

BoDs of Bhaderkashi Fruits Producer Company Limited calls on DC Doda, discusses issues related to marketing & planning



Board members calling on DC Doda Vishesh Paul Mahajan.

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DODA: BoDs of Bhaderkashi Fruits Producer Company Limited led by its Chairman Ramneek Manhas met Deputy Commissioner, Doda, Vishesh Paul Mahajan, at DC office Doda. The BoDs included Sanjay Kotwal, Manmohan Kumar, Yograv Manhas and Nirmal

Singh, who were prominently part of the delegation.

In a press release issued, the chairman Bhaderkashi Fruits Producer Company Limited Ramneek Manhas met the meeting with Deputy Commissioner Doda was fruitful and held in a cordial and friendly atmosphere.

The delegation apprised the

Deputy Commissioner about the problems being faced by the farmers of this hilly region with respect of storage and marketing.

The Deputy Commissioner gave patient hearing and assured that whatever is possible will be done, and also directed the officials concerned to resolve the issues immediately he added.

Further Manhas said that, later the delegation met Area Marketing Officer (AMO) Sunil Singh and discussed the marketing and smooth operation of the scheme for the welfare of the common farmer.

The AMO on its part assured that all necessary assistance would be provided from the Horticulture Planning and Marketing Department he said.

SMVDSB adds Satellite Dental Clinic to healthcare facilities



Anshul Garg, CEO SMVDSB during inauguration of facility.

KATRA: Taking another significant welfare step as per the directions of Lieutenant Governor, JK-UT who is also Chairman, SMVDSB, for the employees and their families stationed at Sanjichatt and adjoining areas, Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine Board established Satellite Dental Healthcare Clinic at Sanjichatt by expanding the dental healthcare facilities now on the track, inaugurated today by Anshul Garg, Chief Executive Officer, SMVDSB. Earlier in 2015, Shrine Board established "Maa Durga Dental Clinic" at Katra for the benefit of staff, pilgrims and community at large.

This newly established clinic in the premises of Medical Unit, Sanjichatt will provide basic dental services like extraction, cleaning of teeth, filling and preventive dental

care to the visiting pilgrims, staff and largely their families stationed at Sanjichatt and adjoining areas. It is well equipped with modern equipment and other allied facilities like one dental chair, dental X-ray machine, sealers, sterilisation equipment and other allied facilities. Dental surgeons, technicians and other staff would be available to address the dental treatments. Provisions are also

made to refer and treat patients at Katra dental clinic for specialized treatments.

Speaking on the occasion, the CEO said that this newly established facility as per the directions of Hon'ble Chairman would benefit about 1200 employees and their families at large stationed at Sanjichatt and adjoining areas like Bhawan, Bhairon Ji, Hinkoti and Adhikwari besides, the visiting

pilgrims. Now, the staff and their families need not climb down to seek medical assistance for oral health problems. The clinic will provide the primary dental care, which would help resolve the dental problems and would go a long way in providing dental care services to promote oral health among staff and their families, he said. He also enumerated various other measures that had already been taken for the general welfare of the shrine board employees.

CEO also interacted with the staff and issued on the spot directions to the concerned for time bound disposal of personnel matters of the employees. He lauded the efforts made by the Shrine Board Staff to ensure greater facilitation of the pilgrims visiting the Shrine of Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Ji. Noteworthy, recently on Raising Day cele

brations of SMVDSB, Lt Governor announced hardship allowance for 1450 SMVDSB employees posted at Higher Altitude.

Besides, CEO thanked Dr. Inder Dhir, a dental surgeon serving in Canada and a devotee of Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Ji, for her support in setting up this dental clinic for the facilitation of pilgrims and staff. The clinic would be visited by Dental Surgeon Dr Oshin, Dr Kritika Rajput, Dr Romi Pandita, and Dr Sakshi Thakur on Tuesday and Wednesday of every 2nd and 4th week of month.

Among those present on the occasion were Dr. Sunil Sharma, Joint CEO; Sudhir Bali, SDM, Bhawan; Chander Parkash, Dy. CEO and Ajay Saini, Assistant CEO, SMVDSB, officers, staff of the Shrine Board, and pilgrims at large.

According to reports, a large number of people came on road and held

Special Summary Revision 2022: DEO Ramban discusses prescribed activities with political representatives

RAMBAN: District Election Officer, Ramban, Muzarrat Islam, on Friday convened a meeting with representatives of political parties to discuss the Special Summary Revision, 2022. Dy. DEO, Lal Chand; Tehsildar Ramban, Rafiq Ahmed; Election Naib Tehsildar Mohan Lal, other officials of the election department also attended the meeting. The DEO informed the representatives of political parties about post delimitation exercises made by the administration including rationalization of polling stations, and the

creation of new polling stations in Ramban and Banial Assembly constituencies of the district. The DEO informed the representatives that Special Summary Revision, 2022 shall be conducted for 40 days and start from September 15, 2022. The DEO stated that any person "attaining the age of 18 years on or before October 1, 2022, and is otherwise qualified to be enrolled as an elector in the Electoral Roll, can apply online or offline mode for his registration during the Special Summary Revision. The DEO urged the political parties to submit the list of their BLAs,

and cooperate with the election staff deputed for SSR in their areas. Responding to the certain issues raised by the representatives regarding the inclusion of news voters, correction in names, duplication of voters, relocation of polling stations, etc, the DEO said that BLOs have been trained and sensitized regarding the Special Summary Revision exercise. He informed that special camps are being held on September 24 and 25 and October 1, 2, 15, and 16, 2022 at all polling stations for the inclusion of newly eligible voters and correction in names.

Police imparts awareness about sexual harassment at work places, domestic violence



SSP Amit Gupta felicitating Neeta Verma (Advocate) State President, Women Protection Human Rights Mission, J&K.

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REASI: In an innovative initiative, District Police Reasi today organized one day awareness camp on Sexual Harassment at work places, Domestic violence, Drug abuse, Human trafficking at DPL Reasi. Around hundred Police Officers and Officials including ladies officers and officials of District Police Reasi participated in the event. During the Programme resource person Neeta Verma (Advocate) State president, Women Protection Human Right Mission, Jammu and Kashmir, delivered an elaborate lecture on the topic of

Sexual Harassment at work places, Domestic violence, Drug abuse, Human trafficking, Legal counselling & Awareness of good Policing & Awareness of good Policing and Public relations through communication skill.

During the programme the resource person explained the definition, types, legal remedies available to address the issues of Sexual Harassment at work place, Domestic violence, Drug abuse and Human trafficking. The role of Police in providing timely protection, and legal aid beside facilitating the dignified rehabilitation of victims of domestic violence.

Sr. Superintendent of Police Reasi, Amit Gupta thanked guest speaker for sparing her valuable time and enlightened Police officer and officials on this topic.

While sharing the details SSP Conveyed that to aware Police Officers and Officials such programs are being organized and hundreds of Officials got benefits from such type of lectures.

At the end a token of appreciation was given to the guest speaker.

Speaking on the occasion, the DDC Chairperson congratulated the general public and said that the Ambulance will augment the emergency Medicare facility and benefit the people of that far-flung area. She also expressed her gratitude to the Deputy Commissioner, CVPPPL and Health Authorities. Meanwhile, District Development Council (DDC) Chairperson Kishtwar Pooja Thakur in presence of Deputy Commissioner (DC) Dr. Devansh Yadav flagged off

"Swasthya Rath" a Mobile Medical Unit to spread awareness about the harmful and fatal effects of the menace of drug abuse under Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan.

The Swasthya Rath fitted with louder speakers shall spread awareness across the host spot areas of District Kishtwar.

Additional District Development Commissioner Kishtwar, Sham Lal, DSWO Kishtwar Zubair Ahmed

CMO Kishtwar Dr. Chander Prakash, Dy. CMO Kishtwar Dr. Balbir Kumar; HOP

Deo Doda briefs political parties about Special Summary Revision 2022

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DODA: District Election Officer Doda Vishesh Paul Mahajan today chaired a meeting of representatives of national and regional political parties, in his office chamber and briefed them about ensuring Special Summary Revision 2022.

The participants were informed that the special summary revision 2022 is going to start from September 15 and would continue till October 25, 2022. The schedule for holding special camps and constituency wise list of polling stations along with a list of BLOs and their contacts were also shared with the representatives of polling parties.

The DEO urged them to extend their cooperation to

the District Election Authority to ensure 100% enrollment of new voters. The Political parties were urged to appoint the Booth Level Agents to conduct error free exercise of enrollment, addition, deletion, and transposition.

The representatives of polling parties also submitted their feedback and suggestions. The DEO assured to consider their suggestions and conduct of free, fair and transparent electoral exercise.

Meanwhile, Dy DEO, Anresh Kotwal also briefed the participants about the activity schedule of Special Summary Revision 2022 and scheduled dates of polling station level Special campaign, besides the measures

being adopted by the District Election Authority to generate mass awareness through different mediums.

"For error free enrollment of new voters the First schedule of training of BLOs have been completed for cent per cent registration of persons attaining the age of 18 years as on 1st October 2022, besides processing of electoral forms like 6,6B,7 and 8," the Dy DEO informed the participants. He further briefed them about citizens portal www.nvsp.in for corrections, deletions and transposition and to download Voter Helpline App for Aadhaar seeding that will be available for both Android and IOS users. ADC, Dr R K Bharti; ENT Angraz Singh also attended the meeting.

GDC Thannamandi organises seminar on role of teachers

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THANNAMANDI: Department of Islamic Studies, Govt. Degree College Thannamandi organized one day Intra College Seminar on the topic "The Role of Teachers in Infusing Moral and Ethical Values among the Students" as a part of weeklong series of events being organized to commemorate Shikshak Parv (Teachers' Day). The event was organized in collaboration with NSS and Literary Activities Committee under the aegis of IQAC and under the patronage of the principal of the college, Dr. Farooq Ahmed. The programme started with welcome address by Dr. Waheed Qazi, Lecturer, Department of Islamic Studies who also conducted the proceedings of the event. Six number of students presented their talks in the seminar and from them 1st and 2nd positions were clinched by Najam Un Nissa and Sahiba Koser of semester 2nd semester whereas the 3rd position was secured by Rajab Ul Sadeeq of 4th semester. The jury members of the programme were Prof. Ajaz Nazir, Head, Department of Physics, Dr. Khalid Rayaz, Head, Department of Geography and Dr. Altaf Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry. A total of 86 students and 13 No. of faculty members participated in this event. The principal lauded the efforts put in by the Department of Islamic Studies in organizing such an event and making it a success. He stressed upon the need to organize such events in future also. While speaking at the event, he urged the students to inculcate moral values in their lives. At the end, the formal vote of thanks was presented by Prof. Mudasir Majeed, Head, Department of Islamic Studies.

GDC Dudu Basantgarh conducts symposium on 'Life & Works of Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan'

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DUDU BASANTGARH: Govt. Degree College Dudu Basantgarh on Friday conducted a Symposium and also displayed a Documentary on the "Life and Works of Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan".

stature of a teacher gets highest reverence and respect. Mohd Azad and Sonali Devi, who shared 2nd and 3rd spot respectively, also bring into light the excellence and greatness of Dr Radhakrishnan.

While speaking on the occasion, principal of the college Dr Bhavaish Chand reiterated on the importance and significance of a teacher in our life. He said that teacher is the one who bears the permanent mark on the overall personality of a student. Hence, a teacher teaches not only in the classroom but he works as a torch bearer for the whole future of his students. Prof. Vijay Kumar also asked the

Vanshu Bargotra's mysterious death: Residents stage protest, block road



Locals staging protest at Udhampur.

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UDHAMPUR: "Udhampur police utterly failed to solve the murder mystery of Vanshu. They blocked the road and disrupted traffic movement. Raised slogans against police, protesters said that despite passing of 24 days, police failed to solve Vanshu's murder case and investigation is going on snail pace. They urged Govt. to handover case to CBI to bring out truth.

Munish Kumar, Damini Sharma, Harjot Singh among others recited their poems on the said theme. They recited informative and inspirational poems emphasizing the negative effects of drugs.

Principal of the college appreciated the efforts of DDRC convener and students in creating awareness through different activities in the college.

Book reading, debate competition held at Govt GLDM Degree College Hiranagar



Faculty along with students during the event.

Competition was organized in which Tanish bagged 1st position, Ganakshi stood 2nd and Reema clinched 3rd position. Jury Members were Prof. Sujat Khan, Prof. Gurdayal, Prof. Arun Kumar.

The Book Reading Competition was organised on day 4 in which Sushil

Rana bagged First position, Mansi bagged 2nd and Payal Jasrotia bagged 3rd position, while Meenakshi got consolation prize. Jury members were Dr. Rajesh Sharma, Dr. Neeru Devi Anand, and Dr. Preeti Verma.

On the last day of celebration, students presented a scintillating dance and Singing programme. Certificates were distributed among the winners and participants. The Programme was organised under able guidance of Dr Pragya Khan, Chief Patron and Principal of the College.

The programme was coordinated by Prof. Sujat Khan, (Coordinator IQAC); Dr. Davinder Kour, convener Cultural Committee and Prof. Rakesh Sharma, Programme Officer, NSS Dr. Sukhdeep Singh, ANO NCC.

Others present on the occasion were Prof. Parveen, Prof. Ajay, Prof. Manjot, Prof. Bhavana, Dr. Anju, Dr. Jyoti, Prof. Kiran, Dr. Chinky, Prof. Ritika, Dr. Arun, Prof. Arvind, Prof. Anil, Prof. Nidhi, Dr. Arun, Prof. Neha, Prof. Kamlesh, Prof. Bharat, Prof. Mukesh, Mrs. Ritu, Mr. Vikram.

Week-long 'Shikshak Parv' concludes: Padam Shree Prof Shiv Dutt Nirmohi felicitated at GCW Udhampur

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UDHAMPUR: The weeklong series of events to commemorate the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan as Shikshak Parv (Teachers' Day) observed under the aegis of Read and Lead Club in collaboration with Department of Music, Govt. College for Women Udhampur, culminated today with a felicitation ceremony. Padam Shree Prof. Shiv Dutt Nirmohi was the chief guest on the occasion. The felicitation ceremony began with the formal welcome address by the Principal of the college Dr. Monika Sharma. She extended warm greetings to Prof. Nirmohi on behalf of the entire staff and students of the College. While addressing the students, the Principal stressed to follow the footprints of such renowned and celebrated personalities to make their life meaningful and worthy of living. Earlier, Dr. Mool Raj, convener Read and Lead Club briefed the audience about the life, contribution and achievements of Prof. Shiv Nirmohi as a laureate of literature particularly in the field of Dogri and Hindi literature. He also familiarized the gathering about the milestones in the journey of Prof. Nirmohi from a teacher to recipient of Padamshri award. In his address, as the chief guest, Prof. Nirmohi said that to be a good student, teacher and human being one must have a supreme sense of nationalism and nationhood. He remarked that an ideal teacher is one

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