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HP Guv visits renowned Geeta Press, Gorakhpur

GORAKHPUR : Himachal Pradesh Governor Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar on Friday visited the famous Gita Press, Gorakhpur.

Singh said the press has been spreading the fragrance of spirituality all over the country and world. Gita Press has spread the fragrance (of spirituality) in the world and country and due to the press, the books which were once rare are readily available," he said.

In the Press visitor's book, Governor Arlekar wrote that Gita Press, Gorakhpur is going to celebrate the centenary year of its working period and it has played a vital role in spreading culture and nationalism.

Home Secretary reviews Amarnath Yatra preparations

NEW DELHI: Union

Home Secretary Ajay Kumar Bhalla on Friday held a high-level meeting to review the security preparedness for Amarnath Yatra as the annual pilgrimage is all set to commence on June 30 after a gap of two years. Bhalla convened the meeting at the Home Ministry with officials concerned with the Ministry of Home Affairs and Jammu and Kashmir administration, senior state police officers and Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) Director General Kuldeep Singh, Border Security Force (BSF) Chief Pankaj Singh as well as Army officers.

2 militants killed in Bandipora

SRINAGAR: Security forces shot dead two unidentified militants during a gun battle in Jammu and Kashmir's Bandipora district, police said on Friday. This is the second gunfight in the last two days. On May 11, a local militant, believed to have infiltrated from Pakistan recently, was killed at the Salinder forest area of Bandipora. The latest latest gunfight broke out at Brar Argam. "As the search party proceeded towards the suspected spot, the hidden terrorists fired indiscriminately, which was retaliated effectively leading to an encounter.

Apex Court refuses to stop Gyanvapi Mosque survey

NEW DELHI: The

Supreme Court on Friday refused to stop the Gyanvapi Mosque survey. This comes after the Anjumam Intezamia Masjid Committee approached the apex court seeking direction to put a stay on the survey of the Mosque complex, which is adjacent to the famous Kashi Vishwanath Temple in Varanasi. Senior advocate Huzefa Ahmadi mentioned the matter before a bench headed by Chief Justice of India NV Ramana asking to order status quo in the case pending before the Varanasi civil court.

Pb police cracks RPG attack, Canada based gangster Lakhbir Landa is mastermind

BUREAU CHANDIGARH, MAY 13:

Punjab Police on Friday managed to crack the Rocket Propelled Grenade (RPG) attack case with Canada-based gangster Lakhbir Singh alias Landa has been emerged out as the key handler, who provided RPG, AK-47 and local network of criminals for logistic support to carry out the terror attack at Punjab Police Intelligence Headquarters in Mohali on Monday evening. Landa (33), who is native of Tarn Taran and fled to Canada in 2017 is a close aide of Pakistan-based wanted gangster Harvinder Singh alias Rinda and had joined hands with Babbar Khalsa International (BKI).

Director General of Police (DGP) Punjab VK Bhawra, while addressing a Press Conference at Punjab Police Headquarters here, said that the Police have also arrested six persons for their involvement in planning and providing the local logistic support to the attackers for carrying out the attack.

Those arrested have been identified as Nishan Singh of village Kulla in Bhikhiwind, Tarn Taran; Jagdeep Singh Kang of Wave Estate in Sector 85, SAS Nagar; Kanwarjit Singh alias Kanwar Bath (40) of Gumtala in Amritsar; Baljinder Singh alias Rambo (41) of Patti, Tarn



Taran; Baljit Kaur alias Sukhi (50) of Kot Khalsa, Amritsar and Anant Deep Singh alias Sonu (32) of Guru Nanak Colony, Amritsar, he said, while adding that two cars including SUV Toyota Fortuner and Hatchback Maruti Swift has also been recovered from their possession. Earlier, the sleeve of the RPG was also recovered.

Pertinently, Nishan was arrested by the Faridkot police on May 11, 2022 in Arms Act case and he is on police remand till May 16, 2022.

The DGP, who was accompanied by ADGP Internal Security RN Dhoke and SSP Mohali Vivek Sheel

Soni said that Landa took the help of Nishan and his other accomplice identified as Charat Singh of Khemkaran for carrying out RPG attack at the Intelligence HQs and being a local resident, Jagdeep helped Charat in conducting recce of the Intelligence Office on Monday morning. On Monday evening, Charat and his two aides, who are yet to be identified, had carried out an RPG attack at the Intelligence HQs at about 7.42pm, he said.

DGP Bhawra said that initially Charat had provided hideouts to two attackers and later, he handed over them to Nishan, who had arranged

their stay for their stay at residence of Kanwarjit Bath and Baljit Kaur in Amritsar from April 27, 2022 to May 7, 2022. Nishan had also retrieved RPG from the earmarked location on Kulla-Patti road on the directions of Landa, he added.

He said that Baljinder Rambo, who was arrested in NDPS cases and is a drug addict, had delivered the consignment of AK-47 to Charat and his two aides on the directions of Nishan. Anant Deep is a brother-in-law of Nishan and used to assist in providing logistic support, he said.

The DGP said that the Punjab Police have been on manhunt to arrest Charat, who is serving life sentence in a murder case and is out on parole, and his two accomplices. "Soon trio attackers will be arrested," he said.

He informed that the Police have also brought Mohd. Nasim Alam and Mohd. Sharaf Raj, both residents of district Auraiya in Bihar for questioning from Noida as they were found to be in touch with two unknown attackers.

Meanwhile, the FIR No. 236 dated 09.05.2022 had already been registered under section 307 of the Indian Penal Code (IPC) and relevant sections of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act and Explosive Substance Act at Police Station Sohana in SAS Nagar.

4 die as bus carrying Vaishno Devi pilgrims catches fire near Katra



BUREAU JAMMU, MAY 13

At least four persons died on Friday after a bus carrying pilgrims to the Vaishno Devi shrine caught fire near Katra in Reasi district of Jammu & Kashmir. As many as 22 others were injured.

According to reports, the bus was carrying a large number of pilgrims to Jammu when it caught fire near No-

mai, about 3km from Katra. Officials said the injured were rushed to the hospital.

Katra is the base camp for pilgrims visiting the famed Vaishno Devi shrine.

Additional director general (ADG) of police, Jammu zone, Mukesh Singh, told reporters initial probe did not point to use of any explosive, adding a forensic team was looking into the cause of the fire.

Sharad Pawar praises Pakistan's hospitality at Eid Milan programme in Pune

PUNE, MAY 13

Addressing a gathering during the Eid-Milan programme in Pune's Kondhawa on Thursday evening, the Nationalist Congress Party (NCP) Chief Sharad Pawar praised the commoners in Pakistan and their hospitality. Recalling his visit to Karachi for a cricket match, he said, "I remember that we had taken our cricket team to Karachi and after finishing the match, the players told me that they want to see some parts of Pakistan, where we headed to a restaurant...

Site of medical college marked in Panchkula

BUREAU

CHANDIGARH: The way

has been cleared for the establishment of a medical college in Panchkula. For this, the Haryana Urban Development Authority has sent a proposal to the Medical Education Department by marking 30.51 acres of land in Sector 32, adjacent to the Ghaggar river. Haryana Assembly Speaker Gian Chand Gupta held a special meeting with the Additional Chief Secretaries of the Health Department and Medical Education and Research Department on Friday and took a progress report on the project. Both the officials said that the state government is serious about the construction of a medical college in this Panchkula and they are preparing to start MBBS classes here from next year. The Civil Hospital, Sector 6, Panchkula will be linked with the new Medical College.

On the demand of Gian Chand Gupta, Chief Minister Manohar Lal had announced plans to build a medical college in the city in the Jan Vikas Maha Rally held in



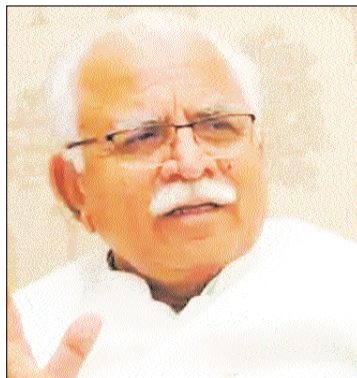
Panchkula on 10th April. Earlier, the speaker had instructed the officials of Haryana Urban Development Authority to identify the land for the medical college. On Friday, to expedite the work, in the Legislative Assembly Secretariat, Additional Chief Secretary of Health Department Rajiv Arora and Additional Chief Secretary of Medical Education and Research held a meeting with Anupama. These officers showed the map of 30.51 acres of land identified by Haryana Urban Development Authority in Sector 32 of Panchkula to the Vis Chairman. This land is about one kilometer away from the main road on the left after crossing the Ghaggar bridge while going from Majri Chowk to Yamunanagar National Highway.

Now Arms Licence applications will be online in Hry : CM

BUREAU CHANDIGARH, MAY 13

Taking another step towards making maximum use of Information Technology in citizen services, Haryana Chief Minister, Sh. Mahohar Lal has given the go ahead to the process of making Arms Licence online.

The Chief Minister was presiding over the review meeting regarding Arms Licence here today. In the meeting, the Chief Minister directed that the application process of arms licence should be linked with the Parivar Pehchan Patra (PPP). For this, NIC, Citizen Resource Information Department and Home Department will work together. In the meeting, the Chief Minister was assured that the



entire process will be completed in two months and the portal could be launched on July

Sonia targets PM at Cong's Chintan Shivir, says minorities being 'brutalised'

AGENCY UDAIPUR, MAY 13

Congress chief Sonia Gandhi on Friday launched a blistering attack on Prime Minister Narendra Modi, charging that it has become clear that his mantra of 'minimum government, maximum governance' means keeping the country in a permanent state of polarisation, "brutalising" minorities and "threatening" political opponents.

In her inaugural address at the party's



'Chintan Shivir' here, she urged delegates to deliberate with an open mind and send out a clear message of strong organisation and unity.

She said the Shivir is also an occasion to deliberate on the many challenges ahead of us and bring organisational changes.

It is both 'Chintan' about national issues and meaningful 'aamachintan' (self-introspection) about our party organisation, she said.

Chamba to be developed as a heritage town: Anurag Thakur

AGENCY CHAMBA (HP), MAY 13

Union Minister for Information and Broadcasting Anurag Thakur on Friday proposed to develop Chamba as heritage town to lure tourists from the world over to increase its earnings. He said a heritage walk can be started by identifying heritage buildings in Chamba so that more and more tourists visit this beautiful place. He promised to take the art, craft, and culture of Chamba to a world level to attract more tourists here. Speaking at a program on National Urban Livelihood Mission & Youth Incentive at Chowgan in Chamba, he said that the Prime Minister has already declared it an aspi-



ration district and in the coming years it would be far ahead of the developed districts in the country. While highlighting the overall development initiated in the state and here in Chamba by double engine govern-

ments of the Centre and the state by spending crores of rupees on various projects, Thakur said that in a coming couple of years no kuchha house would be left in the state. He enlisted many development projects like under construction medical college at a cost of Rs 500 crores and schemes including providing drinking water facility, road connectivity, etc. He praised the youth of the country for starting startups and turning disaster into opportunity during the Corona pandemic. He said that more than 100 such startups have now become Unicorn companies. He said it is this youth power with whom the Prime Minister wants to make a New India. Thakur who also holds the charge of Sports and Youth Affairs Minister an-

nounced to the construction of five indoor stadiums in all five Vidhan Sabha constituencies in Chamba besides 10 multi-gymnasiums in each constituency soon so that the youth can train themselves to become good sportsmen. He distributed sports kits also. During the program, Thakur visited all the stalls set up by self-help groups (SHGs) at the venue and asked the district administration to develop special counters at hotels where these groups can keep their products for easy availability to tourists and others. Earlier, he honored SHGs, Association making Organic Farm Products, artists and others attached with the theme song on Beti Bachao Beti Padhao launched by him.

SBI Q4 profit jumps 41 pc to Rs 9,114 cr on fall in bad loans

NEW DELHI: The country's largest lender SBI on Friday reported a 41 per cent surge in standalone net profit at Rs 9,114 crore for the fourth quarter ended March 2022, helped by decline in bad loans. State Bank of India (SBI) had registered a profit of Rs 6,451 crore during January-March period of 2020-21, the lender said in a regulatory filing. Total income of the bank during the March quarter increased marginally to Rs 82,613 crore, from Rs 81,327 crore in the same period of the previous fiscal.

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National Lok Adalat to be held today

RANVIR PARASHAR
KAITHAL: According to the directive of Haryana State Legal Services Authority and under the supervision of District Legal Services Authority, Kaithal, Chairman and Sessions Judge Naresh Katyal, National Lok Adalat will be organized in the judicial complex on 14th May 2022. In this Lok Adalat, Naresh Katyal, District and Sessions Judge Gagandeep Kaur, Additional District and Sessions Judge and Chief Justice of Family Court, Natasha Sharma, Additional District and Sessions Judge Pravesh Singla, Civil Judge (Senior Division) Rajni Kaushal, Chief Judicial Magistrate Ashwani Gupta Civil Judge (Junior Division) Kaithal and Isha Garg Civil Judge (Junior Division) at Guhla Division will be in attendance. Danish Gupta, Chief Judicial Magistrate and Secretary, District Legal Services Authority said that under this National Lok Adalat, help desks have been set up to assist the visitors in the district courts. This National Lok Adalat covers pre-litigation matters including criminal NI Act, bank recovery, motor vehicle, about related dispute cases, revenue case among other matters pending in various courts. If any person wants to get his case / dispute settled through Lok Adalat, then he can contact the concerned court or the District Legal Services Authority, Kaithal Helpline no. 01746-235759of District Legal Services Authority. One can consult regarding any legal or social problem.

Dhuman Singh holds meeting for cleaning of Saraswati heritage



SAVITA BILASPUR: On Friday, the Deputy Chairman directed Nitin Bhatt of Axon Saraswati Heritage Development, regarding the cleaning of Saraswati heritage Adibadri in PWD Rest House, to get the roads of Saraswati heritage Adibadri paved so that any person can walk easily. He said that special care should be taken of cleanliness in the villages adjoining the Saraswati heritage Adibadri so that the water of Saraswati heritage can run without any hindrance. He said that a service committee has been constituted for this. He told that the work of cleaning the Saraswati heritage, the work of the link and the road should be completed by 2024. We should celebrate this work like a festival. On this occasion Traders Welfare Board Chairman Ram Niwas Garg, Saraswati Heritage Board members Neeraj Jain, Rajni Prakash, Rishipal, and media in-charge Kapil Manish Garg and Bharatiya Janata Party worker Sanjeev Garg were present.

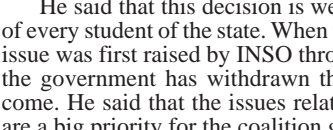
Moong Khet Day organised in village Ratangarh

SAVITA BILASPUR: Dr. NK Goyal, Senior Scientist and Adviser of the Centre emphasised on planting moong and other pulse crops instead of paddy so that exploitation of water is reduced. Dr. Sadeep Rawal, the coordinator of the centre, while making aware about the importance of water conservation, spoke about direct transplantation of paddy and provided information about the diseases and their prevention in moong. Dr. Aradhana Baid, Scientist of Agronomy informed the farmers about various new crop rotations. He also made farmers aware about weed control. Dr. Ashma Khan, Home Science while giving nutritional information to the farmers said that a balanced diet is important for our body, to make up for the lack of blood, green leafy vegetables and their consumption according to the season. On this occasion, Vishal Goyal gave information related to green manure and indigenous manure in soil testing and maintaining soil health. He said that due to wheat-paddy crop rotation, the fertility of the soil is decreasing while the health of the field is maintained by the pulse crops. We emphasized on using moong as green manure.

Taking back the decision to give loans to varsities welcome: Neeraj

RINKU GONDAR NISSING, MAY 13

Jannayak Janata Party's INSO National Co-Secretary Neeraj Guniyana has welcomed the withdrawal of the decision of the state government not to give loans to universities instead of grants. Neeraj Guniyana said that our universities are very important to enable the next generations and for this government grants are also very important. He said that with this decision the infrastructure in the universities will be strengthened and the quality of education will also increase. He said that the student organisation of his party has been continuously raising the issues related to education and students. Neeraj Guniyana said that INSO has been continuously raising issues related to education and students with the government. He said that this decision is welcome and it is the victory of every student of the state. When this decision was taken, the issue was first raised by INSO through proper channels. Now the government has withdrawn this decision which is welcome. He said that the issues related to education and youth are a big priority for the coalition government.



HARYANA

YUGMARG, CHANDIGARH, SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2022

Those who transport goods illegally in state will be punished: Dy CM

CHANDIGARH, MAY 13-

Haryana Deputy Chief Minister, Sh. Dushyant Chautala said that those who transport goods illegally in Haryana will be cracked down. Strict action will be taken against such violators who will be caught carrying goods in a commercial vehicle without paying any tax. During such vehicle inspections, there will be a team of police force which will accompany the officers of the Taxation Department. He added that raiding officers will be equipped with cameras.

Haryana Deputy Chief Minister presided over a review meeting of enforcement of Excise and Taxation Department in Chandigarh today. The Deputy Chief Minister, who also holds the charge of Excise and Taxation Department, directed to take strict action against such officers who show negligence in their

work and also those who don't sincerely keep a check on such tax evading violators. He said that soon cameras would be procured which would be fitted in the clothes of the raiding officers, their tracking would be done from the headquarters.

Sh. Dushyant Chautala said that if people do not pay taxes honestly, then there will be revenue losses to the government as it is from this revenue that electricity, water, roads, transport, education, health and other public facilities are provided in the state. He directed the senior officers of the department to take review meetings of their subordinate officers on a monthly basis. In these meetings, information related to tax evasion, raids, recovery and registration of cases etc. will be updated and guidance will be taken from higher offi-



cials as per requirement. Apart from an in-depth discussion on tax collection and tracking tax evasion violators during the past year, the Deputy Chief Minister also assessed the accomplishments of officers who outperformed and recommended that officers who underperformed be summoned.

Additional Chief Secretary, Excise and Taxation Department, Sh. Anurag Rastogi, Commissioner, Excise and Taxation Department, Sh. Shekhar Vidyarthi, Additional Commissioner, GST, Sh. Siddharth Jain, Additional Commissioner Administrative and Enforcement, Sh. Dheeraj Garg, OSD to Deputy Chief Minister, Shri Kamlesh Bhadoo and other senior officers were present during the meeting.

Garg honours social, religious bodies for extending help to Ladwa Rasoi

NARESH GARG LADWA, MAY 13

A meeting of all social and religious organizations of the city was organized by Sandeep Garg, chairman of Stalwart Foundation and social worker at Ladwa Anajmandi Dharamshala. In this meeting the office bearers of all the religious and social institutions of the city were honoured.

Speaking on the occasion, Social worker Sandeep Garg said that Ladwa Rasoi was started from April 1 and in this Rasoi all the religious and social organizations extended help and performed their duties turn by turn. He appreciated their efforts and said that he would never forget this favour of all the social and religious institutions of Ladwa city.

Today, if Ladwa Rasoi is becoming so successful, it is only because of the collective efforts of all these institutions. He said that soon he would provide job opportunities at Ladwa Constituency, in which employment will be given to three thousand unemployed youth of the Constituency. He also said that Ganesh Utsav is going to be celebrated in the coming days. This time it will be celebrated with great enthusiasm at a big place in the city with all the religious and social institutions of the city.

Officials of religious and social organizations who reached the spot expressed their gratitude. On the other hand, the office bearers of all the institutions were honoured with mementoes by Sandeep



Garg.

On the occasion Avtar Sekhon, Ashwani Jain, Rakesh Khurana, Vikas Singhal, Surendra Singla, Mahesh Garg, Kamal Kishore, Omprakash Malhotra, Shiv Gupta, Deshraj Mangla, Arvind Singhal, Sumit Garg, Rinku Arora, Sumit Garg, Ravi Girdhar, Vishal Mittal, Shubham Dhiman, Sumit Goyal, Ravi Kashyap, Vijay Dhimra, Satpal Dhiman, Umesh Bansal, Sandeep Goyal and many other officials were present. Many organizations like City Rotary Club, Ladwa Anajmandi Dharamshala, Punjabi Sabha, Shri Laxman Yeti Ramliia Club, Vaman Dwadashi Mela Committee, Brahmin Sabha, Mata Shakumbhari Devi Temple Committee, Shri Agrawal Sabha, Saraswati Satsang Sabha, All India Agrawal Conference, Senior Citizens Club, Youth Officers of many institutions including Hostel Association, Shri Krishna Gaushala, Yuva Virtue Sangathan, Shri Mahavir Seva Samiti, Vishwakarma Mandir Sabha, Bharat Vikas Parishad, Sant Nirankari Mandal participated in the function.

Kamboj visits villages to make Pragati Rally a success

NIRMAL SAINI

RADAUR: To make BJP's Pragati rally to be held in Yamunanagar a success, former minister and OBC Morcha President Karan Dev Kamboj visited the villages of Halkee, Mansoorpur, Basantpura, Chhari, Chamordi, Radar etc. and urged the villagers to reach the rally. Invited. On this occasion, Kamadev Kamboj said that on May 15, Chief Minister Manohar Lal would address a rally in Yamunanagar in which thousands



of people from Radaur will also participate. Through the rally, the gift of development works will be given by the Chief Minister. He said that the pending works of the light and the main demands of the people of the area would be placed before the Chief Minister and a demand would be made to get them completed at the earliest. Ever since Chief Minister Manohar Lal took over the power of the state, he has done the work of giving a new direction to the development of the state. The Chief Minister has done work in the state without any discrimination. Even in the areas where there are no BJP MLAs, the Chief Minister is getting the development work done equally with good intentions. This is the policy of BJP which has changed the definition of politics in the country and the state itself. This is the reason that today people's faith in BJP is getting stronger. On this occasion former MLA Ishwar Palaka, Mandal in-charge Jagdish Babbar, Mandal President Virendra Munjal, Divisional General Secretary Dhanpat Saini, Jaichand Masnoorpur, Dalbir Basantpura, Rajkumar Chamordi, Sanju Chamordi etc. were present.

Thieves uproot ATM, steal Rs 70 thousand

NIRMAL SAINI

RADAUR: The thieves, who carried out the incident of robbery by uprooting the ATM, have carried out another incident after a full month. This time the incident has happened in Khedi Lakha Singh. Where the vicious thieves first uprooted the ATM of a private company and stole cash worth about Rs 70 thousand from it and then set it on fire. Surprisingly, this time the distance of the police post from where this incident happened is just 150 metres. When the nearby people saw the fire in the ATM room in the morning, they informed the police about the matter. On receiving the information, outpost in-charge Salindra Kumar, DSP Radaur Rajat Gulia, besides CAIA and Scene of Crime teams reached the spot and started investigating the matter. Based on the complaint, the police registered a case against the unknown.

There is a lot of enthusiasm in the public about the Pragati rally to be held on May 15: Kanwar Pal

CHANDIGARH, MAY 13

Haryana Education Minister, Sh. Kanwar Pal said that there is a lot of enthusiasm among the people regarding the Pragati Rally to be organized in Yamunanagar on May 15. This rally will be historic and will break the record of all the previous rallies.

Giving this information during a press conference in Chandigarh today, the Education Minister said that Haryana Chief Minister, Sh. Manohar Lal will dedicate development projects worth crores to the public in this rally. Yamunanagar MLA, Sh. Ghanshyam Das Arora was also present on the occasion.

Sh. Kanwar Pal said that development projects worth about Rs. 4,000 crore have been completed in Yamu-

nanagar district, out of which various development works have been completed in Jagadhri assembly constituency at an amount of more than Rs.1,082 crore. He said that earlier there used to be only one government college in Yamunanagar, but during the time of the present government, three government colleges have been set up. Apart from this, 4 Industrial Training Institutes have also been set up in which youth are being trained for various trades.

He said that apart from setting up of 200 bedded hospital in Yamunanagar, there has been an increase in health services in big villages like Chhachhrauli, and Jagadhri, so that people will get health services at a faster pace. Apart from this, a medical college dedicated to Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur Singh Ji

will also be constructed. He said that there will be no dearth of development works in Yamunanagar district in the coming three years and all necessary works will be completed.

Correct information about history being given to the younger generation.

Responding to a question, the Education Minister said that lessons regarding Veer Savarkar were being taught in schools earlier and will be taught further. Young generation is being given correct information about history. He said that in the freedom of the country, great men in their own way contributed significantly to liberate the country through their sacrifice and struggle. These are the events that happened in history and the younger generation is being made aware of them.

Kaithal DC takes stock of Meri Kapi-Meri Kitab project in schools

RAMAN GUPTA

KAITHAL: DC Pradeep Dahiya said that in view of the increasing summer heat, not more than two students should sit on one bench in any school in the district. There is a need to pay special attention to the cleanliness system of the schools. Teachers should work on these issues in schools on a priority basis. Pradeep Dahiya had arrived in Naina village on Friday to inspect government schools under the project Meri Kapi-Meri Kitab. DC Pradeep Dahiya said that the primary classes provide the most basic and foundational education to the students. They begin their reading journey with the basic alphabet and have a strong foundation for further studies. But if children are not properly educated in the primary stage, then in future the children will face difficulty in getting higher education. Therefore, along with their reading, there is a need to increase their writing knowledge as well. DC said that in order to bridge the learning gap in the reading and writing skills of the students, an intensive 5 week campaign has been launched in the district in which specially designed modules are being taught in the classrooms. The purpose of the Meri Kapi-Meri Kitab project is to bridge the gap between the reading and writing skills of children due to the lockdowns in Covid period, so that the writing and learning of all children can be improved. All the students studying in class 3 to 8 in Kaithal block have been included in this. To impart knowledge in this project, special curriculum has been designed according to the interest of the children, which will increase their creative thinking and writing knowledge. On this occasion DIPRO Dharamvir Singh, CMGGA Kunal Chauhan, Dr. Sudesh Siwach, Balbir Kashyap, Ram Niwas Sharma, Narendra Balyan etc. were present. CMGGA Kunal Chauhan said that Meri Kapi-Meri Kitab project is being run under the guidance of Deputy Commissioner Pradeep Dahiya and its curriculum has been prepared under the supervision of Diet Principal Dr. Sudesh Siwach, in which Balbir Kashyap has also contributed.

Mid-Day meal workers union meeting held

R K KASHYAP

CHHACHHARAULI: The meeting of the Mid-Day Meal Workers Union was held at Pratnagar Bus Stand under the chairmanship of Block Head Shimla. The Speaker, said that the Education Minister had said



that from April 1, cooking will start in the school, but till date cooking has not been started in the schools nor did the employee get salary for 6 months. CITU district head Matlub Hasan said that the government does not want to pay salaries to the employees and is doing injustice to them.

CITU District Treasurer Ram Kumar Kamboj said that instead of giving employment, the government is ready to take employment. So strengthen your organization and increase the membership of the organization. He said that on May 22, the district convention of the Mid-Day Meal Workers Union would be held at Dussehra Ground at 10 am. Through the meeting, appealed to the selected committee of all the blocks to reach the Dussehra Ground Yamuna Ghar at 10 o'clock on 22nd May. On this occasion Bina Devi Khatri, Gulabo Devi Kareshwar, Hasina, Sunita etc. workers were present on the spot.

Houses damaged by falling trees

R K KASHYAP

CHHACHHARAULI: Dozens of trees fell on houses in Bombaypur due to strong winds late in the evening. Electric wires also fell on the houses and a major accident was also averted. Due to high winds trees fell on the roofs of dozens of houses, causing cracks. Thankfully, people were present outside the houses when the storm came, otherwise there could have been a terrible accident. In Bombaypur, a tree fell on the roof of the house of Liaquat, Rizwana, Israr, causing cracks in the roof and the house. On the other hand, the tin shed from above the house of Subedin, Shakeel and Rafida residents of Bombaypur broke down and fell away due to which all the belongings of their house were also ruined due to the rains.

The power system was disrupted for a long time after the trees fell on the power lines due to the strong wind, the forest department employees picked up the fallen trees and the electricity workers had to make a lot of effort to run the electricity smoothly. There was a power outage throughout the night and since Friday morning, the electricity workers were engaged in fixing the broken electrical wires. At one place in Bombaypur, an electric transformer also fell down from the pole.

505-gram heroin worth over Rs 50 lakh seized in Fatehabad

CHANDIGARH: In a major catch, Haryana Police has arrested a drug supplier with 505 grams of heroin in Bhuna area of Fatehabad district. Sharing the information here today, a Haryana Police spokesperson informed that arrested accused identified as Mohan Lal is a resident of Ding Mandi and presently living in the Auto market, Bhuna. Preliminary probe revealed that accused brought the consignment from a Nigerian in Delhi to supply in local areas in the district. The estimated value of the seized drug is over Rs 50 lakh. A team of Anti narcotic cell during patrolling had got a tip-off that arrested accused, who lives in a rented house in the auto market, has come from Delhi with a huge quantity of heroin. On this, the police started vigil near his house. Meanwhile, when Mohanlal came on a motorcycle, the police team overpowered him. When searched, 505 grams of heroin was recovered from his possession. A case was registered under relevant sections of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act against the accused and further investigation is underway. During this year, Police had so far arrested 74 peddlers in Fatehabad district after it recovered around three kg of heroin worth Rs 3 crore from their possession.

Modi government working in the interests of farmers: Grewal

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, MAY 13

Sukhminder Pal Singh Grewal, national secretary of Bharatiya Janata Party Kisan Morcha and in-charge of Ladakh in Jammu and Kashmir, said that the Modi government is working in the interests of the farmers. Agricultural laws were also implemented for the benefit of the farmers, but on being opposed, the government decided to withdraw it so that the farmers could be informed about it first, only then a decision would be taken on it. This also shows the vision-ary thinking of the Modi government. Grewal was talking to reporters at Karan Lake. Earlier, he was welcomed at many places from Ambala to Karnal to GT Road. Home Minister Anil Vij in Ambala and MP Naib Saini in Kurukshetra greeted him. The supporters greeted him warmly by putting flower garlands. Grewal laid the foundation stone of Swapnil Complex on Taraori-Sokra Road. It is proposed to set up an office of the Bharatiya Janata Party here. Shub-



ham Choudhary, chairman of North India of the Indian Grappling Committee, senior BJP leader Gopal Chaudhary and youth leader Gaurav Bedi were especially present. The National Secretary of Kisan Morcha has said that till now no one has given any decisive thought to the farmers or the common man in all the governments that have come. This is the reason that today the common man and the farmer are craving for development. After the arrival of the Modi gov-

ernment, work was done to move forward on the issue of Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas and efforts were made to bring forward the last person standing on the edge. Taking this sequence forward, the Manohar Government of Haryana is also providing unprecedented public facilities to the people. Today corruption in Haryana is at zero tolerance level.

The common man does not have to make rounds of offices for government work. All facilities are being provided to them at home. The same youth leader Shubham Chaudhary said that during the tenure of the BJP central government, the development work that has been done or is being done never happened before. It is the result of policies and it will provide best facilities to the common man. On this occasion youth leader Maninder Grewal Akhil Agarwal Inderjit from Popli area Anand Vij Kuldeep Vij Prem Singh Saini Malook Singh Anil Sharma Praduman Kaushik Mahesh Chaudhary Balkrishna Shamgarh Aryan Chaudhary and Ramandeep Chahal were present.



Speaker Kultar Singh Sandhwan calls on President

CHANDIGARH: Punjab Vidhan Sabha Speaker S. Kultar Singh Sandhwan called on President Sh. Ram Nath Kovind in New Delhi last evening. This was the maiden meeting of S. Sandhwan with the President since he took over as the Speaker of Punjab Vidhan Sabha.

In a statement issued here, Kultar Singh Sandhwan said, this meeting along with his family members, with the President and Vice President was a courtesy call. "I grasped a lot from the President and Vice President in holding the highest office and their long political experience", said the Speaker.

NEWS AT A GLANCE

Randeep Singh Heer assumes charge as Nakodar SDM

ASHOK KAURA PHAGWARA: Randeep Singh Heer (PCS) on Friday afternoon assumed charge as sub-divisional magistrate (SDM) here in place of MS. Poonam Singh who has been appointed SDM Amloh. Before assuming charge as SDM, Randeep Singh was SDM Dasuya.

Veer Naris honoured

RAJ SADOSH ABOHAR: A Veer Nari Meet was organized by the Forever Victorious Brigade at Aggarwal Dharamshala Padampur. Chief Guest, AWWA Chairperson Mrs. Neenu Mangat while felicitating the Veer Naris said that I feel really proud to meet you today. You are the pride of the Indian Army, on which the country will always be proud. Neenu Mangat, after getting acquainted with the veterans and other ex-service personnel and got information about pension, medical, ECHS and listening to their problems on priority, issued instructions to the officers to take up the same. About two dozen ex-service personnel, widows and war veterans from Srikanpur segment met the officers of the Forever Victorious Brigade. They said that the Central Government has organized camps from time to time and provided relief to them. This is a good tradition, which should be continued in future also.

Adhikaar Foundation sponsored 10 students' school education fee amounting 2 Lakh 75 thousand rupees



VIKAS VERMA DHURI: The foundation will arrange scholarships for underprivileged students irrespective of their caste and religion: Kansal Dhuri. To reinforce the right to education, recently started charitable organisation "Adhikaar foundation Dhuri" has decided to help economically weaker students for their education. Today, the foundation came forward to take the responsibility of 10 underprivileged students and sponsored their annual fees at Sarvhitkari Vidya Mandir School, Dhuri. Founders of the organisation, Gaurav Kansal and Dr Amit Kansal, DM, Ludhiana deposited amount of 2 lac and 75 thousand rupees for school fees of 10 students. They said their organisation will provide opportunities to students, not only to complete their education, but also transform them into confident, competent and socially responsible citizens of this great nation. They appealed to the management and teachers of private and government schools to help the organisation by informing them about genuinely needy students. On this occasion, other members of the foundation, Mr Gaurav Gupta advocate, Vijay ji, Mukesh Singla, Tarun Kansal, Arun Gupta, the school patron Mr Yogesh Singla, manager Roshan Lal and Principal Rajesh Kumar were also present.

Rupnagar police crack case of tying of 'Khalistan' banner outside district administrative complex



BAHADURJEET SINGH RUPNAGAR, MAY 13

Rupnagar police have cracked the case relating to the tying of Khalistan banner outside district administrative complex Rupnagar one month back. While talking to media persons Rupnagar senior superintendent of police (SSP) Dr Sandeep Kumar Garg said that on the intervening night of April 12 and 13, a banner with 'Khalistan' written was put up outside the District Administrative Complex Rupnagar by unknown miscreants. A case under section 124-A153-A, 153-B, 120-B of IPC and sections 13, 16, 18 of unlawful activities prevention Act (UAPA) was registered in this regard. He said that given the seriousness of the case, various teams of CIA staff Rupnagar led by inspector Satnam Singh were formed under the supervision of SP(D) Harbir Singh Atwal, DSP(D) Jarnail Singh and different teams from Rupnagar were formed. He said that investigations were being carried out from various aspects through technical surveillance in the case. Meanwhile, flags of of Khalistan were also put up outside Himachal Pradesh assembly in Dharamshala on May 7.

Rs. 42 crore released for depot holders as commission for wheat distribution under 'PMAKY'

GAURAV GOEL CHANDIGARH, MAY 13

In a huge relief to the depot holders of the State, the Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department today released Rs. 42 crore as commission to them on the directions of the Minister Mr. Lal Chand Kataruchak for distribution of wheat under Pradhan Mantri Ann Kalyan Yojana (PMAKY).

Presiding over a meeting with the depot holders of the State at Anaj Bhawan in Sector-39, Mr. Lal Chand Kataruchak said that the State Government is fully apprised of the problems being encountered by the depot holders and is fully engaged to address the same.

He also said that as part of the solution, the Government is sincerely exploring the option to allow the depot holders for selling some MARK-FED manufactured products. As MARK-FED is a name to reckon with in the market and has a great brand value, the income of depot holders is likely to increase manifold by selling these products. The Minister further divulged that the issues such as increasing the commission of depot



holders besides the eligible beneficiaries being left out of the ration card scheme, are also under his active consideration and no stone would be left unturned to resolve these.

Drawing the line, the Minister categorically said that complete transparency is being ensured in the

functioning of the department with zero tolerance towards corruption. He appealed to everybody to come forward and join hands with the Government for creating a new, progressive as well as a prosperous Punjab. Among others present on the occasion included the Secretary, Food,

Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Mr. Gurkirat Kirpal Singh, Director Mr. Abhinav Trikha and the State President of the Punjab Raj Depot Holder Union (Sidhu) and the Vice President of the All India Fair Price Shop Federation Captain Gurjinder Singh Sidhu.

Lions Club Pathankot organises camp

R. SINGH, PATHANKOT, MAY 13

Under the 17th project, under the chairmanship of President Rajeev Khosla MJF, a camp was organized in the Transport Office to get a Learning Driving License under the chairmanship of the Lions Club Pathankot.

In which the students who filled the application form in the camp organized in the Adarsh Indian College in the past have been tested today after completing the paperwork in the transport office. On this occasion, Chairman Rajiv Khosla and Chairman Project Vijay Passi said that the driving licenses of the students who pass these tests will be distributed soon after they are



made and they have also been made aware about the traffic rules.

He told the students that everyone should drive a vehicle only after getting their driving license made and at the same time their classmates should also be

made aware about this. He said that the Lions Club will always be ready to contribute towards the cause of the society. On this occasion Dr. M. L. Attri, Ramesh, Lokesh, Mukesh, Rajan etc. were present.

Kisan Mazdoor committee form 5 village committees of Zone Baba Nodh Singh



JANDIALA GURU (KULJIT SINGH): Today under the leadership of State Office Secretary of Kisan Mazdoor Sangharsh Committee Gurbachan Singh Chhaba in 5 villages of Zone Baba Naudh Singh like Valla, Mirankot, Butt, Gunowal, Havelian etc. The meeting was presided over by Zone Secretary Manraj Singh, Zone Press Secretary Ravinderbir Singh Valla, Deputy Secretary Mangwinder Singh Mandiala, Vice President Fateh Singh Butt. On this occasion the village treasurer Sehban gave an account till date. Leader Sehban called for maintaining communal harmony in the village as major struggles against anti-people policies of the governments would be required in the near future. Including corn, corn, pulses and more Crops should be procured on MSP, Punjab should be completely drug free, canals should be cleaned before sowing of paddy and water should reach the hills by sowing needles.

Five school buses challaned for violating norms

CHETRAM RATTAN NAWANSHAHR, MAY 13

In a drive against school vehicles violating norms, a joint team of civil and police administration challaned five school buses on Friday in Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

The team comprising DCPO Kanchan Arora, Principal Rajesh Kumar from civil administration and ASIs Nirmal Singh, Kamaljeet Singh, Jaswinder Singh from Police department and others conducted checking of 25 schools buses in Nawanshahr and Balachaur.

The checking was specially organized to check the violations made by the school

Man injured brother-in-law by riding car on him, absconded with revolver, case registered

JASPOONAM KOHLI DINANAGAR, MAY 13

The police of Dinanagar police station registered a case against brother-in-law who injured his brother-in-law and fled with his licensed revolver.

Victim Gurpreet Singh s/o Natha Singh resident of Adarsh Colony Dinanagar told that 7 years ago his sister Manpreet Kaur was married with Kulwinder Singh s/o Iqbal Singh resident Jandi. Who has a 6 year old daughter. His brother-in-law and sister are having a rift with each other for the last few months. Due to which his sister along with her daughter has been living with him for about eight months. Yesterday his brother-in-law

called him at Dinanagar by-pass. Where he reached in his car. Where already his brother-in-law was sitting in his car. When he was going to



wards his brother-in-law from his car, his brother-in-law put his car on him. Due to which he was badly injured. Victim Gurpreet Singh told that while fleeing from the spot, his brother-in-law escaped with five bullets including a licensed revolver lying in his car.

CM Punjab releases T-Shirt of grand bicycle rally

SUMER GARG SANGRUR, MAY 12

Punjab Chief Minister, Bhagwant Singh Mann accompanied by Punjab Chief Secretary, Anirudh Tewari; Additional Chief Secretary to the CM, A.Venu Prasad; DGP, V.K.Bhawra; Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur, Jatindra Jorwal and SSP, Mandeep Singh Sidhu has unveiled an attractive T-shirt of a grand bicycle rally to be held on May 22 at Sangrur.

It may be recalled that this bicycle rally would be held under the leadership of Sangrur District Police Chief, Mr. Mandeep Singh Sidhu. After the release of T-shirt, SSP Mandeep Singh Sidhu in a pleasant atmosphere at

PWD Superintending Engineer suspended for corruption

CHANDIGARH, MAY 13

Following the orders of Punjab Public Works Minister S. Harbhajan Singh ETO, the Public Works Department suspended its Superintending Engineer construction circle Hoshiarpur, Mr. Virinder Kumar, with immediate effect under Rule 4 of the Punjab Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules, 1970 under the Prevention of Corruption Act.

The PWD Minister said that the Punjab government is taking stern steps to eradicate corruption from the state and corruption will not be tolerated at all.

He said that during the suspension, the headquarters of the officer would be at the office of the Chief Engineer (Headquarters) Patiala and the concerned officer would not leave the headquarters without the ap-

proval of the Chief Engineer (Headquarters).

Giving further details, the PWD Minister said that a video of the concerned officer was surfaced in which he was taking money from the contractor. He said that after the investigation, an FIR has been registered and after which it has been decided to suspend the concerned.

Mr. Anurag Verma, Principal Secretary, PWD said that corruption in the department will not be tolerated at any cost.

He said that it will be ensured that whatever project of the department was in progress, all the money should be spent on the project concerned. He said that strict action will be taken against the employee or officer of the department who will be found involved in corruption or any kind of commission recovery.

5 students placed on package of 9 LPA in Trident Group India



ANIL VERMA BATHINDA, MAY 13

5 Students of B.Tech Computer Science Engineering, GZSCCET, Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University placed in Trident Group India on a CTC of 9 LPA. The names of the students placed are Mahek Jatana, Sandhya, Charanjeet Singh, Moniza, Jasmeen.

Prof. (Dr.) Buta Singh Sidhu Vice Chancellor Maharaja Ranjit Singh PTU, Registrar Dr. Gurinderpal Brar, Campus Director Dr. Sanjeev Aggarwal, Associate Dean Academics Dr. Kawaljit Sandhu and Director (Training and Placement, MRSPTU) Harjot Singh Sidhu, has expressed

immense happiness and satisfaction at the caliber and potential of students of this campus getting recognized by leading company, Trident Group.

They have conveyed their best wishes to the selected students for their successful service career. Vice Chancellor Dr. Buta Singh Sidhu thanked the Trident Chairman Mr. Rajinder Gupta for giving MRSPTU students an opportunity to work with the group.

Director Training and Placement Harjot Singh Sidhu said that MRSPTU is closely associated with Trident and in future the company will also conduct campus placement drives for Textile Engineering students and others.



Chandigarh said, "Following an ideology of the CM, Punjab, thousands of the residents of Sangrur district would participate in this rally and the main objective of the rally is to eradicate drugs from Punjab". He said that this bicycle rally would be commemorated with the participation of large number of people, so that the slogan of 'Fight against drugs, play sports and read' would

reach door to door and sports and academic culture in the district would be greatly promoted. The SSP said that people from all walks of the society would be a part of this cycle rally and this rally be proved as a mass movement against drugs, it would eradicate this scourge of drug menace in the near future with the active cooperation of the people.

Bookmark competition at Swami Roop Chand Jain School

SUKH NAHAR JAGRAON, MAY 13

Swami Roop Chand Jain School conducted a book mark competition from class VI to VIII with the aim to explore the hidden talent of the students beyond the books. The students were given a blank template and encouraged to make an original design with favourite scenes, characters or images from the series.

Principal Rajpal Kaur appreciated and applauded the performance of the participant and guided students the value of activities.

Further she said that the competition inspired the students to come forward and showed their inner tal-

ent in front of others. Winner of this competition was



Arshdeep Singh from class VII got first position. Sukhjeet Kaur from class VII got second position. Simranpreet Kaur from class VII received third position.

Awareness is essential to prevent mosquito breeding: SDM Phul



HEMANT SHARMA RAMPURA PHUL, MAY 13

While the health department is fighting against corona virus, it is also raising awareness for the prevention of mosquitoes. During this season, the mosquito breeding season begins. Are born, so every water in homes, in offices, in religious places, etcIt is very important to empty and dry the utensils before the end of the week, said Sub Divisional Magistrate Rampura Phul. Keep utensils covered and empty before the week is over He asked the Nagar Panchayats, clubs and important

people to follow the instructions given by the Health Department for the prevention of mosquitoes, said Multipurpose Health Supervisor Balvir Singh Sandhu Kalan. The health department has also issued a slogan, Friday Dry It is very important to empty every water container and dry it every Friday. Do not allow water to accumulate around the houses. Should be examined and given full treatment, on this occasion Senior Assistant Gurpreet Singh, Multipurpose Health Worker Narpinder Singh Gill, Malkeet Singh, Mohan Lal were also present.

DC urges people to unite to eradicate social evils

VERMA GURDASPUR, MAY 13

Deputy Commissioner, Mohammad Ishaq today appealed to the people of the district to work together for the eradication of social evil drug addiction, saying that drug addiction was a disease which could be cured.

He further said that the symptoms of drug addiction such as loss of appetite, weight loss, body fatigue, whooping cough, excessive sweating, vomiting, prolonged bathroom urination, constipation and tingling in hands and arms. And needle marks are found.

The Deputy Commissioner said that if any member of the family has such symptoms then the

message should be sent to the mobile number 62391-



39973 only through WhatsApp. The patient will be provided medical facility at home, free treatment will be provided and all information will be kept confidential.

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Limited Review of Financial Results For The Quarter and Nine Months Ended 31st March, 2022 (₹ in Lakhs)

| Particulars | 31.12.2021 Unaudited | Quarter Ended 31.03.2022 Audited | 31.03.2021 Unaudited | Nine Months Ended 31.03.2022 Unaudited | 31.03.2021 Unaudited | FY ended 30.06.2021 Audited |
|--|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Interest Earned (a)+(b)+(c)+(d) | 101,206.38 | 100,821.63 | 112,315.06 | 320,946.58 | 371,962.47 | 482,735.24 |
| (a) Interest on advances | 95,540.86 | 94,457.25 | 107,738.77 | 303,679.15 | 351,891.82 | 458,633.62 |
| (b) Income on Investments | 4,939.30 | 5,250.32 | 8,407.33 | 14,284.16 | 11,036.87 | 14,343.04 |
| (c) Interest on bank deposits | 726.42 | 1,114.06 | 1,168.96 | 2,983.27 | 9,033.78 | 9,758.58 |
| (d) Others | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 2. Other Income | 69.83 | 784.70 | 301.80 | 47,424.81 | 2,665.13 | 5,084.40 |
| 3. Total Income (1+2) | 101,276.21 | 101,606.33 | 112,616.86 | 368,371.39 | 374,627.60 | 487,819.64 |
| 4. Interest Expended | 76,504.87 | 73,357.99 | 85,967.41 | 236,598.53 | 270,035.60 | 357,360.91 |
| 5. Operating Expense (i)+(ii) | 1,957.66 | 1,706.70 | 2,029.25 | 9,037.12 | 5,511.25 | 8,111.50 |
| (i) Payments to and provisions for employees | 865.04 | 417.85 | 672.27 | 2,155.08 | 2,282.25 | 3,750.15 |
| (ii) Other operating Expense (a)+(b)+(c) | 1,092.62 | 1,288.85 | 1,156.98 | 6,882.04 | 3,229.00 | 4,361.35 |
| (a) Brokerage, Guarantee Fee and Other Finance Charges | 79.10 | 81.36 | 90.96 | 238.45 | 277.81 | 346.98 |
| (b) Stamp duty on Borrowings | 10.00 | - | 22.68 | 10.37 | 27.70 | 54.17 |
| (c) Other expenditures | 1,003.52 | 1,207.49 | 1,043.34 | 6,633.22 | 2,923.49 | 3,960.20 |
| 6. (Gain)/ Loss on account of exchange fluctuations | (389.16) | (728.59) | (1,045.40) | (1,679.68) | 3,345.34 | 6,078.12 |
| 7. Total Expenditure excluding Provisions and Contingencies (4+5+6) | 78,073.37 | 74,336.10 | 86,951.26 | 243,955.97 | 278,892.19 | 371,570.53 |
| 8. Operating Profit before Provisions and Contingencies (3-7) | 23,202.84 | 27,270.23 | 25,665.60 | 124,415.42 | 95,735.41 | 116,249.11 |
| 9. Provisions (other than Tax) and Contingencies | (769.94) | (5,024.44) | 3,731.76 | (102,120.23) | 64,096.54 | 70,252.38 |
| 10. Exceptional Items# | - | (2,000.34) | - | (2,000.34) | - | - |
| 11. Profit (+) / Loss (-) from Ordinary Activities before Tax (8-9-10) | 23,972.78 | 34,295.01 | 21,933.84 | 228,535.99 | 31,638.87 | 45,996.73 |
| 12. Tax Expense (Net of DTA/ DTL) | 5,600.00 | 7,125.00 | (44,015.75) | 56,025.00 | (25,915.75) | (20,315.75) |
| 13. Net Profit (+)/Loss (-) from Ordinary Activities after Tax (11-12) | 18,372.78 | 27,170.01 | 65,949.59 | 172,510.99 | 57,554.62 | 66,312.48 |
| 14. Extraordinary Items (net of tax expense) | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 15. Net Profit (+)/Loss (-) for the period (13-14) | 18,372.78 | 27,170.01 | 65,949.59 | 172,510.99 | 57,554.62 | 66,312.48 |
| 16. Paid-up capital (wholly owned by Government of India) | 145,000.00 | 145,000.00 | 145,000.00 | 145,000.00 | 145,000.00 | 145,000.00 |
| 17. Reserves excluding Revaluation Reserves (as per balance sheet of previous accounting year) | 834,501.57 | 834,501.57 | 767,936.64 | 834,501.57 | 767,936.64 | 834,501.57 |
| 18. Analytical Ratios: | | | | | | |
| (i) Percentage of shares held by Government of India | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| (ii) Capital Adequacy Ratio | 15.49% | 15.91% | 12.56% | 15.91% | 12.56% | 12.14% |
| (iii) Earning Per Share (EPS) | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| (iv) NPA Ratios | | | | | | |
| a) Amount of Gross NPA | 153,510.38 | 153,510.38 | 250,284.59 | 153,510.38 | 250,284.59 | 250,284.59 |
| b) Amount of Net NPA | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| c) % of Gross NPA | 2.11% | 2.12% | 2.99% | 2.12% | 2.99% | 2.91% |
| d) % of Net NPA | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| v) Return on Assets (after tax) (annualised) | 0.91% | 1.36% | 3.01% | 2.69% | 0.88% | 0.75% |
| vi) Net Worth | 10,347 | 10,609 | 8,678 | 10,609 | 8,678 | 8,742 |
| vii) Outstanding Redeemable Preference Shares | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| viii) Capital Redemption Reserve | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| ix) Debenture Redemption Reserve | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| x) Debt - Equity Ratio * | 5.69 | 5.58 | 7.84 | 5.58 | 7.84 | 7.96 |
| xi) Total Debts to Total Assets (%) * | 82.59% | 83.97% | 79.69% | 83.97% | 79.69% | 86.12% |

* Debt denotes Total Borrowings

For calculation of ratios exceptional income has been considered in Other Income

Notes:

- The above results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on May 13, 2022 at New Delhi.
- Under resolution of DHFL account, Bank received an amount of ₹ 1,05,487.67 lakhs from Praram Housing Finance Ltd. The amount has been apportioned between interest of ₹ 6,713.45 lakhs and balance ₹ 98,774.22 lakhs towards principal outstanding resulting in reversal of NPA provision.
- Bank also received ₹ 52,318 lakhs (claim amount with interest) from the custodian in connection with 1991-92 scam case. Of this, Bank had booked interest amount of ₹ 42,998 lakhs as Other Income (one-time exceptional item). Since Bank has given an undertaking to the Custodian, the same is being treated as Contingent Liability.
- In terms of the Reserve Bank of India's circular dated August 04, 2016, Bank is continuously preparing proforma Ind AS statements and is submitting to the regulator regularly. The Reserve Bank of India vide its letter dated May 15, 2019, has advised that implementation of Indian Accounting Standards by All India Financial Institutions (AIFIs) has been deferred until further notice.
- The Bank owns a property / flat at Narooze Pali Hill Premise Co-Op Society Limited, Pali Hill, Bandra Mumbai. Entire property was taken for redevelopment by an agreement with a builder. The entire property was taken by the builder including the flat of NHB and the possession of the redeveloped property was taken by the Bank in December 2021. Since there is a variation in the old and redeveloped property in terms of area and there was inflow of cash in the earlier years which was taken as income in those years. During the year, the old assets in the Bank books is written off by debt to other income and the fair market value of redeveloped flat has been capitalized into land and building components and notional gain on redevelopment of flat is credited to Other Income which is treated as exceptional item.
- Previous period figures have been regrouped / rearranged wherever necessary.

Place: New Delhi
Date: May 13, 2022

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As per review report of even date

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NEWS AT A
GLANCE

Celebrated every Friday as Dry Day by Health Dept : CS



HEMANT SHARMA RAMPURA PHUL: Under the direction of Balwant Singh and a team of Health Department led by Senior Medical Officer Balianwali Dr. Ashwani Kumar and AMU Harwinder Singh visited the Government and private institutions, homes and public places on this day.

The larvae are examined Health Supervisor Gurchet Singh, Health Worker Satish Kumar Garg said that the dengue mosquito lays its eggs on clean water and within ten days of the week it becomes a complete mosquito from the egg, so every week to break the life cycle of the mosquito. Water sources should be emptied and dried with a cloth and this should be done by the health department Friday has been set aside for He urged the people of the city to observe dry day every Friday. Is a larva. He said that as long as people are not aware, the chances of getting good results are very low.

MCM begins 45-day fun with fitness programme



CHANDIGARH: In line with the objective to affect behavioural change and move towards a more physically active lifestyle, the Physical Education Department of Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women, Chandigarh began a 45-day fitness programme titled 'Fun with Fitness: Cleansing Body, Mind and Soul'. The programme is being held in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India and under the aegis of Swachhta Action Plan 2022-23 and Fit India Movement. Dr. W. G. Prasanna Kumar, Chairman, MGNCRE and Mr. Samarth Sharma, Programme Coordinator, MGNCRE expressed appreciation for this unique and relevant initiative to promote healthy lifestyle. Open for both students and staff members, the programme includes eco-friendly activities including body toning, flexibility exercises, strengthening exercises and rock climbing. Principal Dr. Nisha Bhargava lauded the initiative of the Physical Education Department aimed at furthering the vision of Government of India's Fit India Movement.

Two unidentified booked for theft

ASHOK KAURA PHAGWARA: The Nurmahal police have booked two unidentified miscreants on the charge of theft. Omesh Chander a resident of Mohalla Mehann complained to the police that two unidentified accused barged into his money exchange office and threatened him at a point of pistol like weapon to give them whatever is in his shop and when he tried to overpower one of them both fled away in their vehicle. The investigating officer Manjit Singh said a case under sections 379(theft) and 511 (punishment for attempting to commit offenses punishable with imprisonment for life or other imprisonments) of the IPC has been registered against the unidentified accused.

Pool party at APJ school

SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR, MAY 13

The Tiny tots of APJ Smart School had fun time today. They enjoyed variety of activities like rain dance, ball balloon dance, splash, snow flakes dance etc. to beat the scorching heat.

They relished party Tiffins & fresh fruits. Fresh lemonade was being provided to them to beat the heat. Students felt relaxed after enjoying all cool activities.

DC holds monthly review meeting
with road safety officials

SHASHI PAL JAIN
MOHALI, MAY 13

Deputy Commissioner Amit Talwar held a monthly review meeting with the concerned officers on the issue of road safety today. During which he sought information from the authorities about the work done last month.

Disclosing this here today Deputy Commissioner Amit Talwar said that the District Level Road Safety Committee has carried out a detailed review of the identified accidental complaint areas in the District. He also directed the officers of all the concerned departments to ensure road safety. During the meeting Executive Engineer GMADA informed that the proceedings on about 8 accidental complaint centers belonging to his department were continuing. At the same time, the National Highway Authority said that action was being



taken against 26 such points belonging to their department.

Meanwhile, the Deputy Commissioner strongly directed all the officers to carry out the task of road safety in a serious and timely manner so as to reduce the number of road accidents in the district. During the meeting Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC)

Amaninder Kaur Brar directed all the officers to install reflectors at the accident site during the ongoing road construction work at various places in the district and expedite the road construction work.

During the meeting RTA Secretary Sukhwinder Kumar informed that in the last few months around 8810 driving licenses with-

out helmets and violation of traffic rules have been suspended in the district. On the occasion DSP Traffic Surinder Mohan Singh informed that under the leadership of Senior Police Captain Vivek Seal Soni Traffic Awareness Camps were also being organized at various places. On the occasion Deputy Commissioner Amit Talwar directed

the GMADA officials to expedite the various road repair works on Airport Road.

Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) Mrs. Amaninder Kaur Brar, Additional Deputy Commissioner (UD) Pooja S. Grewal, SDM Mohali Harbans Singh, Road Safety Engineer Charanjit, various other officers were also present.

Private gaushala operators hands
over demand letter to SDM

R. SINGH
PATHANKOT, MAY 13

Private gaushala operators located in district Pathankot are being hit by inflation. A year ago, the price of cow's fodder has increased three times, not only this, in protest against the increase in the prices of other items for the maintenance of the cow, on behalf of the Gaushalas at the Punjab level, the demand letter was handed over to the administrative officers at the district level.

In the demand letter submitted under the guidelines of Swami Krishnanand Maharaj Dhuri, on behalf of the group gaushalas, by handing over the demand letter to SDM Pathankot, a request was made for the cooperation of the gaushalas. Giving information regarding the demand letter, the spokespersons

Manmohan Kala and Manmohesh Billa jointly said that not only the district Pathankot, but also the operators of gaushalas across Punjab, caught the stray cows roaming around with great difficulty and kept them in the gaushala to serve them.

Its being done. He said that most of the gaushalas are running with the help of donors, but now the price of cow's fodder has increased so much in just a few years. By keeping the cows in the Gaushalas on behalf of the Gaushalas managers, in a way, they have been helping the administration and the common people and it is also the duty of the district administration to provide all kinds of facilities to the management of the Gaushalas. On this occasion, Advocates Aarti Taty, Neelam Saini, Kanta Khosla, Satish Mahajan, Rajinder Kanojia etc.

Parents enthusiastically
participate in meeting
parent-teacher

SHARANJEET
PATHANKOT, MAY 13

On behalf of the Education Department, Punjab, under the guidance of Education Minister Gurmeet Singh Meet Hair and Alok Shekhar, Principal Secretary School Education, under the guidance of Director General School Education Punjab, Pardeep Kumar Agrawal, on May 12 and 13, a parent-teacher meeting was conducted in government schools. On both the days of this meeting, the parents participated in the school with great enthusiasm.

District Education Officer Secondary Jaswant Singh said that parent-teacher meeting is an integral part of school education. Along with this, where the mention of the academic achievements of the children is shared with the parents.

Anmol Gagan Mann visits 'Shelter
Institution' at Govt Polytechnic
College Khunimajra

SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR, MAY 13

Anmol Gagan Mann Kharar MLA today visited the Shelter Institute at Government Polytechnic College, Khunimajra in a bid to solve the problems faced by the college students and staff. The MLA was given a warm welcome by Satinder Satti, Chairperson of the Shelter institute and Rajiv Puri, Principal of the College.

On the occasion the MLA had a meeting with Chairperson Satinder Satti and Principal of the College Rajiv Puri, Sandeep Kaur, and Skill Center and other staff. On this occasion the MLA lauded the vocational courses / courses being run by the self-employment and technical education running at the institute. At the

same time the MLA assured to make the institute a proud institution of the area and also emphasized on the self-employment drive being run by the Punjab government. At the same time the students were encouraged to work honestly so that they could become good officers by reading and writing and raise the name of their profession. At the same time she also encouraged the students about the daily cleanliness of the surroundings in human life. During the meeting with the staff, the MLA was apprised by Satinder Satti and others about the problems being faced by the organization, in which some of the problems were immediately resolved by the MLA by telephoning the concerned officers on the spot.

One arrest for stealing clothes worth lacs
of rupees from shop on Arya College road

SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR, MAY 13

Kharar City Police has arrested Mandeep Singh, a resident of District Ludhiana on the charge of stealing clothes worth lakhs of rupees from a shop called Shiv Om Fashion Store on Arya College Road.

It may be recalled that on the night of April 29, clothes worth lakhs of rupees were stolen by thieves and a case was registered by the city police on a complaint lodged

by shop owner Dinesh Kapil. According to the complainant, the CCTV footage showed that the theft took place around 2.30 am and the thieves stole the goods in a tanker.

Investigating officer ASI Harminder Singh said that the accused has been arrested by the police and has been remanded in police custody for five days by a Kharar court. He said that the vehicle used by the police in the theft has also been recovered.

Public police state organised meeting

PATHANKOT (R. SINGH): Public Police State Meeting was organized in which Harinder Singh, in-charge of State North Zone was present as the chief guest. In view of the service and in view of the activities of 22 years which he has spent in the service of the public, in-charge North Zone State Harinder Singh appointed Raja Julka as Public Police General Sector State, for this the whole team congratulated Raja Julka. Raja Julka thanked all the team of Punjab Public Police and assured them that all the police officers of Punjab will try to solve the problems of the people together and there will be no discrimination of any kind whatsoever.

FGM Union Bank of India
visits Ludhiana Region

SACHIN MODGILL
LUDHIANA, MAY 13

Newly Joined Field General Manager Chandigarh Zone Shri Arun Kumar has visited Ludhiana Region. He was welcomed by Deputy General Manager Sh. Navneet Kumar Gupta and Regional Head Ludhiana Region Sh Rakesh Kumar Mittal at Regional Office and chaired a staff meet at Hotel Regenta, Ludhiana.

In his address he informed that in the FY 2021-22, Union Bank of India has achieved a benchmark of 17 trillion Business Mix and now prepared for mission 19 Trillion by March 2023. FGM sir has motivated all branch Managers of Ludhiana Region and given a roadmap to achieve the Mission. FGM sir focused on GROWTH, DIGITALISATION AND PROFITABILITY.



TY and guided all staff members to work on these parameters. He motivates Branch Heads to participate in Government sponsored schemes for the benefit of society. Branch Heads and staff of the region were felicitated by FGM sir for excellent performance in FY 2021-22. Sh Navneet Kumar Gupta who is going to join Zonal office Chandigarh also motivates staff members to achieve the

target of bank and assure staff members for continuous support.

In this programme, Deputy General Manager Sh Navneet Kumar Gupta, Regional Head Ludhiana Sh Rakesh Kumar Mittal, SAR-AL Head Ludhiana Sh Sanjeev Kumar, Deputy Regional Head Ludhiana Sh Ajay Bhatia, other Executives and Branch Managers were available.

Fogging starts throughout
city to prevent dengue

SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR, MAY 13

As per the orders of Rajesh Sharma, Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Kharar, fogging is being carried out in all the wards within the city limits as per schedule for prevention of dengue.

Disclosing this here today Hardarshanjit Singh Khatri, Sanitary Inspector said that in order to create awareness among the people of the city, a proclamation was being issued in the city informing the



residents that water should not be stored in the coolers of their houses. Home coolers should be used only after

cleaning and drying every week. Dry Day should be celebrated every Friday.

A joint team is being formed in the city by the Health Department and Municipal Council Kharar to check the breeding of dengue. Meanwhile 46 houses were surveyed today in which 172 containers were checked under which coolers of BDPO office, fire brigade office and power board office were checked. Dengue awareness pamphlets were distributed in Kharar.

DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHIARPUR, MAY 13

On the orders of District and Sessions Judge-Cum-Chairperson District Legal Services Authority Mrs. Amarjot Bhatti, Chief Judicial Magistrate-Cum-Secretary District Legal Services Authority Mrs. Aparajita Joshi visited the Central Jail today. During the visit, he directed the doctors stationed in the jail to make the prisoners / inmates aware of the importance of personal hygiene as much as possible to prevent skin infections and



other ailments. She also directed that special diet should be provided to the patients. Superintendent Anurag Kumar Azad, Deputy Superintendent Mr. Ramandeep Singh besides Mr. Gurjinder Singh and Mr. Pawan Kumar were also present on the occasion.

Apart from this a seminar was also organized by District Legal Services Authority at Gram Panchayat Mittewal today in which Advocate Mr. Sandeep and PLV were present. Mrs. Neelam Devi gave information about various schemes of NALSA.

SS DAV School's fifth
class result was 100%



JASPOONAM KOHLI
DINANAGAR: Giving information about this, the school principal Sushil Kumar said that 48 students of class V of the school took the examination, in which 8 students scored 90 percent marks. He said that Harsh got the first position with 93.4 percent marks, Mehak Thakur got the second position with 92.2 percent marks, Tamanna and Gursharan Kumar got the third position with 91.8 percent marks, Mannat Thakur got the fourth position with 91.4 percent marks, Nishika and Namit Kumar got 91.2 percent. The fifth position was secured by scoring marks, and Tanvi secured the sixth position with 90.4 per cent marks. He said that the rest of the children scored above 80 per cent. School Management Committee President Arvind Mehta, Secretary Madhur Bhashini, Manager Shashipal Gupta, PRO Sandeep Thakur and group staff congratulated the students and their parents for their excellent performance and wished for their bright future.

Session on safe construction
practices held



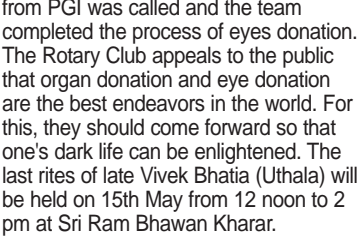
HARPREET SINGH LEHAL
JALANDHAR: A technical session was arranged by the Department of Civil Engineering at Mehr Chand Polytechnic College on "Safe Construction Practices" to make the students aware about the various do's and don'ts while supervising the Civil Construction works. This one day program was held under a joint exercise with Tata Tison in association with Consultancy Cell, Guru Nanak Dev Engineering College, Ludhiana. Under this pilot project the students will make more and more prospective house builders aware about the importance of safe building practices. Dr. Rajeev Bhatia, Head of Deptt. told that this is one of the unique exercise being done in the region to involve students in making the house builders aware about the various construction problems and their solutions. Representative from Tata Tison Mr. Pardeep Malhotra briefed the students about the program objectives and the importance of good quality materials specially the steel reinforcement. He was accompanied by Tushar, Arun and Satya Prakash. Two Technical sessions were engaged by Er. Yogesh Sharma and Er. Charanjit Singh, Asst. Prof. GNDEC, Ludhiana about the importance of Concrete and steel as construction materials. They also briefed the students about the faulty construction practices and their ill effects on buildings.

Big leads at a Young
Age: Jiwan Salaria

HARPREET SINGH LEHAL
JALANDHAR: In today's world, everyone wants to have a unique identity. So, in the same way, by refining his art, Jiwan Salaria is making his mark in the world as a Bhangra Player. He was born on 26/09/2001 in village Barota Puro Nangal, Mansurpur, Hoshiarpur to father Prem Singh and mother Raj Kumari. So Jiwan told himself that he was fond of bhangra from the beginning and he has made it his passion today by cultivating this hobby. Jeevan said that so far, he has done a lot of competition. Today, he is playing the folk orchestra team at Lovely Professional University and has received many honors from Lovely Professional University. Jiwan is moving on the path of this progress with a new hope. So, we pray, may Jiwan progress days and nights.

Senior Rotarian
Bhatia donates eyes
of his deceased son

SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR: After the death of MM Bhatia's son, a senior member of Rotary Club Kharar, his eyes were donated so that two persons could see this beautiful world. Disclosing this here today Harpreet Singh Rekhi, Eye Donation Motivator of Rotary Club said that the family of Rotarian MM Bhatia is very much aware about organ donation. Jyoti Bhatia, wife of late Vivek Bhatia (53), first expressed her desire to donate her husband's eyes and then the team of eye department from PGI was called and the team completed the process of eyes donation. The Rotary Club appeals to the public that organ donation and eye donation are the best endeavors in the world. For this, they should come forward so that one's dark life can be enlightened. The last rites of late Vivek Bhatia (Uthala) will be held on 15th May from 12 noon to 2 pm at Sri Ram Bhawan Kharar.



YUGMARG, CHANDIGARH, SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2022

Kedarnath witnesses huge influx of pilgrims, ITBP deployed for crowd management

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, MAY 13

After an unprecedented number of devotees turned up at the Kedarnath Temple, one of the Char Dhams in Uttarakhand, the Indo-Tibetan Border Force (ITBP) was deployed for crowd management on Friday. Since the yatra began, as many as 28 tourists en route to Kedarnath have died due to various reasons. On Thursday, a meeting of the Uttarakhand State government was called over the huge influx of tourists visiting the state for the yatra. It was decided to deploy the ITBP at the Kedarnath for crowd management. National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) will also assist temples in handling the crowds. Vivek Kumar Pandey, spokesperson of the ITBP said that the force has been deployed for security and streamlining darshan at Kedarnath Temple after a huge influx of pilgrims. "ITBP has been managing



the heavy rush to the Kedarnath temple and the Kedarnath valley," he said. Pandey further said that

more than 20,000 devotees are visiting the temple daily and due to the pilgrims' rush places such as Sonprayag, Ukhimath and

Woman molested and threatened to kill

DAULAT CHAUHAN
JAWALI: A case of molestation of a woman has come to the fore in village Ludhadi falling under Jwali sub-division. After boarding the bus, Mukam was coming back to her home from Ludhiana. So the car was parked at one place on the deserted road. The man standing outside the car asked him for his mobile number and on refusing she was molested by him. Vikram Chaudhary and Ketan Chaudhary also threatened to kill the woman for complaining. Police have registered a case and started investigation. Due to such an incident, there is an atmosphere of fear among the local people. Local people have demanded strictest punishment to these criminals by taking appropriate action in this matter at the earliest. On basis of woman's statement, a case has been registered against Vikram Chaudhary and Ketan Chaudhary.

Depot holders hands over demand letter to senior leaders of AAP and DC

JAGDISH
BANGA, MAY 13

Depot Holder Association District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar chief H S Sandal, along with his colleagues, by handing over a demand letter to Deputy Commissioner Nawanshahr NPS Randhawa and Lalit Mohan Pathak, MLA from Balachaur, Santosh Kumari and representative of Banga AAP, Kuljit Singh Sarhal. Appealed to keep the depot holders connected with the door to door ration supply scheme. He said that the government is putting a burden on the government exchequer by getting wheat milled. That is why the government should provide ration through depot holders only after interacting with village panchayats, flood consulars and other representatives. Along with this, he demanded to increase the commission of depot holders from rs50 to rupee 200 per quintal. In favor of the consumers, he said that the government should also provide the ration available under the



Pradhan Mantri Kalyan Yojana. In Punjab, more than 3 lakh families have been unable to take ration from this scheme. He has said that the Punjab government also got the ration delivered on time. He said that if the government does not do this, then the depot holders will go into the unemployed category. Already due to rising inflation, the standard of living of the people has come down. Government should do justice to the depot holders and consumers. On this occasion, Bahadur Chand Arora Pradhan Nawanshahr, Najar Singh Pradhan Sadoa, Pawan Kumar Pradhan Balachaur, Rampal District Secretary were present with them.

CPA exam in India has become very convenient for Indian candidates: Vinod Gupta

NEW DELHI, MAY 13

Candidates aspiring to make a career in accounting and finance globally can now take the US CPA exam in India as well. Earlier one had to go to America or Dubai to take this exam. But now you can give CPA exam in India also. There are 7 exam centres for CPA in India, which include Gurugram, Ahmedabad, Mumbai, Hyderabad, Bangalore, Chennai and Thiruvananthapuram. Candidates can choose any of these as per their convenience. America's Certified Public Accountant (CPA) course provides international recognition to accounting and finance professionals. The minimum qualification for this is graduation from commerce stream said Vinod Gupta, Managing Director, VG Learning. CA in India is considered equivalent to CPA, but India's CA course is not recognized in all countries. Whereas CPA is recognized in all major countries of the world and is the largest accounting body in the world. CPA has a presence in 122 countries. Vinod

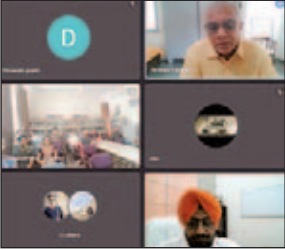


Gupta, MD, VG Learning said, For CPA, you have to clear 4 papers and student with proper dedication can clear with in one year. These include Auditing and Attestation, Business Environment and Concepts, Financial Accounting and Reporting and Regulation. Online registration can be done for this exam and one needs to complete evaluation process from NASBA. Vinod Gupta, MD, Delhi-based VG Learning says, "If you choose a career as a CPA, you will be exposed to international accounting practices, principles and standards.

Webinar in PU on 'Russia-Ukraine Crisis and Implications for India'

CHANDIGARH, MAY 13

Department of Defence and National Security, Panjab University Chandigarh organised a webinar on the theme "Russia-Ukraine Crisis and Implications for India" delivered by Prof ShrikantParanjpe, from Department of Defence and Strategic Studies, SavitribaiPhule Pune University, Pune. The speaker is currently a Research Fellow, Centre for Military Studies, Faculty of Military Science, Stellenbosch University, Cape Town, South Africa and Adjunct Professor in the Department of Defence and Strategic Studies, SavitribaiPhule Pune University. He was a Fulbright Fellow (Post-Doctoral, Research) at the George Washington University, Washington D.C. during 1985-86. He was also a Jawaharlal Nehru National Fellow (ICSSR) during 2016-17. He has numbers of national and international publications to his academic credits. Dr. Jaskaran Singh Waraich, Chairperson of the department initiated the proceeding of the webinar by welcoming the speaker as well as faculty, research scholars, and the students of the department. The Chairperson also introduced the speaker to the participants while highlighting the significance of the theme of the lecture. Prof. ShrikantParanjpe, in his opening remarks pointed out that Ukrainian crisis is an outcome of contesting regional and global interests of Russia and the United States of America.



DTF submits 'demand letter' for new recruitment and restoration of old pension



KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA, MAY 13

Regarding DTF's demand for the completion of old recruitments and issuance of new advertisements, regularization of raw teachers, non-teaching and computer faculty on full pay scales in the education department, and implementation of the old pension scheme on employees under the new pension scheme, a memorandum has been sent to Punjab Chief Minister through District Revenue Officer Gaggandip Singh today. DTF state leaders Gurmeet Sukhpur and Rajiv Kumar said that more than 35,000 posts are already being processed in the education department for pre-primary 8393, ETT 2364, 6635 + 22, and 5994 recruitment, master cadre 4161, PTI 643. , Art & Craft, 343 Lecturer Recruitment, Clerk Recruitment, and 25% Direct Recruitment Quota Accordingly, it is necessary to complete the recruitment process of school heads and issue appointment letters immediately.

Settlement of applications received in Jan Suwidha camps



KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA, MAY 13

The work of the common man must be done on a priority basis. Special care should be taken to ensure that no ordinary person is embarrassed in government offices. This was stated by Deputy Commissioner Barnala Dr. Harish Nair addressed a special meeting convened today regarding the applications received at the village level Jan Suwidha camps and their disposal. He said that district administration Barnala has so far organized Jan Suwidha camps at villages Shahina, Channanwal, and Ugoke where almost all the government departments have been engaged. The applications received during these camps have been read out in series today and instructions regarding them have been given and disposed of. The concerned departments have been directed regarding the problem of sewer in village Sehna, treatment of pond wastewater under the Thapar model, demand of villagers for the stadium, an animal dispensary in the village, and other issues related to the village. Similarly, guidelines have also been issued to the concerned departments regarding the removal of power lines at village Channanwal, allotment of 2-2 marla plots in the village, distribution of wheat in the village, etc.

According to guidelines issued by Deputy Inspector General of Police, Ferozepur Range

RAMESH KASHYAP
FEROZEPUR, MAY 13

Ferozepur under the special campaign launched by the Punjab Government against the seizure of kilograms of heroin, Mr. Charanjit Singh IPS. Under the leadership of Senior Captain Police, Ferozepur, a special drive has been launched by the District Police in Ferozepur to curb drug menace, under which Mr. Gurbinder Singh PPS Captain Police Investigation, Ferozepur and Jagdish Kumar PPS. Teams were formed under the supervision of Deputy Captain Police, (D) Ferozepur. Out of which S.I. Janak Raj, incharge CIA, Ferozepur team



got huge success when on 12-05-2022 S.I During Tara Singh Pass patrol at DAV School Chowk, Ferozepur Cantt. Going from Ferozepur cantt to Ferozepur city. Large quantities of heroin could be recovered from them if controlled. On which S.I. Case No. 1 12-05-2022 Aadth 21 NDPS filed by Tara Singh against the accused. Act Police Station Cantt Ferozepur was registered and the accused Vishner

was apprehended by raiding the nearby Triangular Bus Stand Ferozepur Cantt along with his team while Activa escaped with the help of his accomplice. According to the code of conduct from the arrested accused Vishner, Jagdish Kumar PPS. A search was conducted in the presence of Deputy Captain Police, (D) Ferozepur and 01 kg of heroin was recovered from the heavy envelope in the possession of the accused. During the preliminary interrogation, the accused stated that Vikas was his cousin and they used to make heroin by bringing cheap heroin from Mallanwala area and selling it at high prices.

Repair work will be finished within one week: Brahm Shankar Jhimpa

KULBHUSHAN GARG
GIDDERBAHA, MAY 13

Punjab Revenue and Water Resources Minister Brahm Shankar Jhimpa today visited Muktsar to have first hand information in the ongoing repair of Sirhind Feeder where a breach of around 250 feet was reported last week. The river breached its banks on both sides and the area adjoining Rajasthan Feeder which is running parallel to Sirhind Feeder too hot damaged. "Our officials are burning night oil to plug the entire area of canal at a war footing. Water will again flow in the canal within next one week or so", the Minister said. Areas falling in Muktsar district and Fazilka got affected due to this breach. The Minister also pointed out that the places which are weak at other places too will be repaired.



Also the canal safety gates which were worn out too will be repaired or replaced. Principal Secretary of the department Krishan Kumar who also visited the canal said that complaints pertaining to the use of inferior quality of repair work has been noted down and a close watch will be kept for the ongoing work. The department officials said that the breach occurred as Rajasthan

Feeder's water supply was stopped due to its repair and it's flow was diverted into Sirhind Feeder. The level of water increased in Sirhind Canal which resulted in breach. Among others who were also present during the occasion were Cabinet Minister Dr. Baljeet Kaur, Muktsar MLA Kaka Brar, Lambi MLA Gurmeet Khuddian, Jalalabad MLA Goldy Kamboj, DC Vineet Kumar.

NORTHERN RAILWAY

Tender Notice

Sr. Divisional Commercial Manager, Northern Railway, Ambala Cantt on behalf of the President of India invites e-tender from Public Sector Bank/Scheduled Commercial Indian Bank for installation and operation of ATMs for a period of five (05) years for the under noted 14 locations of 09 stations over Ambala Division. The detail is as under: -

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| 1 | NIT No. & Date | C-1-ATM/2019/Ambala Division dt. 13.05.2022 | |
| 2 | Railway Website | www.ireps.gov.in | |
| 3 | Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) | Rs. 5000/- | |
| 4 | Tender Cost | Rs. 1,180/- (Including GST @18%) | |
| 5 | Pre-bid Conference Date & Time | 23.05.2022 at 11:00 hrs Commercial Branch, Divisional Office Ambala) | |
| 6 | Tender closing date & time | 15.06.2022 at 15:00 Hrs. | |
| 7 | Name of stations | 1.Chandigarh 2. Saharanpur 3. Sirhind 4. Rajpura 5. Ambala Cantt. 6. Ambala City 7. Shahbajada Aijt Singh Nagar (Mohali) 8. Kalka 9. Shimla | |

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Tender form and other related information are also available on the website www.ireps.gov.in. Manual offers are not allowed against these tenders. Bidders will be able to submit their original/revised bids up to closing date and time only. Bidders are allowed to make payments against these tenders towards their tender cost and earnest money only through payment modes available on IREPS portal like net banking, debit cards, credit card etc. Manual payments through Demand draft, Banker's cheque, deposit receipts etc. are not allowed.

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SERVING CUSTOMERS WITH A SMILE

EDITORIAL

Deep focus

One of the most moving experiences during lockdown was watching *Be Pretty and Shut Up!* by Delphine Seyrig. The 1981 film had all but disappeared till Mubi decided to stream it. In this documentary, the celebrated French actress interviews 22 actresses from Hollywood and Europe on being part of an industry that is overwhelmingly male-dominated. Among those interviewed are Jane Fonda, Shirley MacLaine, Maria Schneider and Ellen Burstyn. Seyrig's style is stark: she interviews the actresses herself but remains outside the frame; the actresses just talk facing the camera. It is a reminder that an excess of craft can be male vanity and arrogance, two things that feature prominently in the film. The only actress not interviewed by Seyrig is MacLaine, whose interview is taken from television.

The actresses speak of an extreme alienation from their own selves as women when performing. Something as seemingly innocuous as make-up can turn into an instrument of the violence that accomplishes this alienation. Fonda paints a terrifying picture of the make-up room the day she first faced the camera. At Warner Brothers for a make-up test, she was made to sit in something like a dentist's chair, with lots of lights on her face and the men stood around her "like surgeons", talking about having her jaw broken by a dentist to hollow out her cheeks. Her jaw remained whole, but Jack Warner wanted her to wear false breasts, which she did for some time. "Which meant that I, Jane Fonda, was here, and this image was there, and there was this alienation between the two," she says. The French actress, Rita Renoir, who makes a tantalizing appearance in Michelangelo Antonioni's *Red Desert*, says, "What they always wanted from me was the game where I say, 'Yes, I am so stupid, I have so much to learn from you,'" she says. "The only parts I am offered are schizophrenics, crazies, lesbians, murderers," says French actress, Maria Schneider, who is 23 at the time. By then she had already acted in Bernardo Bertolucci's *Last Tango in Paris*. She would reveal later that the scene in which Marlon Brando's character rapes her involved real sexual humiliation, something that Bertolucci and Brando had planned without telling her. She says she would like to work with men her age (Brando was 28 years older than her). But then men only mature and great men are ageless. Perhaps all this can also explain why women, as viewers, can come out feeling more than slightly uncomfortable even after watching a 'great' film. As a woman, you are watching something out there that is not you, but meant to be you.

Arrest of 90-yr old Hong Kong cardinal sparks row

Amid rising fears that Beijing would begin instituting closer control over the church in Hong Kong, the detention of a 90-year-old retired bishop of Hong Kong cardinal Joseph Zen, prompted an immediate outcry from international human rights leaders along with calls for the government to uphold religious freedom in the city.

Shortly after the new security law in Hong Kong was implemented on June 30, 2020, Cardinal Zen said that while he would remain prudent, he was prepared to suffer arrest and trials under the new law.

Notably, the Hong Kong national security law, officially the Law of the People's Republic of China speaks of "Safeguarding National Security in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region." However, Hong Kong's 2020 security law made participating in or supporting the pro-democracy movement crimes of subversion and collusion with foreign organizations and allowed for those remanded to be extradited to mainland China.

Punishment ranges between a minimum of three years and a maximum of life imprisonment.

The cardinal was detained and held by the national security police for his support of anti-government protesters, reported *The Catholic Register*, the oldest English Catholic publication in Canada.

"If right and proper words were considered against their law, I will endure all the suing, trials, and arrests. Numerous predecessors have endured similarly," he said in a video posted on



his Facebook page. Cardinal Zen has publicly delivered detailed critiques of Beijing. He has been close to other high-profile dissidents and has gone as far as sleeping on the streets with student protesters.

Beijing has a history of arresting and jailing priests and bishops, with a number still unaccounted for in recent decades. The detention of Joseph Zen came months after the state-run media attacked his activism in a series of articles.

The cardinal and three other trustees of the now-defunct 612 Humanitarian Relief Fund were detained separately on May 10 and May 11, and all were released on May 11. The fund was set up to offer financial assistance to those involved in anti-gov-

ernment protests in 2019 and was disbanded after coming under scrutiny by authorities over the past year.

The cardinal and others were interrogated in the Wan Chai police station for allegedly colluding with foreign forces. After the cardinal's arrest, the Diocese of Hong Kong said in a statement, "We have always upheld the rule of law. We trust that in the future we will continue enjoying religious freedom in Hong Kong under the Basic Law."

Chris Smith, co-chair of the Tom Lantos Human Rights Commission and ranking member of the Congressional-Executive Commission on China said, "Criminalizing freedom of expression as 'sedition,' casting legitimate international engagement as 'col-

lusion with foreign forces,' and suppressing people of faith for their religious, social and political beliefs is designed to make engagement with Hong Kong human rights and democracy leaders impossible, as the CCP is determined to make Hong Kong a de facto province of the People's Republic of China," Smith said.

He also called on the Vatican to "raise its voice regarding this outrageous attack on the independence of the church in Hong Kong," as per the publication.

Smith said the arrests "just days after Beijing loyalist John Lee became Hong Kong's next leader underscores the Chinese Communist Party's determination to eradicate the rule of law in once-free-and-democratic Hong Kong."

A tweet from the 2022 International Religious Freedom summit called the arrest "on charges of 'collusion w/foreign forces' -- a deeply troubling development in China's ongoing crackdown on advocates of democracy and now, apparently, on religious leaders."

Notably, Cardinal Joseph Zen reassured Catholics he is fine after being detained and held by the national security police for his support of anti-government protesters.

"I have spoken with Cardinal Zen," Hong Kong Bishop Stephen Chow Sau-yan wrote on his Facebook page. "He told me to let his friends know that he is fine. Not to worry. And he wants us to take a low-profile approach for him," he added.

Japan bans exports of hi-tech goods to Russia



Japan has decided to ban the exports of high-tech goods - such as quantum computers, 3D printers and electron microscopes - to Russia, the country's Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry said on Friday.

"Amid the international situation around Ukraine, our country is making a contribution to the international efforts for ensuring peace in the whole world, for settling this issue, as well as imposes a ban on the exports of high-tech goods (quantum computers and 3D printers) to Russia in line with the government's decision as of May 10. These measures enter into force on May 20," the ministry said.

The list of the goods, banned for the exports to Russia, includes oil re-

fining equipment, quantum computers and their components, electron microscopes, atomic force microscopes, 3D printers and their consumables, equipment for the production of organic light emitting diodes, equipment for the production of microelectromechanical circuits, equipment for the production of high-efficiency solar cells for hydrogen fuel and renewable energy, vacuum pumps, refrigeration equipment designed for extremely low temperatures, materials that make it difficult to detect electromagnetic waves, and other equipment.

Japan has joined the sanctions campaign against Russia after the latter launched the military operation in Ukraine on February 24.

The power of words



communicating with their minds in the midst of great frustration and failure. You will be amazed that many powers reside in the human mind. They need to show self-suggestion matches so that they explode like gunpowder. A person's self-confidence will be awakened and he will be able to complete any task. Remember that the following words are very valuable for awakening your dormant self-confidence or boosting your mind and dispelling your doubts and fears. These words are: - * I have the power to do this work. I will do this work. I will breathe only after completing this work. *

No genius, philosopher, thinker or writer in the world needs any proof to prove his point. Their strongest self-confidence is their greatest proof. Words spoken with conviction have so much power that people believe them to be true and are willing to act accordingly. You too can boost your self-confidence by talking to yourself. The words that you utter with your mouth, if

you do not accept them with your inner soul, then those words will prove to be lifeless. They will have no effect on anyone. That is why it is very important to have your complete mental and spiritual power behind every word that comes out of your mouth. Try talking to yourself. You will recognize it and then with the help of that power you will be able to get whatever you want. Words have a very high place among the best qualities that make a human being popular.

The words should be truthful, benevolent, the voice should be sweet, attractive, soft, melodious, not out of tune, the vocabulary should be pure, chosen.

This kind of excellence of words gives personality a special kind of dignity. Words are an infallible weapon to make up for the lack of appearance and if the appearance is also good and the words are also excellent then the personality of the person with that deed takes four moons. If words are so important then let's soften the words of our children and school children, improve their words. Let us acquire the power of words with the help of enthusiasm, courage, desire, patience, determination and unwavering faith while struggling with life with hope, self-confidence, education, intellect and strength.

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Block Sri Hargobindpur,
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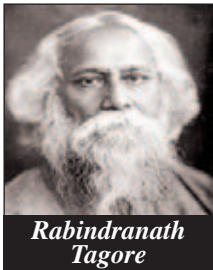
Fireflies

I touch God in my song
as the hill touches the far-
away sea with
its waterfall.

The butterfly
counts not
months but
moments, and

has time enough. Let my
love, like sunlight, sur-
round you and yet give
you illumined freedom.
Love remains a secret
even when spoken, for
only a lover truly knows
that he is loved.

Rabindranath Tagore



Lunar soil can generate oxygen and fuel

According to a new study, soil on the moon contains active compounds that can convert carbon dioxide into oxygen and fuels.

The study was published in the journal, *Joule*.

Nanjing University material scientists Yingfang Yao and Zhigang Zou hope to design a system that takes advantage of lunar soil and solar radiation, the two most abundant resources on the moon.

After analyzing the lunar soil brought back by China's *Chang'e 5* spacecraft, their team found the sample contains compounds -- including iron-rich and titanium-rich substances -- that could work as a catalyst to make desired products such as oxygen using



sunlight and carbon dioxide.

Based on the observation, the team proposed an "extraterrestri-

al photosynthesis" strategy. Mainly, the system uses lunar soil to electrolyze water extracted

from the moon and in astronauts' breathing exhaust into oxygen and hydrogen-powered by sunlight. The carbon dioxide exhaled by moon inhabitants is also collected and combined with hydrogen from water electrolysis during a hydrogenation process catalyzed by lunar soil.

The process yields hydrocarbons such as methane, which could be used as fuel.

The strategy uses no external energy but sunlight to produce a variety of desirable products such as water, oxygen, and fuel that could support life on a moonbase, the researchers said. The team is looking for an opportunity to test the system in space, likely with China's future crewed lunar mis-

sions.

"We use in-situ environmental resources to minimize rocket payload, and our strategy provides a scenario for a sustainable and affordable extraterrestrial living environment," Yao said.

While the catalytic efficiency of lunar soil is less than catalysts available on Earth, Yao said the team is testing different approaches to improve the design, such as melting the lunar soil into a nanostructured high-entropy material, which is a better catalyst.

Previously, scientists have proposed many strategies for extraterrestrial survival. But most designs require energy sources from Earth. For example,

NASA's *Perseverance* Mars rover brought an instrument that can use carbon dioxide in the planet's atmosphere to make oxygen, but it's powered by a nuclear battery onboard.

"In the near future, we will see the crewed spaceflight industry developing rapidly," said Yao.

"Just like the 'Age of Sail' in the 1600s when hundreds of ships head to the sea, we will enter an 'Age of Space.'"

But if we want to carry out large-scale exploration of the extraterrestrial world, we will need to think of ways to reduce payload, meaning relying on as little supplies from Earth as possible and using extraterrestrial resources instead," he concluded.

Motorola launches the world's thinnest 5G phone-motorola edge 30

S HIMLA: An exceptional package, today Motorola launched the Motorola edge 30, which is not just India's lightest 5G smartphone at 155gm, but also the world's thinnest 5G smartphone measuring just 6.79mm. The Motorola Edge 30 is also the first smartphone in India to feature the Snapdragon 778G+ 5G processor for a flagship grade performance that delivers smooth multitasking and best-in-class gaming with support for Qualcomm Elite Gaming. Besides that, it features the best in segment 144Hz, 10-bitOLED display that supports over a billion colours. The incredible display also supports HDR10+, DC-Dimming and comes with an in-display fingerprint reader. The entertainment experience on the edge 30 is further amplified with stereo speakers that come with Dolby Atmos and support Snapdragon Sound for the most immersive and near lossless audio experience.

Truecaller App helps increase reach of DCW 181 Women Helpline

S HIMLA: The Delhi Commission for Women's Helpline - '181' received 200% more calls by integrating the 181 Women's Helpline Quick Dial Feature within the Truecaller App. Since March this year, Truecaller started displaying the women's safety helpline number - 181 - on its dialler, as part of its campaign on crimes against women and girls - #ItsNotOk. With the Women's Helpline 181 being prominently visible within the Truecaller dialler, the Delhi Commission of Women witnessed a huge spike in the calls that were landing on the Helpline in Delhi. Prior to Truecaller's integration, the Commission's helpline 181 received around 2000 calls per day, which has now grown to more than 4,000 calls per day resulting in almost a 200% increase in total calls received per day. A significant portion of the 65.5k calls received in March were to enquire about the role of the 181 Women Helpline and understand its role in the safety of women and girls.

Ranveer take over international @TwitterMovies account

C HANDIGARH: When it comes to the world of cinema, Twitter is where all the real-time action unfolds - be it exclusive first-looks, fan Q&As, or even movie premieres. This week, the service gave cinema buffs yet another #OnlyOnTwitter moment. Yash Raj Films (@yrf) partnered with Twitter to celebrate Ranveer Singh (@RanveerOfficial)'s upcoming comedy Jayeshbhai Jordaar which is slated to release on 13th May 2022, with his fans around the world. On Wednesday, May 11th, at 11:00 am, the actor brought his Jordaar persona exclusively to Twitter and took over the Twitter Movies (@TwitterMovies) account to engage with his fans worldwide. He became the first Bollywood celebrity to do so, joining the likes of Robert Pattinson, Zoe Kravitz, Tom Holland, Nicholas Cage and award-winning cast of Dune to name a few. During the takeover, Ranveer responded to fan questions submitted using the hashtag #AskRanveer, delighting his Indian as well as international fans on the service. The account's header image also switched to a Jayeshbhai Jordaar-themed avatar. Twitter has even introduced a custom emoji, which fans can activate by Tweeting with the hashtags #JayeshbhaiJordaar, #Jayeshbhai and #Jordaar. .

Senco Gold Launches its premium jewellery showroom 'D'Signia'

C handigarh—Senco Gold & Diamonds, the largest organised jewellery retail player of eastern India, based on number of stores, expands its footprint in North India with the launch of its premium jewellery showroom - 'D'SIGNIA' in Chandigarh, Punjab. This is the first showroom by Senco Gold & Diamonds in Chandigarh and overall eighth D'SIGNIA showroom in the country. The new two-storied D'SIGNIA showroom is located at the SCO147-148, Sector-170 Bridge Road, Chandigarh, Punjab-160017. This showroom in Punjab will offer a wide range of elegantly designed jewellery collections for all occasions. Expressing his views on the launch of the new showroom in Chandigarh, Mr. Suvankar Sen, MD & CEO, Senco Gold & Diamonds said, "We are delighted to launch our first showroom in the state of Punjab. With a catalogue offering more than 108,000 designs for gold jewellery and more than 46,000 designs for diamond jewellery, Senco Gold and Diamonds offers a large variety of designs of handcrafted jewellery, most of which are designed and manufactured in-house by its designers in close collaboration with skilled local craftsmen (generally termed as 'Karigars') in Kolkata and across the country. We have jewellery for every purpose and we are thrilled to bring meticulously crafted exquisite pieces of jewellery .

Skill India International Centre to be set up at Varanasi

C HANDIGARH: A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was exchanged between NSDC International (NSDCI) and the Indian unit of DP World, Hindustan Ports Private Limited to develop a Skill India International Centre at Varanasi and to skill Indian youth for pursuing overseas employment opportunities in logistics, port operations and allied areas. Skill India International Centre at Varanasi will impart skillling as per international standards, preparing the candidates for global markets. The MoU was exchanged between Shri Ved Mani Tiwari, Director, NSDC International and Mohammed Al Muallem, Executive Vice President, DP World and Director, HPPL in the presence of Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Union Minister of Education & Minister of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship; Shri Rajeev Chandrasekar, Minister of State for Skill Development& Entrepreneurship; Dr. Ahmad Belhouai Al Falasi, Minister of State for Entrepreneurship & SMEs, UAE; Shri Rajesh Aggarwal, Secretary, MSDE; Shri Sanjay Sudhir, Ambassador of India to UAE and Rizwan Soomrai, CEO and Managing Director, DP World subcontract.

Paradeep phosphates limited initial Public offering to open on may 17

G URUGRAM: Paradeep Phosphates Limited (The "Company") to open its initial public offering (the "Offer") on May 17, 2022. The Anchor Investor Bid/Offer Period is one Working Day prior to Bid/Offer Opening Date, that is, May 13, 2022. The Price Band of the Offer has been fixed at < 39 per Equity Share to > 42 per Equity Share of face of < 10 each. Bids can be made for a minimum of 350 Equity Shares and in multiples of 350 Equity Shares thereafter. The Issue offer comprises (i) fresh issue of equity shares face value > 10 each share aggregating to < 10,040 million (The "Fresh Issue") and (ii) Offer for Sale up to 118,507,493 equity shares by Promoter Selling Shareholders and Gol Selling Shareholder (The "Offer for Sale"). The Company intends to utilise net proceeds from fresh issue towards (i) Part-financing the acquisition of the Goa Facility; (ii) Repayment/prepayment of certain of our borrowings; and (iii) General corporate purposes. The offer for sale comprises of up to 6,018,493 equity shares by Zuari Maroc Phosphates Private Limited and up to 112,489,000 equity shares by The President of India, acting through the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, Government of India. (The "Promoter Selling Shareholders" and Gol Selling Shareholder).

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India is home to over 30 million asthmatic : Dr. Mandal

C handigarh: The Global Burden of Disease (GBD) study has estimated that India is home to over 30 million asthmatics, accounting for 13.09% of the global burden. However, when it comes to mortality, India accounts for over 42% of all global asthma deaths. Despite being a leading cause of morbidity and mortality, the disease continues to be undiagnosed and untreated for years. Population-based studies done globally, have estimated that 20% to 70% of patients with asthma remain undiagnosed and hence untreated. The various contributory factors for underdiagnosis and undertreatment of asthma include lack of disease awareness, poor adherence to inhalation therapy, illiteracy, poverty, and social stigma. The patients often overlook their early symptoms which eventually lands them in a more critical condition. According to the Global Asthma Network (GAN) study, 82% of patients with early symptoms and 70% of patients with severe asthma, remain undiagnosed in India. The percentage of adherence to the optimal treatment is also very low among diagnosed patients, with less than 2.5% of patients using daily inhalation

therapy. Citing the GAN study, Dr. Zafar Ahmad Iqbal & Dr. Amit Kumar Mandal, Pulmonologist, Fortis Hospital, Mohali stressed on the importance of addressing the social stigma towards asthma. "When an asthmatic patient consults a doctor, only 71% of doctors give



the diagnosis of "Asthma" as the name of their disease while close to a third(29%) use other terminologies. Also, at the patient level, only 23% of asthmatic patients call their disease as asthma. The social stigma associated with asthma and the use of inhalers is prevalent. Further, patients barely

adhere to medication and mostly take symptom-driven treatment. Awareness, Acceptance, and Adherence need to be aligned to win against asthma." Dr. Iqbal and Dr Mandal highlighted, "Asthma is considered as a stigma and many patients conceal the disease. It is only when the symptoms aggravate or are intolerable a patient consults a physician and will take the medication that is prescribed. We need to keep reminding patients that Symptom-free is NOT asthma-free. This remains one of the biggest challenges in asthma management. Many patients discontinue using inhalers once they feel better. This discontinuation often leads to flare-up of symptoms which can worsen disease outcomes. Further, incorrect notions such as inhalers being harmful and habit forming also play a role in treatment non-adherence. Hence this needs to be addressed aggressively" The need of the hour for patients is to gain timely consultation with a physician, which will help him get the right information and diagnosis forhis symptoms and start with the right treatment early on. Timely diagnosis is very important to manage asthma.

Samsung Launches AI-Enabled EcoBubble Washing Machine

C handigarh : Samsung, India's largest and most trusted consumer electronics brand,today announced the launch of its 2022 range of artificial intelligence enabled bi-lingual AI EcoBubble™fully automatic front loadwashing machines. The new lineup comeswith all new AI Wash feature for an effortless laundry experienceandlarger capacity models going up to 12 kg, as consumers shift their preference to bigger washing machines. The latest range will be available across all retail partners, onSamsung's official online store Samsung Shop, Amazon and Flipkart starting May 10, 2022. "Consumer convenience is at the core of our innovation strategy and we are committed to providing them with smart home appliances that simplify their lives. Our new AI-enabled bi-lingual washing machine line-up is a breakthrough innovation that leverages the advances in Machine Learning to offer simple, intelligent and personalized laundry solutions to consumers. We are confident that the new range will further enhance consumer lifestyles and will witness strong adoption across the country,"saidMr.Mohandeep Singh, Senior Vice President, Consumer Electronics Business, Samsung India. With this launch, Samsung has introduced a limited period 'The Big Laundry Offer' to provide consumers purchasing Samsung AIEcoBubble™ washing machines in 7 kg, 8 kg and 9 kg capacity with an exciting opportunity to get up to 25% off. Consumers will also get an additional cashback of up to 17.5% on 8 kg and 9 kg models and up to 12.5% on 7 kg models. This offer is valid across retail stores till June 10, 2022.The 2022 washing machine line-up, with 40 models, comeswith intelligent features such as AI Wash, Air Wash Technology and SuperSpeed Cycle that take the consumers' laundry experience several notches higher.AI Wash uses sensors to sense the laundry's weight and level of soiling.

Dabur Vita, India's best Immunity Expert, organizes immunity session for Kids



P anchkula. : With schools reopening and the start of the new academic session, Dabur Vita, the leading Health Food Drink from the House of Dabur, today announced the launch of a Mega Immunity Awareness Campaign to build awareness about the importance of strong immunity among school-going children. The drive was flagged off in Panchkula with a special session covering more than 500 kids from Brilliance World School. The kids were educated on ways to boost their immunity through basic hygiene practices and a nutritious diet. A special Immunity Kit, comprising Dabur Vita and Dabur Chyawanprash, were also provided to these

students. Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Alok Kapoor , Regional Sales Manager, Dabur India Ltd. said, "Since physical classes have started, strong immunity is the primary need of every child as we are not yet out of the pandemic. The importance of strong immunity in strengthening one's overall health during the pandemic as well as its critical role in fighting the virus is well established, globally. Keeping this in mind, Dabur Vita has joined hands with leading NGOs/Schools from five cities in India i.e. Kolkata, Pune, Mumbai, Chandigarh and Lucknow, to improve awareness about the need to build a stronger immune system to fight againstillnesses."

Regular health check-ups are mainstay of heart disease prevention

K angra : As per recent estimates, heart diseases are the leading cause of mortality and responsible for 28% of all deaths. In 2016, the estimated prevalence of CVDs in India was estimated to be 54.5 million. Today, 1 in 4 deaths are because of cardiovascular diseases, particularly, ischemic heart disease and stroke. Indians are known to have the highest coronary artery disease (CAD) rates, and migrant Asian Indians have a 3-times higher prevalence of CAD than the native population. Coronary artery disease (CAD) may present as a chest pain or discomfort caused when the heart muscles don't get enough oxygen-rich blood. There have been several instances recently of relatively fit young individuals dying suddenly due to cardiac diseases. This has made it necessary to reevaluate the risk



factors in present times and raise awareness about the disease among the general population. Speaking about this, Dr Nipun Mahajan, Chief Interventional Cardiologist, Tagore Hospital and Heart Care Center, Jalandhar, said "Considering the vulnerability of the young population to coronary artery disease (CAD) in India, it is imperative to opt for preventive measures at a younger age.

Voot Select is all set to unfold story of unconventional love

Chandigarh : In its endeavour to redefine entertainment by presenting distinct stories to the masses, Voot Select is geared up for the exclusive launch of a modern-day romantic saga, titled 'Aadhalshq'. Spanning across nine episodes, Aadhalshq, starring Aamna Sharif, GauravArora, PratibhaRanta and Kunaal Roy Kapur in lead roles, delves into an unconventional tale of forbidden love, which will unfold exclusively on Voot Select from 12th May 2022. Set against the scenic backdrops of Gulmarg, Srinagar and Mussoorie, Aadhalshq follows the events that transpire when Rene (played by PratibhaRanta), falls head over heels in love with the charismatic Sahir (played by Gaurav Arora), an artist who had a turbulent romantic history with her mother, Roma (played by Aamna Sharif). What makes Sahir reappear in his old flame Roma's life after



ten years, forms the crux of this unique and contemporary romantic drama. The supporting cast of the series boasts of SuchitraPillai, DarshheelSafary, PoojaBhamrahand Gautam Ahujain key roles.

Nippon Paint India announces Rangon Ke Badshah

J allandhar Nippon Paint India has launched 'Rangon Ke Badshah', a unique, pan India program to uplift, reward and recognize the garage painter community and identify India's top car painters.

This 8-month long initiative which is the first of its kind for car painters in the Indian automotive market, has been launched today and will end on 14th January 2023. This program aims to connect with over 10,000 car painters across the country through a unique nationwide outreach that will include skill contests, loyalty benefits as well as rewards & recognition with the top prize of a Tata Tiago car.



The scheme is based on a simple points tally, from which the winners will be identified. To ensure that painters from each part of the country have equal opportunities, the company has segmented the country into 45 city clusters and each city cluster champion will win a motorbike. The company will also provide personal accident insurance of Rs 2 Lac to thousands of painters. For the future generations of the painter community, the company has also announced merit based, education grant of up to Rs 12,000 per child per annum, towards school fees reimbursement of deserving children of the participating painters. Most importantly, every participating painter will earn monthly rewards based on points accumulated in a month, based on Nippon Paint products purchases, with direct bank transfers.

Knee & joint problems consultation camp on Sunday

Patiala: Ivy Hospital, Mohali in association with Aggarwal Sabha, Patiala is organising a knee & joint problems free consultation camp at Aggarwal Sabha Bhawan, Maharaja Aggarsain Marg, Jourian Bhattian, Patiala on May 15 . During camp the patients can avail free consultation services on total knee replacement, total hip replacement, total shoulder replacement, disc surgery, hand reconstruction, osteotomy , arthroscopy, revision joint surgery, diabetic foot treatment, spine fusion & fixation and bone fracture repair. In camp hospital team led by its director a head - orthopaedics and joint replacement surgery Dr Bhanu Pratap Singh Saluja will coNsult the people.

Stay in Charge – the OnePlus 10R5Glaunched in India

C handigarh : The global technology brand OnePlus officially has launched the latest OnePlus 10R in India. The OnePlus 10R is equipped with150W SUPERVOOC Endurance Edition – the fastest wired charging ever in a OnePlus smartphone and one of the fastest wired charging standards in the industry. The device is powered by the customized and exclusive MediaTek Dimensity 8100-MAX chipset and has a 120 Hz Fluid AMOLED display, along with the largest and most advanced cooling system in any OnePlus device to date. "The OnePlus R series exists to make the seamless integration of top-of-the-line hardware and software more accessible to a wider audience of gaming enthusiasts. The OnePlus 10R takes this concept to the next level by offering industry-leading technologies like 150W SUPERVOOC Endurance Edition at a competitive price point," said NavnitNakra, India CEO and Head of India Region, OnePlus India. "Our fastest ever charging technology, combined with the MediaTek Dimensity 8100-MAX chipset, a high refresh rate display, and an advanced cooling system enable the OnePlus 10R to deliver truly exceptional performance."The OnePlus 10R with 150W SUPERVOOC Endurance Edition can deliver a day's power after just 10 minutes of charging and its 4,500 mAh battery can be recharged from 1-100% in 17 minutes. 150W SUPERVOOC Endurance Edition is TÜV Rheinland certified for safe fast charging, meaning it has gone through rigorous testing to ensure the device delivers a charging experience that meets OnePlus' high standards.

LIC HFL revises ROI for loan products

M umbai: LIC Housing Finance Ltd (LIC HFL), one of India's largest Housing Finance companies, has revised the rate of interest for its loan products on the back of the Reserve Bank of India's (RBI) announcement on 4th May 2022, revising the repo rate. Accordingly, LICHFL has revised its rates of interest upwards across retail loan product categories. The new interest rate on home loans starts from 6.9% with effect from 13th May 2022. Commenting on this interest rate revision, MD & CEO Shri Y. Viswanatha Gowd said, "RBI has after a long time increased the policy rates and the effect is being seen across the lenders. We have kept our home loan rates competitive despite the increase in the cost of funds to support the aspirations of home buyers. For borrowers with CIBIL score 700 and above the rate hike has been limited to only 20 bps. In my view, this increase may not have significant impact on the EMI loan. I am confident that demand for Home Loans continues to be high."



Indian exporters on Amazon Global Selling on track to surpass \$5 billion

L udhiana :-Amazon today unveiled the Exports Digest 2022 and announced that cumulative exports by Indian exporters on the Amazon Global Selling program are on track to surpass the \$5 billion milestone. The program took about three years to enable the first billion dollars, and the last two billion dollars have come in just 17 months. The program has been witnessing remarkable adoption amongst businesses of all sizes across the country and has grown to more than 1 lakh (100K) exporters since its launch in 2015. These exporters are showcasing millions of 'Made in India' products to customers worldwide through Amazon's 18 international websites in countries such as USA, UK, UAE, Canada, Mexico, Germany, Italy, France, Spain, Netherlands, Turkey, Brazil, Japan, Australia, and Singapore. Encouraged by the rapid growth that the program has been witnessing, Amazon has doubled its exports pledge, to now enable \$20 billion in cumulative exports from India by 2025. Hon'ble Union Minister of Micro Small and Medium Enterprises, Shri Narayan Rane, said, "MSMEs are the backbone of India's economy, contributing to around a third of India's GDP and driving nearly half of the country's exports. Enhancing the export potential of Indian MSMEs is a key government priority and efforts are being made to support Indian MSMEs for their success in international markets. Amazon's continued efforts towards enhancing the share of MSME exports is commendable, and their commitment to enable \$20 billion of exports by 2025 is very timely. I would like to congratulate Amazon and all the MSMEs for playing an important role in driving export-led growth to help realize the vision of an Aatmanirbhar Bharat". Amit Agarwal, SVP India and Emerging Markets, Amazon said, "We are excited by the remarkable growth that over 1 lakh exporters are witnessing through our Global Selling program. In 2020, Amazon had pledged to enable \$10 billion in cumulative exports from India by 2025 using this program.

Tata AIA Life Insurance Sampoorna Raksha Supreme Plan

C HANDIGARH: Tata AIA Life's Sampoorna Raksha Supreme is an insurance plan that provides financial protection to your family and offers you the flexibility to choose the plan that suits your need. It provides option to consumers to cover themselves till the age 100, thereby creating a guaranteed tax-free corpus from day one. The corpus can be used to provide immediate liquidity to the legal heirs, or can be used as an equitable estate planning tool, or consumers can simply leave a legacy for their loved ones. At the time of purchase, the policyholder can opt for the 'Life Stage' option, which allows the policyholder to increase the life cover periodically based on financial needs by paying an additional insurance premium. The policy holder will be able to avail the instant online medical consultations for over 23 specialties. This unique feature will allow a policyholder to connect with a doctor in about 180 seconds during the emergency. Also, the personal medical case management (PMCM) facility will allow to get an advice from global experts with 24/7 multiple consultation services for 3 months in case of heart ailments or cancer. The consumers have flexibility to choose from the following death benefit options: Life Option: A pure risk variant wherein the consumers choose the base sum assured at the time of purchase.

Koo's Co-Founder and CEO Aprameya Radhakrishna Recognized Among Top 100 Global Tech Changemakers

G URUGRAM : Koo's Co-Founder and CEO, Aprameya Radhakrishna has been recognized amongst Top 100 most influential tech leaders by international non-profit journalism organization Rest of World (RoW). Koo's core value proposition of enabling self-expression in local languages, has been recognized as an innovative and disruptive solution solving a real-world problem, while positively impacting the lives of millions. Koo's Co-Founder and CEO Aprameya Radhakrishna has been recognized by RoW as one of the 100 most influential personalities in the world who are building products for the communities they know best, while overcoming unique challenges. Koo was built to empower internet users in India - a country where just 10 percent people speak English - to express themselves in their local languages, and discover and interact with their local communities. Koo's Aprameya Radhakrishna is in fact, the only entrepreneur from India to be featured in the 'Culture and Social Media' category in RoW100: Global Tech's Changemakers - which heralds dynamic entrepreneurs, innovators and investors outside the West, whose outstanding contributions are transforming communities worldwide. Aprameya Radhakrishna, Co-Founder and CEO, Koo, is proud to be recognized among RoW100: Global Tech's Changemakers, which features the most prolific entrepreneurs and visionaries around the world who are shaping the lives of millions through unique, breakthrough solutions. To be recognized by a prestigious organization like Rest of World, is truly an honor for us. We found a gap in language-based micro-blogging and built a solution which offers a superior and immersive multi-language experience.



Aashirvaad launches 'RahoChaar Kadam Aaage'

C handigarh :Aashirvaad Atta, India's No.1 packaged atta brand, announced a special initiative 'RahoChaar Kadam Aage'. The campaign is aimed at enabling homemakers fulfill their innate need to be accomplished through upskilling and helping them to monetize the acquired skills. 'RahoChaar Kadam Aage' is a celebration of this flagship brand's 20-year momentous journey in which it has delighted millions of homemakers. In an endeavour to further strengthen their relationship with them, the brand has partnered with Hunar Online Courses, an online learning platform, to provide a range of courses to equip women with contemporary skills and help them embark on their entrepreneurial journey. In addition, Aashirvaad has collaborated with Flipkart, India's homegrown e-commerce marketplace, to offer women a selling platform once they complete their course. As part of this initiative, Aashirvaadaims to offer courses with a value of over Rs 45 crore and reach over 1,50,000 women. To participate, homemakers can register themselves by purchasing Aashirvaad Atta's promotional pack and scanning the QR code or giving a missed call on the number mentioned on the pack. The completion of registration will lead the users to the Aashirvaad WhatsApp bot, designed to offer personalised assistance to consumers and help them opt for a course of their choice from the array of Hunar online courses. There are over 20 courses available on Hunar that homemakers can choose from, including international cuisines, embroidery, entrepreneurship, baking, chocolate making, fashion designing, to name a few. Hunar has been engaged to facilitate consumers with end-to-end support in their online courses, including faculty sessions, live sessions, assignment submissions, and certification.

Apeejay Education and AWS Announce New Accelerator Program

C handigarh: Apeejay Education, an academic institution in India established for more than 50 years, and Amazon Web Services (AWS), an Amazon.com company, today announced the launch of the National Education Policy Accelerator Program (NEPAP), an initiative to enable academic institutions in India to align with the technology requirements documented in the Government's National Education Policy 2020 (NEP 2020). This is the first program in India to support the technology transformation of education institutions as per the NEP 2020. The NEP 2020 aims to strengthen India's education sector that directly contributes to the country's growth and development, demonstrating the need to integrate technology in education to improve learning and teaching at all levels. The accelerator program will address two key tenets of the NEP 2020 – on the extensive use of technology in teaching, learning, education planning, and management; and in the creation of open, interoperable, evolvable, public digital infrastructure in the education sector to support multiple platforms and point solutions. The accelerator program will guide academic institutions on multiple aspects of the NEP 2020. It will support academic institutions by conducting digital innovation workshops to focus on identifying and prioritizing unique challenges of the academic institutions, and co-building solutions or proof-of-concepts (POCs) using technologies such as artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML). AWS will drive these workshops based on the Amazon Working Backwards Innovation methodology, which uses design thinking to identify and define a customer-focused problem or opportunity and develop prototypes. Through the accelerator program, AWS and Apeejay Education will support academic institutions with AWS credits, capacity building workshops, and access to dedicated resources, to build and implement the POCs. Apeejay Education will bring expertise on the use cases of digital solutions in the education sector, and support with testing the solutions to extend the reach to other institutions across India.

FirstMeridian Business Services Limited files DRHP with SEBI

G URUGRAM : FirstMeridian Business Services Limited, India's third largest staffing company, in terms of revenue for the year ended March 31, 2021 (as per Frost & Sullivan) has filed the draft red herring prospectus (DRHP) with capital markets regulator, SEBI to raise funds through an initial public offering (IPO). The Rs 800 crore Initial Public Offering of the Bangalore-based HR services platform comprises of a Fresh Issue of equity shares aggregating up to Rs. 50 crores and an Offer for Sale aggregating up to Rs. 750 crores by the Selling Shareholders. The OFS comprises of Rs. 665 crore by Manpower Solutions Limited (Promoter Selling Shareholder), Rs. 45 crore by New Lane Trading LLP and Rs. 40 crore by Seedthree Trading LLP (Other Selling Shareholders) The company which counts Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone Limited, Dell International Services India Private Limited, PhonePe Private Limited, Usha International, Exide Industries Limited and Eureka Forbes Limited as some of its key clients, proposes to utilize the Net Proceeds from the Fresh Issue towards funding the repayment and/ or prepayment of all or certain portion of outstanding borrowing (including accrued interest) availed by one of the subsidiaries.

NEWS AT A GLANCE

Religious ceremony organized on 400th birth anniversary of Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur ji



JASPOONAM KOHLI DINANAGAR: A function dedicated to the 400th birth anniversary of Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib was organized by the Management Committee of Gurdwara Yadgar Banda Singh Bahadur village Rajpur in collaboration with the sangat of the town. Through this, by throwing light on the life of Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur ji, Dr. Shiv Singh made the present sangat aware about guruji's teachings. Dr. Shiv Singh expressed his views on the teachings given by Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur ji and said that while reciting Gurbani Nitnem, a person living under Guru's protection does not get scared of any difficulties in life, Guru Sahib's immense grace remains on the person doing it. At the end of the ceremony, Secretary of the Gurdwara Management Committee, S. Lakhbir Singh thanked the sangat present. Bhai Amitpal Singh, Jaggu, Amrit Singh were present on this occasion.

Preparations in full swing for Maharishi Kashyap Jayanti celebrations



BUREAU TARAORI: A meeting of Haryana Kashyap Rajput Sabha Block Nilokheri was organized near Karnali Gate, Taraori. Block President Rajkumar Kashyap presided over the meeting. Addressing the meeting, Rajkumar Kashyap, Block President of Haryana Kashyap Rajput Sabha, gave invitation to all for Maharishi Kashyap Jayanti celebrations to be held in Karnal on 24 May. He said that on May 24, a state-level Maharishi Kashyap Jayanti celebration would be organized at Anaj Mandi in Karnal. The function will be organized under the chairmanship of Indri MLA Ramkumar. Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar will be the chief guest on the occasion.

Future tycoons provide a suitable platform and environment for self dependent : DC



SUMER GARG PATIALA: The Patiala district administration has launched a unique project under which students, youth, self help groups, women, differently abled persons, small and big businessmen or the general public can come up with new ideas, concepts or plans for their dream project. Every kind of help would be provided to bring it to reality. The 'Future Tycoons: Start-up Challenge' project was jointly launched by Deputy Commissioner, Sakshi Sawhney, Municipal Commissioner Aditya Uppal, ADC(UD), Gautam Jain, local industrialists, members of self help groups and other local businessmen of the district. Gurdev Singh Dev Mann, MLA of Nabha constituency, who was especially present on the occasion lauded the initiative of the district administration and also commended the release of Yellow Pages Directory of the skilled youth of the district and various professions under the Punjab Skill Development Mission(PSDM). On this occasion, a cheque of Rs. 3 lakh was handed over to Trijan Kala Sangam Self Help Group by Startup Punjab. Divulging the details DC, Sakshi Sawhney said, "With the launch of this project, Patiala has become the first district not only in Punjab but also in the country to reach out to the people of the community, who are involved in their own small business or are members of self help groups. The district administration, with the help of local industry Angel investors, will provide a suitable platform for further development of their business, industry or enterprise". She further said that under this project, students, young people, women, differently abled persons and the general public or those already doing their big or small business, who want to expand their business or start a new business, could start a new venture or business, their new ideas, plans or suggestions are sought.

Kirron Kher inaugurates automatic block making machine at C&D waste plant

RN KHERA CHANDIGARH, MAY 13

Kirron Kher, Member Parliament, UT, Chandigarh today inaugurated fully automatic block making machine, hydro-vibro compaction type with batch mix plant at the C&D waste plant site, industrial area Phase-I, here today in the presence of Smt. Sarbjit Kaur, Mayor, Sh. Dharam Pal, IAS, Adviser to the Administrator, Chandigarh, Ms. Anindita Mitra, IAS, Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh.

Speaking on the occasion Smt. Kher said that having a capacity of approximate 12000-15000 paver block per day, the automatic block making machine will be boon for not only the Municipal Corporation but for the city as well. She said that the demand for the efficient and fast production line of automatic block making machines adds to reducing the per-unit cost of the blocks, offers high quality, less damaged and dimensionally accurate concrete products.



She said that using a block making machine in construction has been increasing over the years but this is not a coincidence as concrete blocks offer multiple advantages economically, in terms of constructive performance, as well as in build quality and versatility.

While sharing information about the plant, Ms. Anindita Mitra, IAS, Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh said that keeping in view ease of citizens, an

exclusive system has been set in place for transportation of construction and demolition waste from their door steps the MCC vehicle will lift 250 cubic foot C&D waste for its scientific disposal including loading and unloading @ Rs. 800 per trip upto 5 kilometer distance from the C&D waste plant situated at industrial area Phase-I and Rs. 100 extra per kilometer beyond 5 kilometer from the plant site. She said that people may also transport their C&D waste to the 23 designated C&D waste

collection centers located throughout the city.

She said that any type of concrete blocks can be produced with consistent quality by fixing different types of moulds and ram in the automatic machine and designed to deliver unparalleled performance and cost-effective solution. She said that the scope of work for establishment of the automatic machine involves approximately 1.62 crores including maintenance for next 5 years including all the maintenance and wear & tear of all machinery at casting unit of C&D waste processing plant.

The Commissioner said that various concrete products will be produced in this automatic block making machine including big and small size kerbs, channel, paver block 60mm and 80mm and PCC bricks.

Others present during the inauguration were Sh. Dalip Sharma, Senior Deputy Mayor, Sh. Anup Gupta, Deputy Mayor, Smt. Vimla Dubey, area counselor, other counselors and officers of MCC.

No water problem will be allowed in villages of Kharar constituency: Anmol Gagan Mann



SHASHI PAL JAIN KHARAR, MAY 13

No water problem will be allowed in the villages of Kharar constituency in view of hot weather. The work of the people of this constituency would be done on priority basis.

This was stated by Anmol Gagan Mann MLA from Kharar constituency while addressing the people of the village Salamatpur. She said that the people of villages like Salamatpur etc. would be relieved from the problem of drinking water. She inaugurated a tubewell installed at a cost of Rupees 14 Lac 93 Thousand in village Rasulpur.

Anmol Gagan Mann said that in Halqa Kharar the capitalists have illegally occupied thousands of acres of land, which will be released soon under the orders of Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann. It has been a month and a half since the formation of AAP Government in the state and development work is going on very fast. On this occasion volunteers Dalwinder Singh Benipal, Gurpreet Singh Kadimajra, Lakhvir Singh Jainti, Jagjit Singh Jaggi, Jagdish Singh Disha, Jaswinder Singh Jassa, Sarwanjit Kaur Rasulpur, Bawa Singh, SDO of Water Supply Department and villagers were present.

Farmers apprised of benefits of direct sowing of paddy



PRITI RANI SADBORA, MAY 13

In Manakpur, a program was organized by the Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare as per the guidelines of Deputy Agriculture Director, Dr. Jaswinder Saini. In this program, Block Agriculture Officer and Block Technical Manager Arun Danda and Balkar Singh made people aware of direct sowing of paddy. They stressed on the fact that water would be saved by direct sowing of paddy by the farmers and a grant of Rs.4000 per acre would be given by the government to the farmers for opting direct sowing of paddy. Direct sowing must be done in the field and after making an anti weed solution using 200 liters of water, spray it per acre, which will prevent growth of weeds in the field. Supervisor Gaurav said that KYC is mandatory for all the farmers who are taking benefit of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi Yojana.

Farmers' movement will continue: Chamel Singh



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, MAY 13

Himachal Pradesh State President of Bharatiya Kisan Union Chamel Singh Thakur has said that the future of farmers in the country is in darkness. Farmers have not been able to get a fair price for the crop. He said that Prime Minister Modi has made a big difference to the farmers. He was talking to letters at the residence of Ramesh Saini, National General Secretary of Bharatiya Kisan Union Sarv and former State General Secretary of Congress in Karnal today. He said that farmers are not getting the price they deserve in terms of cost. He said that Bir Bhadra Singh and Prem Kumar Dhumal have done a good job in Himachal Pradesh. He said that Anurag Thakur is doing better work at the Centre. He said that the farmers are not getting proper prices for their crops. The present government in Himachal Pradesh is not doing a good job.

Freedom Fighter Succession Association thanks DC for Freedom Fighters Gallery

KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA, MAY 13

The Freedom Fighter Succession Association today thanked Deputy Commissioner Barnala Dr. Harish Nair for setting up the Freedom Fighters Gallery at the District Administrative Complex. During a special meeting with the families of the freedom fighters today, Deputy Commissioner Barnala Dr. Harish Nair said that Punjab Government has always stood shoulder to shoulder with these families. He said that due respect is being accorded to the freedom fighters and their families in all the government offices of district Barnala. On the occasion, Deputy Commissioner appealed to the families of the freedom fighters to contribute to the



campaign of the Punjab government against the burning of crop residues. Dr. Nair appealed that the straw made from wheat stubble should be given to the cowsheds so that the animals could be served. The Deputy Commissioner directed the administrative officers to form a WhatsApp group in which all the freedom fighters could join so that information and problems could be discussed with them easily. On this occasion, all the office

bearers and members of the Freedom Fighter Succession Association thanked the Deputy Commissioner for setting up a special gallery dedicated to the freedom fighters at Barnala District Administrative Complex. Prominent amongst others who were present on the occasion included Additional Deputy Commissioner (Development) Paramvir Singh, Additional Deputy Commissioner (General) Mr. Amit Banbi, Sub Divisional Magistrate Tapa.

BJP delegation meets Union Minister Barla to seek release of prisoners

HARNMAN BHATIA NANGAL, MAY 13

The Sikh leaders of the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) from Punjab today handed over a memorandum to the Minister of State for Minority Affairs, John Barla, and Iqbal Singh Lalpura, Chairman, National Minorities Commission, Government of India in Delhi. The prisoners have already completed their sentence and their discipline has been perfect in the midst of their sentence so their release should be given priority. The BJP leaders have requested that this be conveyed to Prime Minister Narendra Modi. After this, Minister John Barla assured that the demand of millions of Sikhs would be conveyed to the Prime



Minister and Union Home Minister Amit Shah and this demand letter would be considered on priority basis. Rajya Sabha member Dushyant Gautam was also present on the occasion. Also present were Ajayveer Singh Lalpura, President of Social Service "First Humanity", Jassi Jasraj, former Minister Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi, former MLA Shamsher Singh

Rai, former MLA Fatehjang Singh Bajwa, former MLA Balwinder Singh Ladi, Dr. Harjot Kamal, former MLA Harinder Kahlon, Kuldeep Kahlon, Dharamvir Sareen, Pradeep Singh Bhullar, Kamal Bakhshi, Baljinder, Kunwar Vir Singh, former DGSS Virk, Balwinder Singh Gill, Jasbir Singh Gill, Sukhbir Saini, Aman Kabarwal, and Gurkirat Singh.

Annual investor ceremony held at Millennium World School Barnala



KARANPREET DHANDRAL BARNALA, MAY 13

Millennium World School, Barnala, today organised its annual Investiture Ceremony. The entire staff and all the students participated. During this time the selected students played an important role in marching with the flags of their respective houses. In particular, Principal Anu Sharma encouraged the selected students. Feeling great responsibility on their shoulders, the students were enlightened about the virtues of unity and leadership. Hardev Singh Bajwa, Chairman Millennium World School Barnala, who was present on the occasion, blessed the students. During the program, students Prabhdeep Singh and Daisy, Senior Head Boy and Senior Head Girl led the entire team.

Baldev Raj appointed as director of Arya Anti Corruption Foundation

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, MAY 13

Baldev Raj has been appointed as State Director in Arya Anti Corruption Foundation of India. National President, Narendra Arora administered the oath. National President Narendra Arora, State Director Gopichand Arya and District Head Karnal Krishna Lal Singla registered, expanded the team and appointed social worker Baldev Raj Arya as State Director of Haryana in Anti Corruption Foundation of India. In the national office, National President Narendra Arora, Gopichand Arya and Krishna Kumar Singla handed over the appointment letter to the newly appointed officer Baldev Raj Arya and administered the oath to work with integrity and dignity. On this occasion, Baldev Raj Arya said that he would work for the eradication of corruption by keeping dignity of his post and would connect to people from all over the state with the objective of the organization. On this occasion, Narendra Arora said that Anti Corruption Foundation of India is working for the eradication of corruption and awareness in all the states of India. He said that the main tasks of Anti Corruption Foundation of India include organizing seminars in educational institutions and other places for the eradication of corruption, organizing signature campaigns and swearing-in campaigns, organizing competitions related to anti-corruption.



This progressive farmer is reaping dividends of direct sowing of paddy

RAKESH JINDAL NABHA, MAY 13

Karanveer Singh, an educated progressive farmer from Bauran Kalan village in Nabha block of Patiala district has been leaving the old traditional methods and adopting the new method of direct sowing of paddy in his fields for a long time now is paving the way for other farmers. Sharing the experience of direct sowing of paddy, Karanveer Singh said that with the traditional cultivation of paddy in Punjab the water level is going down and bore / tubewells are getting deeper every year and there is additional cost to the farmers. On the other hand, adopting



the method of direct sowing of paddy saves a lot of water and also saves labour and time. According to Karanveer Singh, he has been directly sowing paddy in his 15 acres of land for the last three years in collaboration with the Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare. This method saves water as well as reduces the incidence of diseases and pests on paddy. He said that direct sowing has also increased the yield and yield has been more than 32 quintals per acre. He said that planting of paddy with old traditional methods not only depletes the soil water absorption capacity but also harms the next wheat crop.

Nehru Youth Centre to conduct Yoga camps in Karnal today

MAINPAL KASHYAP INDRI, MAY 13

Preparations for the International Yoga Day to be celebrated on June 21 by Nehru Youth Center, Karnal, Autonomous Department, Ministry of Youth Programs and Sports, Government of India, have been started in the districts.

This time, International Yoga Day has also been included in the Amrit Mahotsav of Independence. The responsibility of celebrating this has been given to all the departments as well as the Nehru Youth Center Organization as usual. Under this, 100 days yoga



practice is being done by the youth. During this time, besides conducting yoga for the people all over the districts, yoga is being publicised in every village and town of the state. In which not only youth but also children and women are

being included. In this order, Nehru Youth Center, Karnal is conducting yoga on 14th May, 2022 in every block of Karnal on the occasion of Yoga Day.

Under this, yoga practice is being done at Chandsamand in Kunjpura, Fugarh in Karnal, Samaura, Raisan in Nilokheri, Salwan in Asandh etc. Giving this information, District Youth Officer Renu Silg handed over the responsibility to the volunteers, former volunteers, heads of youth circles to reach out to as many people as possible. Renu Silg, District Youth Officer of the Center, said that yoga is a means of

balancing the body and the mind together and connecting them with nature.

Doing yoga removes stress and anxiety and at the same time increases physical and mental balance. Yoga should be done on a daily basis by anyone, especially teenagers and adults for the necessary activism. For this purpose, yoga practice is being done daily by volunteers, youth division members and former volunteers. At the same time, the villagers are being made aware through slogan writing, posters etc. The center is also conducting online yoga quiz competition.

Himachali Mountaineer Baljeet Kaur Scales World's Third Highest Peak Kanchenjunga

SHIMLA, MAY 13

Baljeet Kaur a Mountaineer from Solan, himachal Pradesh Reached the Summit of Kanchenjunga The third highest Mountain in the World. Rodic Consultants, India's leading infrastructure consultancy, sponsors mountaineer and athlete Baljeet Kaur to ascend Kanchenjunga, the world's third-highest peak at 8,586 meters. After Kanchenjunga, the young mountaineer will pursue her dream of scaling Mount Everest. Baljeet recently climbed the Annapurna ranges, the world's most dangerous and difficult mountains, situated in north-central Nepal.

On receiving the sponsorship, Baljeet thanked Rodic Consultants and stated that this support will go a long way towards encouraging women athletes and promoting adventure sports in India. Sharing his views, Chairman and Managing Director Mr. Raj Kumar said that "We are proud to be a part of Baljeet's journey and her mission. She is a role model for all young people. Her journey demonstrates that if you are passionate about your goals, hardships and obstacles will not deter you from achieving them."

"Baljeet's determination and success will inspire young people to pursue careers in adventure sports. We believe that her accomplishments will inspire Indian youth to pursue adventure sports," he added.



IPL 2022: SRH face KKR in battle of survival

AGENCY
PUNE, MAY 13

Struggling after four straight losses, Sunrisers Hyderabad will need to sort their bowling woes when they take on an inconsistent Kolkata Knight Riders as both the teams look to stay afloat in the IPL play-off race here on Saturday.

A series of losses after a five-match winning streak has dropped SRH to the sixth spot with 10 points and they would need to win all the remaining three games to salvage any hopes of making it to the play-offs.

With 10 points, KKR, however, are on the brink of elimination.

Shreyas Iyer's men have just two more matches to go and wins in both will only take them to 14 points, which might not be enough with Rajasthan Royals and Royal Challengers Bangalore already sitting pretty in the top four with 14 points from 12 games.

One of the main reasons behind SRH's awful run in the last few games is injuries to frontline bowlers -- Washington Sundar and T Natarajan -- and the sudden loss of form of speedster Umran Malik.

It culminated in SRH conceding more

than 190 plus runs in each of the last four games.

While Sundar had injured his bowling hand again, death over specialist Natarajan had picked up a niggles. But coach Tom Moody was hopeful of the duo's return against KKR. Malik, who looked fast and furious in the earlier games clocking 150kmph consistently, has gone wicketless and conceded too many runs in the last few games and his form will be key for SRH. Fazalhaq Farooqi and Karthik Tyagi were taken to cleaners by RCB in their last game, further adding to SRH's problems. In batting, SRH have the quality but skipper Kane Williamson will have to take more responsibility as he has just one fifty to show this season. Although Abhishek Sharma has given them solid starts, the youngster has not been able to anchor the innings. Rahul Tripathi, Nicholas Pooran and Aiden Markram too have been among runs but SRH batters will need assistance from their bowlers, who will have to ensure that they limit their opposition to reasonable totals. KKR, on the other hand, are paying the price for making constant changes to their playing XI and are now staring at elimination after losing seven of their 12 games.

HIMACHAL PRADESH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Sealed item rate tenders are hereby invited on Form No.6 & 8 by the Executive Engineer, Solan B&R Division, H.P. PWD. Solan (H.P.) on behalf of the Governor of Himachal Pradesh for the following works from the registered contractors of appropriate class enlisted in H.P.PWD, whose registrations stood renewed as per revised instructions and also registered dealers under the Himachal Pradesh, General Sales Tax Act, 1968. The important dates of tender are as under:

| Sr.No. | Tender Schedule | |
|--------|---|----------------------------|
| 1 | The last date for receipt of application for tender form. | 25.05.2022 Upto 4.00 P.M. |
| 2 | The last date sale of tender forms. | 26.05.2022 Upto 4.00 P.M. |
| 3 | The date for receipt of tender forms. | 27.05.2022 Upto 10.30 A.M. |
| 4 | The date of opening of tender | 27.05.2022 At 11.00 A.M. |

The tender shall be received upto 10.30 A.M. on 27.05.2022 and will be opened on the same day at 11.00 AM in the presence of office assistant cash payment as shown below (Non-refundable) during the working hours. The earnest money in the shape of National Saving Certificate, FDRs/Account/Saving account in any of the Post Office/ Nationalized Bank in H.P. duly intending contractors or their authorized representatives who may like to be present. The tender form can be had from this pledged in favour of the Executive Engineer, (B&R) Division, H.P.PWD, Solan must accompany with each tender, conditional tenders and the tenders received without earnest money will simultaneously be rejected. The offer of the tender shall be kept open for 120 days. The Executive Engineer reserves the right to reject the tender without assigning any reason.

| Sr. No. | Name of work | Estimated Cost. (Rs.) | Earnest Money (Rs) | Time | Cost of Form |
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| 1. | "Construction of Solan Rajgarh Bye pass road Km.0/0 to 5/410 under MNP (SH- Providing and fixing of Paver Block at Km.4/00 to 4/040". | 4,98,660/- | 10,000/- | One Months | Rs.350/- |
| 2. | "Construction of Solan Rajgarh Bye pass road Km.0/0 to 5/410 under MNP(SH-Providing and laying hot applied thermoplastic compound in Km.0/00 to 2/00". | 4,96,003 | 10,000/- | One Months | Rs.350/- |
| 3. | "Construction of Paughat Haripur road (Shahid Roshan Lal Marg) Km.0/0 to 9/0 under MNP (SH- C/o PCC retaining wall at R.D.4/135 to 4/147". | 4,92,861/- | 9,900/- | Two Months | Rs.350/- |
| 4. | "Construction of Paughat Haripur road (Shahid Roshan Lal Marg) Km.0/0 to 9/0 under MNP (SH- C/o PCC retaining wall at R.D.4/400 to 4/430". | 3,12,148/- | 6,250/- | Two Months | Rs.350/- |
| 5. | "A/R & M/O of Kehlog Basha road Km.0/0 to 12/0 (SH- Clearance of side drain between Km.0/0 to 6/0". | 4,96,364/- | 9,950/- | 15 Days | Rs.350/- |
| 6. | "A/R & M/O of Dam site to Bisha road Km.0/0 to 8/0 (SH- Clearance of side drain between Km.0/0 to 6/0". | 3,83,628/- | 7,700/- | One Months | Rs.350/- |
| 7. | "Construction of Kandaghat Via Saluma road Km.10/0 to 15/790 under MNP(SH- C/o PCC retaining wall at R.D.13/775 to 13/782". | 1,82,954/- | 3,700/- | One Months | Rs.350/- |

TERMS & CONDITIONS:-

- The tender form will not be issued to those contractors whose performance has been found unsatisfactory.
- The contractor should have submitted the proof of registration, EPF No. & GST No. at the time of tender application. Failure should not be issued tender forms. Application without earnest money will not be
- Application without earnest money will not be entertained.
- Executive Engineer reserves the right to reject or cancel any or all the tenders without assigning any reasons.

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NKB, Jamdagni Public School through to the Kabaddi final at SFA Uttarakhand

DEHRADUN: NKB Public High School and Jamdagni Public School made their way into the final of the boys' under-17 Kabaddi event at Sports For All Championship, Uttarakhand 2022, held at the Parade Ground Multipurpose Hall here on Friday.

In the first semi-final held on Friday morning, the power-packed team of NKB Public High School routed Shri Guru Ram Rai Public School (Bhanyawala) 82-36 while in the second semi-final match, Jamdagni Public School (A) defeated Jamdagni Public School (B) 17-5. NKB Public High School and Jamdagni Public School will play for the title clash on Saturday at the Parade Ground Multipurpose Hall. Meanwhile, in the first semi-final match of the girls' under-17 Kabaddi event, Satyeshwari Devi Memorial Public School got the better of The Sapience School (Vikas Nagar) 42-33, with Satyeshwari Devi s Surbhi carrying out most raids in the game.

PRESS NOTICE

| The Executive Engineer Jal Shakti Division Chamba invited press tenders on behalf of Government of Himachal Pradesh from approved eligible contractors for the following work(s) | | | | | | |
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| S. No | Name of Work | Estimated Cost | Earnest Money | Time Limit | Cost of tender form | Opening date |
| 1 | Stock and storage under Jal Shakti Division Chamba in Tehsil & Distt. Chamba (SH- Unloading and stacking of cement bags and for steel in Division Store Parel & Galiyani Chamba. | 499500/- | 9990/- | Three Months | 250/- | 20.05.2022 |
| 2 | Aug. of WSS Nandlaria Tossa, WSS Sanjariun Degha and WSS Kudgal Bansti in GP Sidhkund in Tehsil & Distt. Chamba H.P.(SH- Excavation, Laying, Jointing & testing of GI pipe 40mm dia from RD 0 to 60, RD 60 to 220, 32mm dia from RD 220 to 340, 25mm dia from RD 340 to 420, 20mm dia from RD 420 to 840 and 15mm dia from RD 840 to 1040, RD 220/0 to 220/100 & RD 420/0 to 420/300 for Part-I, 40mm dia from RD 0 to 540, RD 540 to 1185, 25mm dia from RD 1185 to 1355 fro Part-II & 20mm dia from RD 0 to 255 and RD 255 to 325 for Part-III) | 486208/- | 9724/- | Three Months | 250/- | 20.05.2022 |
| 3 | Construction /Remodelling of FIS Mangla Bhardoi in GP Mangla in Tehsil & Distt. Chamba (SH- C/O CC Lining at RD 140 to RD 340 for FIS Bhadian Kuhl). | 262941/- | 5259/- | Three Months | 250/- | 20.05.2022 |

No-EE-JSD-CBA-GA-Tender/2021- 2168-69 Dated - 13.05.2022

Copy to Computer Cell O/o the Engineer-in-Chief, Jal Shakti Vibhag Shimla
Copy to the Director Publication relation officer, Shimla for information & necessary action please.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer
Jal Shakti Division Chamba

DPR-HP-1001/2022-2023

HIMACHAL PRADESH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT E-Procurement Notice INVITATION FOR BIDS(IFB)1

The Executive Engineer HP PWD Shillai District Sirmour HP on behalf of Governor of HP invites the online bids son item rate in electronic tendering system in 2 cover System for the under mentioned work from the eligible and approved contractors/Firms registered with HP PWD Department.

| S. No | Name of Work | Estimated Cost | Earnest Money | Time Limit | Cost of Tender Form | Eligible of class of Contractor |
|-------|---|----------------|---------------|------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 | Construction of link road from Utrri Kumari Via Pattan Km 0/0 to 2/500 (SH- Providing and laying Soling at RD 0/0 to 2/500) | 17,34,550 | 33550/- | Two Months | 500/- | C & D Class |
| 2 | Construction of link road to village Bindla Km 0/0 to 2/900 (SH- Construction of 900mm Dia RCC Hume Pipe Culvert at RD 1/105, 1/280 and 2/080 along with both side wing walls) | 8,93,400/- | 17870 | Two Months | 350/- | C & D Class |
| 3 | Construction of link road from Dichol Kahala to Ruhana Km 0/0 to 4/500 (SH- Formation cutting 5/7Mtrs wide road in Km 0/0 to 0/405) under BASP Head . Revised working estimate thereof. | 8,17,771/- | 16,400/- | One Month | 350/- | C & D Class |
| 4 | Construction of link road to Harijan Basti Pab Km 0/0 to 2/600 (SH- Formation Cutting 5/7 Mtrs wide road in Km 2/0 to 2/600). Under MMSY. | 8,89,879/- | 17800/- | One Month | 350/- | C & D Class |
| 5 | Construction of link road from Kefanu to Tandio Km 0/0 to 4/0 (SH- Construction of R/wall at RD 1/420 to 1/440 and 1/450 to 1/465) | 8,48,714/- | 16975/- | Two Months | 350/- | C & D Class |

- Date of on line Publication:- 18-05-2022 at 10:30 Hrs
- Document Download Start & End Date:- 18-05-2022 at 3:00Hrs, Up To 24-5-2022 at 5:00 Hrs
- Bid Submission start & End date :- 18-05-2022 at 3:00Hrs, Up To 24-5-2022 at 5:00 Hrs
- Date of Technical Bid opening Evaluation of Technical Bid followed by opening of financial:- 25-5-2022 upto to 12:30 Hrs

- Availability of Bid Document and mode of submission:- The Bid document is available online and bid should be submitted in online mode on website <https://hptenders.gov.in>.

Bidder would be required to register in the web-site which is free of cost. For submission of bids, the bidder is required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the authorized certifying Authorities (CA)." Aspiring bidder who have not obtained the user ID and password <https://hptenders.gov.in>. Digital signature is mandatory to participate in the e-tendering. Bidders already possessing the digital signature issued from authorized CAs can use the same in this tender.

4. TENDER DETAILS:-

- The Tender Documents shall be uploaded online in 2 Cover:-
 - Cover shall contain scanned copies of all "Technical Documents/Eligibility information"
 - Cover shall contain "BOQ/Financial Bid". Where contractor will quote his offer for each item.

- SUBMISSION OF ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS:- No need to submit original documents by the bidders in the O/O Executive Engineer HPPWD Shillai H.P. They are advised to submit only those documents which are required by the tender opening authority/not legible.

- BID OPENING DETAILS:- The bids shall be opened on 25-5-2022 At 12:30Hrs. In the office Executive Engineer B&R Division Shillai HP PWD Shillai. In their interest of bidders they are advised to be present along with original documents at the time of opening of tenders. If the office happens to be closed on the date of opening of the bids as specified, the bids will be opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.

- The bids for the work shall remain valid for acceptance for a period not less than 90/120 days after the deadline date for bid submission.

- Other details can be seen in the bidding documents. The officer inviting tender shall not be held liable for any delays due to system failure beyond its control. Even though the system will attempt to notify the bidders of any bids updates, the Employer shall not be liable for any information not received by the bidder. It is the bidders' responsibility to verify the website for the latest information related to the tender.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
HPPWD Division Shillai
HP PWD Shillai

DPR-HP-0977/2022-2023

AXIS BANK LTD.

DEMAND NOTICE U/S 13(2) OF SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

RETAIL ASSETS CENTER: AXIS BANK LTD., 2ND AND 3RD FLOOR, PROPERTY NO. 7-E, MALHAR ROAD, SARAABHA NAGAR, LUDHIANA -141001., RETAIL ASSETS CENTER: AXIS BANK LTD, 3RD FLOOR, SCO 367-368, ABOVE AKASH INSTITUTE, SECTOR 34A CHANDIGARH - 160022, CORPORATE OFFICE: 3RD FLOOR, BLOCK-B, BOMBAY DYEING MILLS COMPOUND, PANDURANG BUDDHAKAR MARG, WORLI, MUMBAI-400 025, REGISTERED OFFICE: "TRISHUL", 3RD FLOOR, OPPOSITE SAMARTHESWAR TEMPLE, LAW GARDEN, ELISBRIDGE, AHMEDABAD-380006

Whereas the borrowers/co-borrowers/guarantors/mortgagors mentioned here under had availed the financial assistance from Axis Bank Ltd. We state that despite having availed the financial assistance, the borrowers/guarantors/mortgagors have committed various defaults in repayment of interest and principal amounts as per due dates. The account has been classified as Non-Performing Asset on the respective dates mentioned hereunder in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India, consequent to the Authorized Officer of Axis Bank Ltd. under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 & in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices on respective dates mentioned herein below under Section 13(2) of SARFAESI Act, 2002 calling upon the following borrowers /guarantors /mortgagors to repay the amount mentioned in the notices together with further interest at the contractual rate on the amount mentioned in the notices and incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. until the date of payment within 60 days from the date of receipt of notices.

The notices issued to them on their last known addresses have returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of public notice about the same.

| Sr. No. | Name of The Borrower / Address Co-Borrower And Guarantor Name / Legal Heirs Address | Property Address Of Secured Assets |
|---------|--|---|
| 1. | M/S Sandhu Commission Agent A Proprietorship Concern Of Sh. Jasbeer Singh S/O Sh.balwinder Singh Vill Bhittewaddi, Qadian, Gurdaspur, Punjab-143516 Mr. Jasbeer Singh S/O Sh. Balwinder Singhproprietor Of M/S Sandhu Commission Agent, Vill Bhittewaddi, Qadian, Gurdaspur, Punjab-143516 Mrs. Kuljeet Kaur W/O Jasbeer Singh, Vill Bhittewaddi, Qadian, Gurdaspur, Punjab-143516 | All That Part And Parcel Of Land Measuring 02 Kanal 3 I.e. 43/1469 Share Out Of Land Measuring 573 Kanal 9 Marla, Comprised Of Khewat No. 1, Khatoni No. 1 To 17 Rect 5 Killa 26 (1-0) Rect (D-3) Rect 4 Killa 16(4-12) 17(0-19) 24(7-16) 25(8-0) Rect 6 Killa 3(4-10) 4(8-0) 5 (8-0) 6(8-0) 7(8-0) 8 (8-0) Rect 6 Killa 1(1-17) 2(4-8) 9(8-0) 10(1 (6-12) Rect 7 Killa 1(8-0) 2(8-0) Rect 5 Killa 24(1-1) Rect 10 Killa 10(7-7) 18(6-0) 16(7-7) 17(7-7) 18(5-12) 23(2/2(1-0) Kharsa No. 24(4-9) 50(2 (2-14) Rect 3 Killa 4(0-0) 7(5-14) 8(1-4) 1294-17(13-7) 14(8-0) 17(7-16) 18(7-12) 22(7-19) 23(6-14) Rect 4 Killa 23(3-3) Rect 7 Killa 9(8-0) Rect 10 Killa 1(8-0) 2 (8-0) 3(8-0) 8(8-0) 9(8-0) 10(8-0) 11(8-0) 12(8-0) 13(8-0) 14(8-0) 18(7-7) 19(7-7) Rect 10 Killa 17(21-9) Rect 11Killa 3(2-16) 4(7-7)7(8-0) 8(8-0) 13(4-8) 14(8-0) 15(8-0) Rect 5 Killa 6(2 (0-2) 7(0-4) 15(1 (1-11) 15(24-2) 16(6-140) Rect 6 Killa 11(2 (3-0) 19(2 (3-4) 20(7-16) 22(2 (2-14) Rect 7 Killa 10(8-0) Rect 5(8-0) Rect 6 Killa 25(8-0) Rect 7 Killa 3(8-0) 8(2 (7-8)Rect 5 Killa 14(1-1) Rect 6 Killa 11(1 (3-18) 12(7-12) 13(7-2) 14(7-2) 17(8-0) 18(8-0) 19(14-17) 23(7-7) 24(8-0) Rect 9 Killa 1(12-8) Rect 10 Killa 4(2(4-0) Kharsa No. 50(1 (2-8) Rect 5 Killa 25(7-4) Rect 6 Killa 21(7-7) 22(14-13) Rect 11 Killa 23(1(13-10) Rect 5 Killa 10(2(2-8) Rect 10 Killa 4(1(3-4) 6(14-0) 7(7-18) Rect 3 Killa 11(1-8) 20(8-0) Rect 3 Killa 19(7-8) 22(1 As Entered In Jamabandi For The Year 2012-13 Situated In Vill. Bhittewad Hb. 176 Tehsil & Distt. Gurdaspur & Having Boundaries As Follows:- Boundaries (As Per Documents), East: Rasta, West: Property Of Kuljit Kaur, North: Property Of Kuljit Kaur", South: Property Of Kuljit Kaur |
| 2. | M/S Ar Trading Co Through Its Partners Mr. Ashok Kumar S/O Jwahara Ram, Mrs. Krishna Rani Village Chak Singheh Wala, Jalandabad, Mandi Amin Ganj, Fazilka, Punjab, 152033. Mr. Ashok Kumar S/O Jwahara Ram Village Chak Singheh Wala, Jalandabad, Mandi Amin Ganj, Fazilka, Punjab, 152033. Mrs. Krishna Rani W/O Hakam Chandvillage Chak Manne Wala, Jalandabad, Jalandabad (W), Fazilka, Punjab, 152024 | All That Part And Parcel Of Commercial Property (Land) Measuring 01 Kanals 08 Marlas 43' 50" 175 Ft. Situated At Plot No. 32, Near Grain Market, Vaskya Rakha Village Mohkam Arien, Tehsil Jalandabad, Dist. Fazilka Punjab And Standing In The Name Of Smt. Krishna Rani W/O Hakam Chand Vide Sale Deed No. 5447 Dated 25.02.2011 Detailed As: 1. Land Measuring 14 Marlas I.e. 14/310 Share Of 15 Kanals 10 Marlas Comprised Of Kharsa No. 74m/3(1/2(7-11) 8(7-5) 28(0-14) Khewat No. 17 Khatouni No. 19 & 2. Land Measuring 14 Marlas I.e. 14/312 Share Of 15 Kanals 12 Marlas Comprised Of Kharsa No. 74m/4(2/7-12) 17(8-0) Khewat No. 31 Khatouni No.34 Jamabandi For 2008/2009 Boundaries (As Per Site) : East: Chander Devi, West: Hakam Chand, North: Street 11' Wide, South: 33 Street |
| 3. | Amit Kumar S/O Boor Chand # H.No 12 Ram Chowk, Guruhar Sahai Ferozpur Punjab 152022 Also At:- H. No 06 W. No 6-7 Off, Nagar Council, Guru Harasahi Shifali Monga W/O Amit Kumar # H.No 12 Ram Chowk, Guruhar Sahai, Ferozpur Punjab 152022 Also At:- H. No 10, Ward No 2 Guru Harasahi Teh & Distt Ferozpur; Deepak Kumar S/O Boor Chand # H. No 12 Ram Chowk, Guruhar Sahai, Ferozpur Punjab 152022, Also At:- #115 Ward No 3, Ram Chowk, Guruhar Sahai Urban, Ferozpur Punjab 152022 | Property No 01 : All That Part And Parcel Of Residential Property Measuring 10.62 Marlas = 44 Ft 6 Inch * 65 Ft Being 96/1440 Share Of Land Measuring 8 Kanals Comprised Of Rect No. 144 Killa 10 (8-0) Situated On Achhe Wala Road, Ferozpur City As Per Sale Deed Dated 03.06.2009 At Wasika No. 1359, In The Name Of Smt Shifali W/O Amit Kumar S/O Boor Chand And Amit Kumar Son Of Boor Chand. Boundd As East: Sukhdev Singh, West: Joginder Pal, North: Sohan Lal, South: Street/Passage Property No 02 : All That Part And Parcel Of Residential Property Measuring 7.87 Marlas = 33 Ft * 65 Ft Being 15/320 Share Of Land Measuring 8 Kanals Comprised Of Rect No. 144 Killa 10(8-0) Situated On Achhe Wala Road, Ferozpur City As Per Sale Deed Dated 02.02.2010 At Wasika No. 6227 Dated 03.02.2010 In The Name Of Smt Shifali W/O Amit Kumar S/O Boor Chand And Amit Kumar Son Of Boor Chand Boundd As East: Amit Kumar, West: Asha Kuldeep Singh, North: Sukhchain Lal, South: Street/Passage |
| 4. | M/S Dharam Pal Ranjit Kumar Through Its Partners Shri Dharam Pal S/O Kasturi Lal, Shri Yogesh Kumar Chawla S/O Dharam Pal & Shri Sanjeev Kumar S/O Dharam Pal, Address :- H.No 55, Old Grain Market, Jagroan Ludhiana Punjab 142026. Also At:- H.No 501/50 Street No 01, Shastri Nagar, Ward No 09, Jagroan Punjab 142026 Shri Dharam Pal S/O Kasturi Lal, Address:- H.No 501/50 Street No 01, Shastri Nagar, Ward No 09, Jagroan Punjab 142026. Shri Yogesh Kumar Chawla S/O Dharam Pal, Address :- H.No 501/50 Street No 01, Shastri Nagar, Ward No 09, Jagroan Punjab 142026. Shri Sanjeev Kumar S/O Dharam Pal, Address:- H.No 501/50 Street No 01, Shastri Nagar, Ward No 09, Jagroan Punjab 142026 | All That Part And Parcel Of Commercial Property No 103 Measuring 277 Sq Yards, Situated At New Grain Market Jagroan Ludhiana In The Name Of Dharam Pal S/O Kasturi Lal As Per Sale Deed Bearing Vasika No. 767 Dated 12.05.2006 And Transfer Of Ownership Deed Bearing Vasika No 959 Dated 01.06.2016. Boundaries (As Per Site): East: Open Area Mandi, West: Road 20', North: Shop No 102, South: Shop No 104 |
| 5. | M/S Gursheer & Co. (A Proprietorship Concern Of) Mrs. Sarajit Kaur W/Osatnam Singh Dana Mandi, Daulpura, Ro. Kacha Pacca, Tehsil Patti District Taran Taran-143304 Mrs. Sarajit Kaur W/O Satnam Singh (Proprietor) Bhikhiwind, Margindpura Tehsil Patti District Taran Taran-143304 Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur W/O Nishan Singh (Guarantor) Bhikhiwind, Margindpura Tehsil Patti District Taran Taran-143304 Mrs. Ranjit Kaur W/O Kulwant Singh (Guarantor) Bhikhiwind, Margindpura Tehsil Patti District Taran Taran-143304 Mr. Satnam Singh S/O Kartar Singh (Guarantor)Bhikhiwind, Margindpura Tehsil Patti District Taran Taran-143304 Also At: Mr. Satnam Singh S/O Kartar Singh , House No. 307, Margindpura, Tehsil Patti District Taran Taran-143304 | PROPERTY MEASURING 937.75 SQ YARDS OR 31 MARLAS - Property No 01: All That Part And Parcel Of The Commercial Property Built Upon Land Measuring 0 Kanal 16 Marle Being 16/219" Share Out Of Land Measuring 10 Kanal 19 Marle As Per Jamabandi For The Year 2012-13, Khata/Khatouni No. 134/462, Kharsa No. 12/1/6, 12/17/1" Min That is Situated At Village Daulpura, Tehsil Patti & Distt. Taran Taran In Name Of Mrs.rajwinder Kaur W/O Nishan Singh & Ranjit Kaur W/O Kulwant Singh Vide Sale Deed No-2244 Dated- 28-02-2017. Property No 02 : All That Part And Parcel Of The Commercial Property Built Upon Land Measuring 0 Kanal 15 Marle Being 15/219" Share Out Of Land Measuring 10 Kanal 19 Marle As Per Jamabandi For The Year 2012-13, Khata/Khatouni No. 134/462, Kharsa No. 12/1/16, 12/17/1" Min That is Situated At Village Daulpura, Tehsil Patti & Distt. Taran Taran In Name Of Mrs.rajwinder Kaur W/O Nishan Singh & Ranjit Kaur W/O Kulwant Singh Vide Sale Deed No-2245 Dated- 28-02-2017. Boundd As Under (Common For Property No 01 & 02): East: Agricultural Land Of Raspal Singh, West: Road, North: Karam Singh & Karnail Singh, South: Gali |
| 6. | Naresh Kumar S/O Moti Ram , H. No 796/5 Aggarwal Street (Pnb Road Ward No 12 Partili) Jalandabad 152024 Fazilka, Punjab Also At :- House No 796/7a, Ward No 9, Juneja Street, Jalandabad, Jalandabad (W) Firozpur, Punjab 152024 Pawan Kumar S/O Moti Ram H.No 796/5 Aggarwal Street (PNB Road Ward No 12 Partili) Jalandabad 152024 Fazilka, Punjab Also At :- House No 796, Ward No 9 Juneja Street, Jalandabad, Jalandabad (W) Firozpur, Punjab 152024 Rajeev Chabra S/O Naresh Chabra , H. No 796/5 Aggarwal Street (Pnb Road Ward No 12 Partili) Jalandabad 152024 Fazilka, Punjab Neelam Rani W/O Sh Naresh Kumar House No 796/7a, Ward No 9, Juneja Street, Jalandabad, Jalandabad (W) Firozpur, Punjab 152024 | All That Part And Parcel Of The Non Agricultural Property I.e. Plot Measuring 07 Marlas I.e. 40' X 49' 7/144 Share Of 07 Kanal 04 Marlas Comprised of Kharsa No 66m/11 (7-4) Khewat No 95 Situated At Jalandabad (W) Tehsil Jalandabad (W) District Fazilka, Owned By Smt Neelam Rani Vide Sale Deed No 5974 Dated 14/02/2012. Boundaries As Under North -- Pinkey Nagpal, South -- Lachman Dass, East - Street, West -- Ashok Kumar Etc. |

| NPA Date | | Date of Demand Notice | Outstanding Amount | Loan Amount |
|---------------|------------|-----------------------|---|---|
| For Sr. No. 1 | 24-02-2022 | 24.03.2022 | Rs. 587,155/- (Rs. Five Lakh Eighty Seven Thousand One Hundred Fifty Five Only) | Rs.33,00,000/- (Rs. Thirty Three Lacs Only), Rs. 370,000/- (Rs. Three Lacs Seventy Thousand Only) |
| For Sr. No. 2 | 23.03.2022 | 12.04.2022 | Rs. 4,638,605/- (Rs Forty Six Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Five Only) | Rs. 7,59,996/- (Rs. Seven Lakh Fifty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Six Only), Rs. 4,800,000/- (Rs. Forty Eight Lakh Only) |
| For Sr. No. 3 | 01.05.2022 | 02.05.2022 | Rs. 98,31,605/- (Rs Ninety Eight Lakhs Thirty One Thousand Six Hundred And Five Only) | Rs. 42,50,000/- (Rs. Forty Two Lakhs And Fifty Thousand Only), Rs. 47,00,000/- (Rs. Forty Seven Lakhs Only) |
| For Sr. No. 4 | 23.03.2022 | 12.04.2022 | Rs. 12,215,562.68/- (Rs One Crore Twenty Two Lakhs Fifteen Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Two Rupees And Sixty Eight Paise Only) | Rs. 19,73,000/- (Rs. Nineteen Lakhs And Seventy Three Thousand Only), Rs. 10,000,000/- (Rs One Crore Only) |
| For Sr. No. 5 | 10.03.2022 | 07.05.2022 | Rs. 10,85,684/- (Rs. Ten Lacs Eighty Five Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Four Only) | Rs. 10 |

Main Ki Karaan song is ode to first love



First love occupies a special place in people's hearts. Seems like Aamir Khan's character from his upcoming film 'Laal Singh Chaddha' also has fond memories attached to the first love that he can't forget ever. On Thursday, a new song 'Main Ki Karaan' from 'Laal Singh Chaddha' was unveiled and it is a feast for ears. The song is all about first love. The track begins with a voiceover by Aamir, where he talks about not recalling the day he was born (obviously), or the first bite of his paratha, or his very first Diwali. But the one thing that he remembers is his first love. 'Main Ki Karaan' is a recollection of Laal Singh Chaddha's first love. Sonu Nigam has lent the vocals while Amitabh Bhattacharya has penned the lyrics. Credit also goes to Pritam for composing the soulful song. Talking about the song, Sonu said,



Unfortunately, you can't compare what male co-stars get to do: **Kiara Advani**

Actor Kiara Advani says it's rare for a female protagonist to do heavy lifting in comedy films as most of the punches and jokes are reserved for male characters. Advani, who made her debut in 2014, has so far featured in two comedies, the 2019 hit 'Good Newwz' and her upcoming 'Bhool Bhulaiyaa 2', a mix of horror and humour. Women in Hindi film comedies are mostly a passive participant unless it is a rare female-led genre film like 'Queen' or 'Tanu Weds Manu' and Advani agrees that there is scope for women to do more. "It's very rare that a female protagonist adds a punch. I am still craving to do that. I'm part of these films, they all have had an interesting arc to the characters.

But if I've to compare it to what your male protagonist is doing (in the film), then you just can't compare," the actor told a news agency. Advani, who has found success in romance and drama, with films like "Kabir Singh", "Guilty" and "Shershaah", said the fact that female actors can't compare is with

what their male counterparts get to do in comedies is because sometimes "unfortunately that's how (the script) is written".

"It definitely does disappoint. Maybe now's the time you start speaking up and telling your director that you want more. Maybe now I will start doing that going forward," she added. Advani, 29, believes comedy is a difficult genre to crack and doesn't often get the credit it deserves. During her first outing in the genre in 2019, the actor credits

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leaving the tricks of comedy from co-stars Akshay Kumar and Diljit Dosanjh. In "Bhool Bhulaiyaa 2", she said she was fortunate that she had equally proficient actors in comedy, from Kartik Aaryan, Rajpal Yadav to Sanjay Mishra.

The film has been directed by Anees Bazmee, who known for blockbusters in the genre like "No Entry", "Singh is Kinng" and

"Welcome". "Comedy is an extremely tough genre but I don't think it gets enough credit. It doesn't come naturally to many, some people are just gifted. Comedy with Diljit and Akshay is just so organic. They get that timing correct, which is crucial.

That experience made me learn a lot because it was the first time I was doing it. "Even in 'Bhool Bhulaiyaa 2', everyone was fantastic and gifted and on top of that, when you are being directed by Anees sir, whose hold on comedy is so strong, you are in safe hands," she added. "Bhool Bhulaiyaa 2" is a sequel to filmmaker Priyadarshan's 2007 film of the same name that featured Kumar and Vidya Balan. Advani said when she was narrated the sequel, it was a "no brainer" for her to say yes to the project, despite knowing that the first part still rides on high recall value. "The film takes the franchise forward, with an entirely new script. Certain elements have been retained from the first part, just to keep the nostalgic value alive.



Shilpa takes break from **social media**

Actor Shilpa Shetty Kundra, on Thursday, announced she would be taking a break from social media for a while. Taking to Instagram, Shilpa stated that is going off social media for a while as she is 'bored of the monotony'. "Soooo bored of the monotony, everything looking the same... going off social media till I find a new avatar," she wrote. Alongside the note, Shilpa uploaded an all-black photo, leaving fans confused. "What happened?" a social media user commented. "Is everything fine?" another one wrote. A section of social media assumed that it appeared to be a promotional stunt. Meanwhile, on the work front, Shilpa will be seen in 'Nikamma' and 'Sukhee'. She is also a part of Rohit Shetty's Amazon Prime series 'Indian Police Force'.

Kangana says 'I'll never say I'm alone in industry'

Superstar Salman Khan has won Kangana Ranaut's heart by lending his support to the latter's upcoming film 'Dhaakad'. On Thursday, Salman took to Instagram and Twitter and shared the second teaser of 'Dhaakad'. "Wishing team #Dhaakad the very best! @kanganaranaut @rampal72 @smaklai," he captioned the post. After seeing Salman's post, Kangana immediately took to her Instagram Story and thanked the "Dabangg" star. "Thank you my Dabangg hero heart of gold...I will never say again that I am alone in this industry...thank you from entire Dhaakad team," Kangana, who recently attended Salman's sister Alrita's Eid bash, responded. 'Dhaakad' stars in the role of a spy named Agent Agni. Arjun Rampal, Divya Dutta and Saswata Chatterjee are also a part of the film, which is scheduled to hit the theatres on May 20.



Katrina Kaif, Vicky Kaushal holidaying in New York, visit Priyanka's Sona restaurant

Lovebirds Katrina Kaif and Vicky Kaushal are currently holidaying in New York. The power couple visited Priyanka Chopra's New York restaurant called Sona on Thursday. Taking to her Instagram story, Katrina posted a picture from their visit to Priyanka Chopra's restaurant Sona, smiling and posing together with a member from the restaurant. She captioned the picture, "Home away from home - @sonanewyork. Loved the vibe - @priyankachopra as always everything u do is just amazing." The 'Tiger 3' actor looked adorable in a printed dress. Vicky, on the hand, donned a grey t-shirt with black denim pants and complemented his look with a black cap. In response, PC soon reshared Katrina's post on her Instagram story and wrote a sweet

note that read, "Love u honey! So glad u guys could make it. @sonanewyork welcomes u anytime...#homeawayfromhome." Meanwhile, on the work front, both Vicky and Katrina have an interesting movie lineup. Vicky Kaushal will star in 'Govinda Nam Mera' with Boomi Pedneker and Kiara Advani. He also owns an untitled movie of Laxman Utekar starring Sara Ali Khan. Vicky will appear in 'Sam Bahadur' of Meghna Gulzar.

On the other hand, talking about Katrina Kaif, the actor has 'Tiger 3' in the pipeline, starring Salman Khan. She also has a horror-comedy 'PhoneBhoot' starring Siddhant Chaturvedi and Ishaan Khatter. The actor will also share screen space with Priyanka Chopra and Alia Bhatt in Farhan Akhtar's 'Jee Le Zaraa'.

