soul in heavenly abode and may Waheguru give strength to bereaved family to bear this unbearable loss.

The members who spoke and attended the meeting include Inder Singh Corporator, Paramjit Singh Ex-Corporator, Nasib Singh, Prof. K.D Singh, Kuldeep Singh, Bhupinder Singh, Gursimran Singh, Master Harbhajan Singh, Kuldeep

Singh Kuku, Khazan Singh, Mohinder Singh, Pritam Singh, Avtar Singh President GSS Digiana Camp, Paramjit Singh Shingari, H.S Sudan Retd Group Captain and Jagjit Singh Publicity Secretary.

Jammu and Kashmir Pradesh Congress Committee has expressed deep shock over the shocking incident of murder of former MLC and senior NC leader T S Wazir.

Expressing deep shock over the incident, JKPC Chief Spokesperson Ravinder Sharma demanded a thorough investigation to unravel the mystery and arrest the culprits and bring them to book.

He said that the incident has shaken the confidence of people and created a fear in the minds of people.

The party has expressed deep sympathies and conveyed heartfelt condolences to the family.

13th General House Meeting of JMC held



Mayor, Chander Mohan Gupta chairing 13th General House Meeting of JMC.

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JAMMU: The 13th General House Meeting of Jammu Municipal Corporation was conducted through virtual mode on Friday. At the outset, Mayor, Chander Mohan Gupta briefed the House about various recent and upcoming development issues.

Subsequently, various proposals which were held up for want of approval of the House, were taken up during the session of 13th General House meeting and after due deliberations, were approved by the House. A discussion on various general issues of public importance was also held where the Councillors, one by one presented the problems of their

respective wards. The present status of such issues & requisite corrective actions to be taken were conveyed to the House. Observations of Councillors were taken note of and all the concerned officers were directed by the Chair to take up all such matters on priority especially those which directly impact the common public.

The Virtual meeting was attended by Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Chairmen of various Committees, Councillors and Senior Officers of Jammu Municipal Corporation including Municipal Commissioner, Joint Commissioner, Secretary, Assistant Commissioner (Rev), Chief Accounts Officer and others.

Power shutdown

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JAMMU: Chief Engineer (Distribution), JPDCL, Jammu on Friday informed that the power supply to Baba Talab, Shamachak, Gurha Singhu, Batera, GREF, Sua No. 1, Gharkhal and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 11 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Gangyal Industrial Complex, Preet Nagar, Parts of Langer, Model Town, KC Colony, Gangyal Domestic and Parts of Kunjwani shall remain affected on September 11 from 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM.

Likewise, the power supply to Pargwal, Channi Tanna, Rajpura, Bhalwal Bharat, Dhalwal Miulu, Hamipurkona, BSF, Batera, Dabbin, Chorpur, Manyal, Dharmkhlu, Tirth Talab, GREF, Gumpal, Sua No. 1, Garkhal and adjoining areas shall remain affected on September 11 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Billawar, Mandi, Phinter, Parnalla and adjoining areas of Baggan shall remain affected on September 12 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply to Udhampur Town, Battal Ballian and Air Force shall remain affected on September 12 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 Noon.

Meanwhile, Executive Engineer, Electric Division-II (JPDCL) Jammu has informed that power supply to Dog Squad and Chhata Village shall remain affected on September 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Raina Gali

and Bakshi Gali shall remain affected on September 13, 15 and 17 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply near Sahji Mandi, Near Police Station and Airport Road shall remain affected on September 14, 16 and 18 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Babliana and Horticulture shall remain affected September 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply Near B N College and Near PDP office shall remain affected on September 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Sector B shall remain affected on September 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Likewise, the power supply to Sector G and Sector A shall remain affected on September 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Heritage School and Sainik Farm shall remain affected on September 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply near Government School shall remain affected on September 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply Near Macca Mashid shall remain affected on September 13 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply near Government High School Bathindi shall remain affected on September 14 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Similarly, the power

supply Near Nurani Masjid shall remain affected on September 15 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply to Sajjad Kichloo Kothi shall remain affected on September 16 and 19 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply to Green Hill Colony shall remain affected on September 17 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply to Kiki Mohalla shall remain affected on September 18 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply Behind Jammu Darbar shall remain affected on September 13, 16, 17, 18 and 19 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Likewise, the power supply Inside Vaishnavi Enclave shall remain affected on September 14 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Similarly, the power supply near Vaishnavi Enclave shall remain affected on September 15 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

Meanwhile, Executive Engineer, Electric Division-III (JPDCL) Jammu has informed that power supply to Vasuki Vihar shall remain affected on September 14 from 7:00 AM to 11:00 AM.

Similarly, the power supply to Laxmi Nagar shall remain affected on September 13, 14 and 15 from 7:00 AM to 11:00 AM.

Meanwhile, Superintending Engineer (Distribution), JPDCL, O&M Circle, Kathua has informed that the power supply to Gho Brahmana, Radiyan, Manhasa and Duboj Kaka shall remain affected on September 11 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Ankit Gupta takes over as In-charge of BJP Social Media Department



BJP General Secretary (Org.) Ashok Koul felicitating Ankit Gupta.

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JAMMU: Giving prominent role to young talent in politics, Bharatiya Janata Party Jammu & Kashmir unit has

nominated Ankit Gupta as In-charge Social Media Department Jammu & Kashmir last week.

He has been associated

with the party from past many years and has served on many key positions in the party.

Gupta today assumed the charge of his office in a program which was held at Party Head office Trikuta Nagar Jammu in presence of B/JP General Secretary (Org.) Ashok Koul and others leaders.

Ankit Gupta shall be assisted by the professional Social Media management team comprising of Hardeep Singh, Shubham Gupta and Rahul Bhat.

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JAMMU: Nirvana Entertainers on Thursday released a new Dogri song 'Bansi Di Taan' at Rama Palace, Upper Barnai Jammu. The song has been sung by noted singer Dogri Kudi Ridhi Bhagat while Narshotam Maahi has given the lyrics and music has been directed by Rajat Randhawa.

The video has been directed by Ayush Kumar while team Ayush pixel did the camera work and editing of the song.

Actors performed in the video are Ridhi Bhagat,

Dogri Song titled "Bansi Di Taan" released



Nirvana Entertainers members and others releasing Dogri song.

Vipan, Rupali Bhagat, Rakshanda Bhardwaj, Sachin Bhagat and Sandeep Singh. Jannat Sharma and Krishma were the child artists in the video.

The Make-up artist was

Manalika Sharma.

The video has been supported by Jai Jamuna Motors, Satpaul, Balram Sharma and Narinder Kumar Bhagat. The song is available on the official chan-

nel of Nirvana Entertainers on YouTube.

Guests presented on the occasion were Avneet Gupta Business Entrepreneur, Deepak Kumar Singer, Composer and founder Kishore Daa Fan Club Jammu, Roshan Billa Actor Model, Madhuri Raina Aetor Model, Rapper Rehain Prince, Abhishek Abhi Model Actor, Gayatri Raina, Sunny Chopra, Rapper Buntly Bohemia and Channel producer Shaveta Sharma. On the occasion, they released the poster of the song and appealed to the

public to watch and share the song on all social platforms. Avneet Gupta congratulated the whole team of Nirvana Entertainers especially Ridhi Bhagat for promoting Dogri songs and language.

He appealed to the people of Jammu to support the Ridhi Bhagat and stay connected with Dogri artists, culture and language.

Deepak Kumar said that young singers should come forward and determine themselves to sing, write songs in their native language.