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NOTICE

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STATE TIMES

Sakeena Itoo attends Blood Donation & Wellness Camp at Srinagar

Calls for maximum participation of youth in this selfless cause



Health Minister, Sakeena Itoo at Blood Donation & Wellness Camp at Gindun Stadium Rajbagh.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

SRINAGAR: Minister for Health and Medical Education, Social Welfare and Education, Sakeena Itoo on Sunday emphasized on the importance of blood donation drives, underlining that these drives are 'a lifeline that can save countless lives during emergencies, medical procedures and natural disasters'. The Minister made these remarks while speaking at a Blood Donation & Wellness Camp at Gindun Stadium Rajbagh here, organised by Team Red NGO in collaboration with Jammu and Kashmir Sports Council (JKSC) and SKIMS Soura.

Advisor to Chief Minister, Nasir Aslam Wani; MLA Lal Chowk, Sheikh Ahsan Pardesi; Secretary JKSC, healthcare professionals, members of Team Red NGO and large number of youth were also present on the occasion.

In her address, the Health Minister underscored the critical importance of regular blood donation drives, describing them as essential for saving lives during crucial times. She highlighted that voluntary blood donation is not only a noble act of charity but also a civic duty that strengthens the resilience of the healthcare system.

Highlighting the urgent need for increased public awareness, the Health Minister called upon individuals, corporate entities, and community organizations to actively participate in and promote such initiatives. She stressed on the importance of conducting such drives in every nook and corner of the valley, taking on board educational institutions at district and block levels.

"Every unit of blood donated can be a difference between life and death for a patient in critical need," the

Minister remarked, urging citizens, especially youth to overcome apprehensions and come forward for this selfless cause.

Reaffirming the Government's commitment to upgradation of healthcare facilities, the Minister said that we are committed to assist such efforts and facilitate all those who come forward for these noble causes. She further said that the strengthening of medical care facilities at grass roots level remains the priority of Omar Abdullah led Government, adding that in recent months the Government has amplified medical care facilities from block and district levels.

The Minister also lauded the organisers for organizing this Blood Donation and Wellness Camp, while calling for sustained efforts form one and all towards building a healthier and more responsible society.

Department of Environmental Sciences organises Aurora 2025-Orientation Programme

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: The Department of Environmental Sciences, Central University of Jammu organized Aurora-2025 its Orientation Programme under the esteemed patronage of Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain, at the Brig. Rajinder Singh (MVC) Auditorium. The event commenced with a traditional lamp-lighting ceremony accompanied by a soulful rendition of Saraswati Vandana by the students of the department.

A formal welcome address was delivered by Dr. Shweta Yadav, Associate Dean, International Affairs, Warden, SB Girls Hostel and a faculty of the department thanking Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain and other dignitaries for sparing their valuable time and gracing the occasion.

Head of the Department



Vice Chancellor CUJ, Prof. Sanjeev Jain with others releasing magazine Envirosphere (Paryavarnia Sameeksha).

Prof. Richa Kothari felicitated Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain and other dignitaries Prof. Sunil Dhar, Dean School of Life Sciences and Prof. Deepak Pathania, Senior Faculty, Department of Environmental Sciences.

In his presidential remarks Prof. Sanjeev Jain, appreciated the efforts of the faculty and motivated students of the department to pursue excellence in their academics through devotion, dedication, sincerity and smart hard work

with innovative approach.

Earlier in the programme, Dr. Ankit Tandon, Associate Professor of the department gave an insightful orientation address covering vision, faculty diversity, facilities available and programs offered by the department. Thereafter, Prof. Richa Kothari highlighted the significant achievements of the department in diverse areas such as research, publications, fellowships, collaborations, curriculum innovations including

value-added, skill enhancement and ability enhancement courses, as well as departmental initiatives like Ecogiri, workshops, and conferences.

Sharing his words of wisdom, Prof. Deepak Pathania encouraged the students to balance academic pursuits with co-curricular engagements, while also reflecting on responsibilities and personal growth. This was followed by an impressive and comprehensive student-led presenta-

tion by. Tanya Chander (M.Sc. Semester III), showcasing the department's activities. Prof. Sunil Dhar in his blissful remarks, emphasized the importance of perseverance and dedication.

A key highlight of the event was the launch of the departmental magazine Envirosphere (Paryavarnia Sameeksha), released by VC along with the faculty members and the editorial team, marking yet another milestone in the department's academic journey. The programme concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks proposed by Dr. Dinesh Kumar, faculty of the department.

The event was witnessed by students, research scholars and non-teaching staff of the department with vibrant participation, making the Orientation Programme 2025 a memorable beginning for the academic session.

Movement Kalki reaches out to landslide-hit families in Soondhla, demands permanent rehabilitation

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

UDHAMPUR: Movement Kalki on Sunday extended relief to the landslide-affected families of Soondhla village, Tehsil Majalta, District Udhampur, where heavy rains and subsequent landsliding left several families devastated. The programme was presided over by Yog Guru Vijay Krishna Parashar Ji Maharaj and Shri Anil Arora Ji.

According to reports, 13 houses were completely washed away, while 32 households in total were affected. Nearly 250 villagers have been forced to live in temporary tents. Acting swiftly on an appeal made by village Sarpanch Raman Khajuria, Movement Kalki members rushed to the site and distributed ration among the displaced families.

Addressing the gathering, Yog Guru Vijay Krishna Parashar Ji Maharaj expressed deep concern over the plight of the victims. "This disaster has shaken the lives of many innocent villagers. In such times, it is the responsibility of every individual and organization to come forward for seva (service). Movement Kalki will continue to stand by these families until they are permanently rehabilitated. We appeal to the government to urgently provide

them with proper housing, warm clothes, and all necessary facilities before the winter sets in," he said.

During the programme, Movement Kalki also demanded permanent rehabilitation for the affected families and urged the authorities to make urgent arrangements for distribution of woollen clothes, blankets, and other relief material to protect them from the approaching cold season.

At present, the villagers are taking shelter under makeshift sheds arranged through local efforts. While tents, drinking water, and sanitary facilities have been provided by the administration, the families continue to wait for long-term relief measures and safe housing.

Prominent among those present on the occasion were Bhupinder Singh Laddi, Vikas Sharma, Pritam Singh, Ajit Singh, Ramesh Khajuria, Santosh Devi, Om Prakash, besides several other dignitaries and villagers.

Movement Kalki reaffirmed its commitment to stand firmly with the affected families in this hour of crisis and appealed to the government to act swiftly to ensure their safety, dignity, and permanent rehabilitation.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: In a compassionate response to the recent floods that have affected several areas in Jammu, the Department of Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan (SBAM), Jammu & Kashmir UT, under the leadership of UT Convenor Er. Dil Bahadur Singh and Co-Convenor Er. T. K. Sharma, organized a relief distribution drive on Sunday. The initiative was carried out in collaboration with the Late Girdhari Lal Dogra Trust, represented by Nidhi Sharma and Munish Dogra.

The relief materials, including blankets, clothing, food grains, sugar, tea packets, and cooking oil, were distributed among flood-affected families of Lower Harijan Mohallah,



BJP Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan team distributing relief materials to flood affected families.

Ward No. 68, Ratnuchak, falling under the R. S. Pura Constituency.

The event witnessed the presence of Er. S. K. Zailpuri (District Convenor, SBAM Jammu), Er. Rajinder Bali, Er. Rajiv Padha, and BJP Shakti Kendra Pramukh Raj Kumar.

Speaking on the occasion, Er. Dil Bahadur Singh highlighted the damage caused by the recent torrential rains and assured continued support to the affected families. He praised the dedication of SBAM volunteers who have been tirelessly distributing relief supplies across vari-

ous flood-hit areas of Jammu over the past several days.

Co-Convenor Er. T. K. Sharma emphasized that the objective of the drive was not only to provide essential items but also to show solidarity with the families suffering due to the disaster. He urged civil

society members and NGOs to come forward and contribute to this humanitarian cause. He also thanked the volunteers and the Dogra Trust for their invaluable support.

Nidhi Dogra Sharma, trustee of the Late Girdhari Lal Dogra Trust, reiterated the Trust's commitment to standing with the public during difficult times. She lauded the Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan volunteers for their unwavering service and affirmed that the Trust would continue extending help to flood victims in all possible ways.

The collaborative effort exemplified community spirit and demonstrated how joint initiatives can bring timely relief to those in need.

Dr Narinder announces Rs 1 Cr aid for flood relief

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: BJP National Secretary and MLA Dr. Narinder Singh on Sunday declared a contribution of Rs 1 Crore to intensify relief and rehabilitation measures for those affected by the recent floods.

The announcement was made at the BJP headquarters in Trikuta Nagar, Jammu, in the presence of BJP National General Secretary & J&K Prabhari Tarun Chugh, J&K BJP President Sat Sharma, MP (Lok Sabha) Jugal Kishore Sharma, along with several senior party functionaries.

The allocated amount will be directed towards restoration and reconstruction of essential public infrastructure and addressing the



MLA Dr. Narinder Singh for releasing Rs 1 Crore.

large-scale destruction caused by continuous rains, flash floods, and other calamities that have disrupted daily life and livelihoods across the Union Territory.

Commending the initiative, Tarun Chugh stressed that the disaster has inflicted severe hardship and it is the

duty of public representatives to extend prompt and effective assistance. He further said that the BJP has always stood by its principle of "service before self," and this contribution is a true embodiment of that commitment.

Sat Sharma underlined

that BJP legislators and leaders are working hand in hand with the affected population, not only ensuring urgent relief but also focusing on sustainable rehabilitation. He reiterated that the party will remain steadfast with every citizen in this difficult time and will ensure continued support until normalcy returns.

Dr. Narinder Singh explained that this financial support is more than a monetary allocation, it symbolizes the party's solidarity with the people. He stressed that rebuilding damaged infrastructure and restoring livelihoods remain the foremost objectives and assured that the resources will be utilized entirely for the benefit of the affected families.

PM Package Association Mattan observes 'Balidan Diwas', pays tributes to martyrs

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

ANANTNAG: The PM Package Association (KMR) on Saturday observed Balidan Diwas with solemnity and paid rich tributes to Tika Lal Taploo, the former BJP vice president and a prominent Kashmiri Pandit (KP) leader who was martyred on this day in Srinagar by Pakistan-trained terrorists.

The event also honoured the memory of thousands of other KP martyrs, security personnel, and nationalist individuals who have laid down their lives fighting terrorism

across Jammu and Kashmir over the years.

As part of the observance, PM Package employees working in Mattan distributed sweet water among the people, symbolizing peace and remembrance. The gesture was received with emotional participation from the community, reflecting their deep attachment to the legacy and sacrifice of their martyrs.

Speaking on the occasion, Ranjan Jotshi, President of the Association, stated that September 14 is not just a day of remembrance but a

solemn pledge. "Balidan Diwas is a source of inspiration, a reminder to the community to stand united in the face of historical injustice and preserve our identity with unwavering resolve," he said.

He emphasized that since 1989, Kashmiri Hindus have observed this day as Kashmiri Hindu Martyrs Day to remember the persecution faced by the community. "We pay homage to the brave men and women, and the soldiers of Indian security forces, who sacrificed their lives to protect us," he added.

Jotshi hailed the bold

steps taken by the country's leadership, particularly the abrogation of Article 370 and 35A, as corrective measures to historic wrongs. "A new phase has begun, one where national interest is being upheld," he said.

However, he appealed to the Government to urgently address the concerns of displaced Kashmiri Pandits, terming them the worst victims of terrorism, ethnic cleansing, and genocide. He insisted that no decision regarding their future should be taken without their active involvement.

ADGP Armed inaugurates 'Jashn-e-Dal 2025' at SKICC Srinagar

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

SRINAGAR: The Additional Director General of Police (ADGP), Armed J&K, Anand Jain, on Sunday inaugurated "Jashn-e-Dal 2025" at the back lawns of SKICC, Srinagar.

The event drew enthusiastic participation from water sports athletes, youth, and dignitaries from across the Valley.

In his inaugural address, Anand Jain emphasized the importance of sports and physical activities in shaping the future of the younger generation.

He urged the youth to adopt constructive pursuits like sports while steering clear of drug abuse, highlighting that such events foster discipline, unity, and positive growth.

Describing Jashn-e-Dal as a festival of water sports, tourism, and healthy living, the ADGP noted that, it has grown into a platform for connecting communities, inspiring youth, and strengthening police-public relations.



This initiative, which began in 1999, has now become an annual feature of Kashmir's sporting calendar. This year, dragon boat races have been introduced for the first time, adding to the excitement. More than 700 participants are competing across 20 disciplines, many of which feature in the Asian Games, Olympics, and national-level champi-

onships,

Jain lauded the enthusiasm of participants, especially the youngest athletes aged 8 and 9 years, who showcased remarkable zeal and talent.

On the occasion, Jain also announced that the first week of October will witness the All India Judo Cluster in Srinagar, with expected participation of around 3,000 athletes all across the country.

Among others the function was also attended by, Uttam Chan, IGP Headquarters PHQ, V. K. Birdi, IGP Kashmir Zone, Vivek Gupta, IGP Railways, Suleman Chowdhary IGP Traffic J&K, Rayes Ahmed Bhat, DIG CID, Sheikh Junaid Mehmood, DIG IRP Kashmir, G.V Sandeep Chakravathy, SSP Srinagar Dalip Kumar SSP SO to ADGP Armed, J&K, Commandants of Srinagar-based battalions, Munir Ahmad, SSP APCR Kmr along with several senior Police and civil officers.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

BANI: "It is a proud moment not just for Bani but for the entire Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir. Anekh Devi's remarkable selection in the Indian Women's Blind Cricket Team for the upcoming World Cup is an inspiration for all. Her journey proves that talent from even the remotest corners can shine on the world stage if given the right encouragement," said Dr. Rameshwar Singh, MLA Bani, while extending heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to Anekh and her family.

Anekh Devi, daughter of Bachiter Singh and resident



of Machhedi (Bajohi), Tehsil Lohi Malhar, has brought immense pride to her native region, Kathua district, and the entire Union Territory with her selection in the Indian Women's Blind Cricket Team for the upcoming World Cup.

Belonging to a remote and hilly area, Anekh's success story is one of determination, resilience, and unwavering passion for cricket despite several challenges.

Dr. Rameshwar Singh further added, "I wholeheartedly congratulate Anekh on this achievement. She is a true role model for our youth, particularly young girls from rural backgrounds, who now have an example to follow. I pray for her success in the World Cup and am confident she will bring laurels to the nation as well as J&K."

Describing her achievement as a landmark moment in the sports history of the

region, Dr. Rameshwar stressed that her selection has proved how perseverance can overcome limitations and open new horizons.

"Prime Minister Narendra Modi has often highlighted the rising achievements of girls in sports, praising them as symbols of India's growing strength and progress. He has repeatedly emphasized that daughters of the nation are excelling globally, breaking barriers, and inspiring society with their determination and hard work. Anekh's selection stands as a proud example of this vision," Dr. Rameshwar said.