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Odd-even in Delhi from Nov 13-20, schools shut

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NEW DELHI, NOV 6

The odd-even rule will be back in Delhi the day after Diwali and schools closures has been extended up to Class 11 for this week in view of the rising pollution levels, State Environment Minister Gopal Rai said today.

All schools will be shut across the national capital except Classes 10 and 12 till November 10, the minister said. Currently, only classes up to Class 5 are suspended in view of the deteriorating air quality.

Delhi remains wrapped in a thick blanket of toxic smog for nearly a week now, prompting authorities to stop entry of diesel trucks and ban construction activities in the city under Stage-4 of the Graded Response Action Plan (GRAP).

The ban on BS3 petrol and BS4 diesel vehicles will also continue, said Mr Rai, elaborating other measures taken by his government, including banning crackers and installing smog guns.

The odd-even rule, which has been the Arvind Kejriwal government's flagship move in fighting pollution for the past few years,



will now be back for a week on November 13, the day after Diwali.

Under this rule, only vehicles with registration numbers ending with an odd

digit will be allowed on Delhi roads on odd-number days and those with even digits will be allowed on even-number days.

The need to extend the

odd-even rule beyond November 20 will reviewed later, the minister said.

The overall air quality index (AQI) was recorded at 488 this morning in Delhi, much above the upper level set by the World Health Organisation.

Some of the worst-affected areas included RK Puram (466), ITO (402), Patparganj (471), and New Moti Bagh (488).

With the AQI hovering around 500, the quality of the air that people are breathing in Delhi and neighbouring cities is equivalent to smoking 25-30 cigarettes a day.

Taj Mahal disappears under blanket of smog

AGRA: With a surge in air pollution levels this time of the year, the Taj Mahal, one of the seven wonders and the pinnacle of Mughal architecture disappeared under a blanket of smog on Monday morning. The structure was engulfed in a layer of haze and was barely visible to the unaided eyes.

However, this was not the first time, the mausoleum of white marble was hidden amid the pollutants. The city's air quality level has reeled under the poor category since November 4 and was recorded at an overall air quality index of 256 this afternoon. As per AQI.IN, the air quality in Agra was recorded as 163, in Aligarh it was at 172, 154 in Bareilly and 170 in Bulandshahr, all in the 'poor category zone'.

The air dropped to the 'severe category' in Ghaziabad and Hapur with an AQI of 352 while it remained in the 'unhealthy category' in Meerut and Muzzafarnagar with an aqi of 289 and 213.

Built-in Agra between 1631 and 1648 by order of the Mughal emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his favourite wife, the Taj Mahal is a jewel of Muslim art in India and one of the universally admired masterpieces of the world's heritage.

Cash for query row: Lok Sabha panel to meet on Nov 9

NEW DELHI, NOV 6

The Ethics Committee of the Lok Sabha, which is investigating the cash-for-query allegations against Trinamool Congress MP Mahua Moitra by BJP MP Nishikant Dubey, will now meet on November 9 for the "consideration and adoption" of its draft report.

Earlier the meeting of the panel headed by Vinod Kumar Sonkar was scheduled to be convened on November 7.

"Examination of complaint dated 15 October, 2023 given by Nishikant Dubey, MP against Mahua Moitra, MP for alleged direct involvement in cash for query in Parliament with reference to examination/investigation of alleged unethical conduct of Mahua Moitra, MP by the Committee on Ethics - Consideration and adoption of draft Report," according to the Lok Sabha agenda.

Moitra had appeared before the Lok Sabha Ethics Committee on November 2



over the cash-for-query allegations against her. Along with opposition members of the panel, she "walked out" of the meeting on Thursday.

Opposition members raised questions over the line of questioning and alleged that "personal questions" were posed to the Trinamool Congress MP.

BSP MP Danish Ali, Janata Dal (United) MP Giridhari Yadav, and Congress MP Uttam Kumar Reddy were among those who "walked out" of the meeting.

SC seeks updated status report on Pb govt's plea against gov's delay in nod to bills

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, NOV 6

Observing that a little bit of soul-searching by governors is needed, the Supreme Court on Monday directed Solicitor General Tushar Mehta to place an updated status report on the action taken by Punjab Governor Banwarilal Purohit on the bills passed by the Assembly.

A bench headed by Chief Justice DY Chandrachud said governors must act on bills even before the matters come before the apex court Solicitor General Mehta, appearing for the

Punjab Governor, informed the bench that the governor has taken action on bills placed before him and the plea filed by the Punjab government is an unnecessary litigation.

"Governors must act even before the matter comes to the Supreme Court. This has to come to an end when governors act only when matters reach the Supreme Court...A little bit of soul searching is needed by governors and they must know that they are not elected representatives of people.

"The SG says the Punjab governor has taken action and an updated



status report will be placed in a few days. Let the plea be listed on Friday and let the court be apprised of the action taken by the governor," the bench also comprising Justices JB

Heeralal Samariya sworn in as Chief Information Commissioner

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, NOV 6

Information Commissioner Heeralal Samariya was on Monday sworn in as the Chief Information Commissioner by President Droupadi Murmu. The top post at the transparency panel -- Central Information Commission (CIC) - was lying vacant following completion of Y K Sinha's tenure on October 3. President Murmu administered the oath of office to the 63-year-old Samariya at a function at the



Rashtrapati Bhavan, a communique issued by the president's office said.

Hry CM to inaugurate Hot Air Balloon Safari in Pinjore on 8th

BUREAU
CHANDIGARH, NOV 6

Haryana, which is recognised for its ancient Indian culture and spiritual significance, has carved its own identity in the tourism and pilgrimage sector over the past nine years. Representing less than 2 percent of the country's population, Haryana has made a mark in various fields across the country and the world. Despite lower possibilities in the tourism sector, the Chief Minister has significantly propelled Haryana towards adventurous sporting activities over the past nine years. The Chief Minister's commitment is to give Haryana a distinct identity on the map of tourism.

The Chief Minister, personally inclined towards adventurous sports, has made the Shivalik mountain range a



hub for adventure sports. Near Morni Hills, in the Tikkar Tal area, the Chief Minister introduced adventure sports such as paragliding, water sports activities, jet skiing, parasailing, and trekking. Now, Pinjore is also being developed as a tourism destination. In line

with these efforts, on November 8, 2023, the Chief Minister will inaugurate the Hot Air Balloon Safari in Pinjore. This will not only offer tourists new tourism activities beyond the ongoing ones but will also allow them to become familiar with the historical background of Pinjore.

Pinjore, considered the gateway to the land of Himachal Pradesh, holds its historical significance and is considered a site from the Mahabharata era. This place preserves ancient history dating back thousands of years. Remnants of ancient history are present in various places here. Moreover, the Yadavindra Gardens, also known as the Pinjore Gardens, are extremely famous and showcase the Mughal garden style.

The Chief Minister has taken

steps to develop various cultural and religious sites, known for their significance in Yamunanagar district, such as Adi Badri, Lohgarh, Kapal Mochan, and Mata Mansa Devi. The ongoing effort is to create a new identity for the Adi Badri, the source of the sacred Saraswati River, with various projects in progress. The Chief Minister has also formed the Saraswati Heritage Board. Furthermore, efforts are underway to develop Baba Banda Singh Bahadur's capital, Lohgarh, as a tourism destination. In continuation of these efforts, on November 8, 2023, the Chief Minister will inaugurate water sports activities at the Hathiakund Barrage, providing a new location for water sports activities for tourists inclined towards adventure sports after Tikkar Tal.

Punjab gives diwali gift to traders by introducing OTS of pre-GST arrears

SHASHI PAL JAIN
CHANDIGARH, NOV 6-

In a major Diwali gift to the traders of the state, the Punjab Cabinet led by Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann on Monday gave approval for introducing the Punjab One Time Settlement (OTS) Scheme for settlement of pre-GST arrears thereby benefitting more than 60,000 traders.

A decision to this effect was taken by the Council Of Ministers in its meeting held under the chairmanship of Chief Minister here at his office in Punjab Civil Secretariat I.

Disclosing this here today a spokesperson of the Chief Minister's Office said that the Scheme has been launched for recovery of Outstanding Dues, 2023 for settlement of pre-GST arrears to enable reduction of compliance burden of legacy cases. The OTS will be applicable from November 15, 2023 and will be valid till March 15, 2024 and Taxpayers whose assessments have been framed till March 31, 2023 with amount of total demand

(tax, penalty and interest up to March 31, 2023) up to Rs. 1 Crore, shall be eligible to apply for settlement under this Scheme. The OTS would provide complete waiver in case of arrears up to Rs. 1 lakh as on March 31, 2023 which would cover nearly



39,787 cases and a further, waiver of 100% interest, 100% penalty and 50% of the tax amount is being given in nearly 19,361 cases.

The Cabinet also gave nod to start 'Mukh Mantri' Tirath Yatra Scheme for enabling the people of the state to visit various pilgrimage sites across the country free of cost from the upcoming parkash purab of Sri

Guru Nanak Dev ji on November 27. As it is the aspiration of every person of the state that he/she must visit the pilgrimage places such as Sri Hazur Sahib Nanded, Sri Patna Sahib, Varanasi, Ayodhya Mandir and Vrindavan in Uttar Pradesh and Sri Ajmer Sharif, Rajasthan, Sri

Anandpur Sahib, Sri Amritsar Sahib, Salasar Dham, Khaattu Shyam ji, Mata Chintpurni, Mata Vaishno Devi, Mata Jawalaji and others, at least once in his for which this scheme has been started. So as per the scheme there will be two modes of travel and for long distance destinations, mode of travel will be by Train whereas for shorter distances.



Kashmir may see bumper saffron crop this year

Srinagar: This year Kashmir may see bumper saffron crop. The cultivators of Kashmir's golden saffron crop say that timely rainfall and natural multiplication in carom produced bunches of flowers together were an important factor for bumper crop. Although the cultivation of the crop was delayed by a week after a decade due to natural change in weather, timely rain and suitable temperature propelled the production much to the delight of the farmers, Gawhar Jahangeer, a farmer said. Jahangeer was feeling satisfied in the saffron field at Pampore in south Kashmir and was busy in plucking the flowers along with his children and putting them first time since decades on a cloth which they called "Dagoon" traditionally a blissful pattern.

Earthquake of 5.6 magnitude hits Nepal, tremors felt in Delhi

NEW DELHI: Earthquake tremors were felt in Delhi and neighbouring areas on Monday afternoon as an earthquake of 5.6 magnitude hit Nepal. According to the National Centre for Seismology (NSC), the earthquake occurred at 4:16 pm on Monday. "Earthquake of Magnitude:5.6, Occurred on 06-11-2023, 16:16:40 IST, Lat: 28.89 & Long: 82.36, Depth: 10 Km, Region: Nepal," the National Centre for Seismology said in a post of X. An earthquake of magnitude 3.1 occurred in Manipur's Churachandpur on Sunday evening. According to NSC, the earthquake occurred at 5:42 pm on Sunday. "Earthquake of Magnitude:3.1, Occurred on 05-11-2023, 17:42:04 IST.

Drone, heroin recovered near IB
CHANDIGARH: A drone and a packet of heroin were recovered from a field near the International Border in Punjab's Amritsar district on Monday, said a BSF official. Acting on specific information, the Border Security Force troops conducted a search operation near village Roranwala Khurd in Amritsar, the official said. During the search operation, a China-made quadcopter and the packet containing 250 grams of heroin were found from the field.

SC to consider plea for listing of PILs on Adani-Hindenburg row
NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday said the apex court registry will look into the issue of listing for hearing PILs related to allegations of stock price manipulation by the Adani group. A bench comprising Chief Justice D Y Chandrachud and justices J B Pardiwala and Manoj Misra was told by lawyer Prashant Bhusan, appearing for one of the PIL petitioners, that the pleas were to be listed on August 28.

Mizoram votes today to elect 40-member Assembly

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India's tiny North Eastern state of Mizoram goes to the polls on Tuesday with an electorate of 8,56,868 spread across 1,276 polling stations eligible to choose a 40-member Assembly from a pool of 170 candidates.

State Chief Electoral Officer (CEO) Madhup Vyas said that the stage is set for voting amidst a tight security blanket and multiple tech-driven measures to ensure free, fair and peaceful polls.

Voting will begin at 7 am and continue till 4 pm in India's second least populated and fifth smallest state.

There are 29 vulnerable polling stations and one critical polling station, mainly along the international and international border areas across the state.

The CEO said there are 4,39,026 female voters and 4,975 service voters in the state. He said webcasting will be undertaken in 769 (60 per cent) of the polling stations.

Besides 3,000 odd state police personnel, 450 sections of central armed police forces (CAPF) are being deployed to prevent any breach of peace. There are 21 general observers, 14 expenditure observers and 11 police observers to oversee the polling process. Mizoram Election department officials



said that there are 19 villages in the state where water transport is required. State Additional Chief Electoral Officer H. Lianzela said that such villages only accessible by boat are in southern Mizoram's Lunglei and Lawngtlai districts and Mizoram-Tripura-Bangladesh border Mamit district.

There are also 22 polling stations where polling parties have to move by foot. The villages are located in Lunglei district (11).

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We Narinder Singh S/o Kaka Singh And Darshani Devi W/o Narinder Singh R/o Village Alamgir Tehsil Dera Bassi And Distt Mohali Declare That Our Son Bhupinder Singh And His Wife Manpreet Kaur Are Out Of Our Control. So We Disown Both Of Them From All Our Movable Or Immovable Properties. Anybody Dealing With Them On Their Own Risk.

50008

I Sarabjit Kaur W/o Mangal Singh VPO Kanech Tehsil and district Ludhiana declare that as per army record my DOB is 08/01/1986 ,which is wrong, my true and correct DOB is 08/01/1981

50008

I Jalkarn Singh S/o Chanan Singh R/o Buttar Bakhua, Teh. Gidderbaha (Sri Muktsar Sahib) do hereby solemnly affirm and declare that my son Mandeep Singh and his wife Kamjeet Kaur alias Sunita were out of our control and falling in bad company. So i evicted my son Mandeep Singh and his wife Kamjeet Kaur alias Sunita from all my moveable and immoveable property. If any person will deals with above said perosns, he will be himself responsible, I and my family members will not have any concern/relation with that.

63372

I Ravinder Singh S/o Jagjit Singh R/o VPO Bachhohi Tehsil Garhshankar Distt Hoshiarpur declare that my Son Pankush is out of my control and indulged in bad company and disobeying me. I disinherit my son Pankush from my moveable and immovable properties. I and my other family members will not be responsible for his any illegal act/deal.

63372

We, Laxmi W/O Sh. Rajender & Rajender S/O Sh. Devi Ram Both R/O Vill-Mirpur,Near Guga Mahi, Baba Wali Colony, Mubarikpur, Tehsil -Derabassi,Distt-S.A.S Nagar (Mohali) Declare That Our Son Rajesh Kumar & His Wife Daalo And Their Two Daughters Chandani And Shivani Are Totally Out Of Our Control. Today We Disown Both Of Them From All Our Movable And Immovable Properties. In Future, If Our Son And His Wife And Her Daughters Make Any Transaction With Anyone, Then We Will Not Be Responsible For Anything. They Themselves Shall Be Responsible For Their Legal And Illegal Dealing.

63372

I, No. 4484300W Hav Amrajit Singh S/o Gurcharan Singh R/o Badhni Kalan Distt. Moga declare that in the record of army my wife name is written Bhupinder Kaur by mistaken. My wife name is Bhinder Kaur true and correct. Please correct the name of my wife Bhupinder Kaur to Bhinder Kaur in the recorded of Army and on all the documents related to Army.

63372

I Shridevi Jotennavar spouse of No 15697977 X Rank HAV Ratnappa Jotennavar unit 3 EW BN C/o 56 APO declared that my name Shridevi is wrongly entered in my husband army service records but my correct name is Shridevi Jotennavar All Pls Note It.

63372

I, Kamaljeet Kaur W/o Mehnga Singh R/o Vill: Bhari Panechan Teh-Nabha (Patiala) declare that in my son Harman Singh Passport my name wrongly entered Kamaljeet Singh. But my correct name is Kamaljeet Kaur. So amended my name from Kamaljeet Singh to Kamaljeet Kaur in my son Passport.

63372

I, Kamlesh Luthra W/o Narinder Paul Luthra R/o H. No. 34, Bagh Wali Colony Chogawan Jalandhar Punjab-144026 declare That my son Simar Luthra is Out Of My Control. So, I Disown And Debar Them From My All Moveable/Immovable Properties. If Anybody Deals With Them, Shall Do At Their Own Risk In Future.

461257

I, L.M. Narula S/o Dilbag Ray R/o H.No. 768/11, Indira Colony, Gobind Nagar, Kaithal have changed my name from L.M. Narula to Lalit Mohan Narula. Note all concerned.

84451

I, Gourav S/o Sundar Lal R/o Hno. 826/12 , Gali No. 6 , Amar Garh Gamri , Kaithal (Haryana) Have Changed My Name From Gourav To Gourav Kumar. Concerned Please Note.

84451

I, Monika Sharma wife of Sandeep Kumar r/o House No. 388, HUDA Sector 20 Kaithal, District Kaithal (Haryana), have changed my name from Monika Sharma to Monika. Concerned please note.

84451

I, Randhir S/o Ram Sawroop R/o Hno. 1000, Vpo Kutail Distt. Kamal (haryana) Have Changed My Name From Randhir To Randhir Singh. Concerned Please Note.

84451

I, Naranjan Dass S/o Duni Chand, r/o House Number 1136/15, Ward Number 15, Professor Colony Kaithal, District Kaithal (Haryana), have changed my name from Naranjan Dass to Naranjan Dass Gupta. Concerned please note.

84451

I, Kanika Khanduja wife of Vikas Seth r/o H No. 255, Ward No. 7, Near Aarya Smaj Mandir, Opposite Hind Cinema Kaithal District Kaithal (Haryana), have changed my name from Kanika Khanduja to Kanika. Concerned please note.

84451

I, Sandeep Sharma s/o Pawan Kumar r/o House No. 388, HUDA Sector 20, Kaithal, District Kaithal (Haryana), have changed my name from Sandeep Sharma to Sandeep Kumar. Concerned please note.

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ਦੇ.ਪੀ. ਕੁਕੁਲਸ਼ਨ ਖਾਣਾ ਨੰਬਰ - APO4/0049W 7.5 BHP ਜੋ ਕਿ ਪਿੰਡਚਿਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਨਿੱਥਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪਿੰਡ ਚਿਲਾਵਾਰਗੜ੍ਹ ਦੇ ਨਾਮ ਤੇ ਚਲਦਾ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਸੇਵਾ ਕੁਕੁਲਸ਼ਨ ਨਾਨਾ ਬਲੀ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਕਰਮ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਭਗਨਾਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਪਿੰਡ ਚਿਲਾਵਾਰਗੜ੍ਹ ਵਲੋਂ ਬਿਨੈ ਪੱਤਰ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕੀਤਾ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ। ਜੇਕਰ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੂੰ ਇਦਰਜ਼ ਦੇਣਾ ਤਾਂ 15 ਦਿਨ ਦੇ ਅੰਦਰ ਸਹਾਇਕ ਹੁਕਮਕਾਰੀ ਇੰਜੀਨੀਅਰ ਚਿਹਾਰੀ ਉਪ ਮੰਡਲ ਨੰ. 1 ਪੀ.ਐੱਸ.ਪੀ.ਸੀ.ਐੱਲ. ਅਹਿਮਦਪੁਰ ਵਿਖੇ ਇਲਾਹਾਹ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਵੇ ਨਹੀਂ ਤਾਂ ਉਦਯੋਗਕ ਕੁਕੁਲਸ਼ਨ ਬਿਨੈ ਕਰਤਾ ਦੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਜਾਵੇਗਾ।

PUBLIC NOTICE

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ਬਾ ਅਦਾਲਤ ਮਹਾਵਿਧਿ ਕਰਕਿਸਰ ਦਰਜਾ ਪਵਿੱਲ-ਕਮ- ਨਾਵਿਧਿ ਕਰਕਿਸਰ ਨਰੋਂਦਰ

ਨਿਸ਼ਨ ਨੰਬਰ: 13/ਵੀ/2023
ਪਿੰਡ: ਖਾਨਗੁਰ ਬੰਦਾ

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I, Renu Devi W/o Rajesh Kumar R/o village Umarpur, Tehsil Indri, District Karnal, declare that I have changed my name from Rani Devi to Renu Devi. In future, I should be known and known as Renu Devi.

50008

I sarabjit kaur w/o Mangal singh VPO kanech Tehsil and district Ludhiana known by both names sarabjit kaur and sarabjeet kaur

50008

I Kako w/o Narain Singh R/o Village Jatana Ucha, Tehsil Khamanon, District Fatehgarh Sahib have changed my name from Kako to Kiran Kaur.

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I, hitherto known as Jasmel Kaur Buttar wife of Kirpal Singh Buttar r/o Village Assa Buttar District Sri Muktsar Sahib 152025 Punjab have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Jasmal Kaur Buttar. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection.

50008

I, hitherto known as Bahal Singh Khiva son of Gurnam Singh r/o Ward Number 7, Bariwala Tehsil and District Sri Muktsar Sahib 152025 Punjab have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Bahal Singh. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection.

50008

I, Kavita Devi W/o Sh. Sanjay Kumar R/o Ward No 5, Near Killa Mohalla Indri, Distt Karnal have changed my name from Kavita Devito Savita Devi.

202030

I, Jawsant singh Bhullar s/o late Pritam Singh.R/o vpo & Teh Baba Bakala sahib Distt. Amritsar have changed my name from JASWANT SINGH to JASWANT SINGH BHULLAR

900026

i hitherto known as ARUN SHARMA W/O RAVI SHARMA R/o 700-F, Mohalla Quazian Pathankot, Punjab -145001 have changed my name and shall hereafterbe known as ARUN BALA. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection.

900026

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900026

I, Anita Verma w/o Kamal Verma r/o #106, Ward No.5, Indri Chowk, Ladwa, Distt Kurukshetra have changed my name from Anita to Anita Verma. All concerned note please.

52724

I Vinod Kumar resident of 119. Urban Estate , Kapurthala have changed my minor daughter's name from KASHISH to KASHISH CHOUDHARY.All Concerned please note

98706

I, Sandeep Kaur W/O Gurpreet Singh R/O VPO. Kapoor Pind, Distt. Jalandhar, Punjab, India after marriage I have added my surname as Sangha and shall hereafter he known as Sandeep Kaur Sangha. All note.

461257

I, Bakshish Ram S/o Sh. Dara Ram R/o Hno.18 Mohalla Sukhchain Nagar Phagwara Distt. Kapurthala Pb I Have Changed My Name From Bakshish Ram To Bakshish Ram. All Note.

461257

I, Lakhvinder Singh son of Santokh Singh R/o Village Khanpur. P.O. Dhugga Kalan Tehsil Dasuya, District Hoshiarpur have changed my name, Singh as surname and Lakhvinder as given name. All concern may note please.

461257

I, Gourav Sharma S/O Shri Narinder Kumar Sharma R/O Moh. New Adarsh Nagar, Nakodar, Distt. Jalandhar declare that in my daughter's passport my name spelling is incorrect, that is Gaurav Sharma but my actual name spelling is Gourav Sharma. Which may be amended accordingly.

461257

I DALBARA SINGH S/O MODAN SINGH RO MEHLAN HAVE CHANGED MY NAME TO DARWARASINGH.

50008

I Balwinder Singh S/o Sh. Sher Jang Singh R/i Chhota Bans, Radaur, Tehsil Radaur, Distt Yamunanagar , Haryana have changed my name to Balvinder.

50008

I, Dalvinder Kaur W/o Sukhjeet Singh Village Dhenthall.Teh samana district Patiala have changed my name from Davinder kaur to Dalvinder Kaur.

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I, hitherto known as Lakhvinder Singh wife of Jaswinder Singh r/o Village Khokhar Tehsil and District Sri Muktsar Sahib-152025 Punjab have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Lakhvinderpal Kaur. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection.

50008

I, Niranjn Singh, s/o Satnam Singh, r/o Khuiya Malkana Tehsil Dabwali Distt Sirsa, declare that in the mark sheet of my daughter Kulwinder Kaur passed from Haryana School Education Board for class 10th and 12th, my name has been written by mistake as Niranjn Das whereas my real name is Niranjn singh. My name should be corrected to Niranjn Singh.

50008

I, Gurpreet Kaur Bhue D/o Manjit Singh R/o H.No. 28, Venus Village Near Baba Mohan Dass Nagar, Randhawa Masandan, Jalandhar Punjab-144004 have changed my name from Gurpreet Kaur Bhue to Gurpreet Kaur. All concerned please note.

42778

I Gurveer W/o Harcharan Singh R/o Gali Ghumiaran Wali,mori Gate,jandiala Guru Changed My Name Gurveer As A Given Name And Kaur As A Surname.all Please Note.

42778

I, Mohinder Singh S/o. Lahoura Singh R/o. Vill. Lakhi Jangle, P. O. Mehma Sarja, Teh. & Distt. Bathinda have changed my name to Mohinder Singh Brar.

90004

I, Chilla Totayya Son of Chilla Appanna Resident of H.No 2-25, Mulakuddu Kotta, Bheemunipatnam (Mandal), Visakhapatnam (Distt), State Andhrapradesh, India have declare That my Date of Birth in my son's Chilla Apparao (15321703A Rank L/Hav) Army Service Record is wrongly mentioned as 01-07-1955 but my actual date of birth is 01-01-1951. Concerned Note.

900013

I, Kulwinder Kaur Alias Khushpreet Kaur , D/o Bohar Singh , W/o Kulwinder Singh R/o VPO. Smagh (Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib) have changed after marriage my name Khushpreet Kaur.

62647

I Prakash Singh s/o santokh Singh VPO Kangra Teh. Nakodar Dt. Jalandhar have changed my name from prakash singh to Parkashsingh

989666

I, No. JC618647'N', Rank-Sub, Name Song Rai S/O Damber Rai R/o Mamun Cantt, Pathankot Unit 4/5 GR (FF) 'A' Coy C/O 56 APO, do hereby solemnly affirm and declare that my Wife name has been entered wrongly as Rosl Rai on my Army Service document record. My wife name Rosl Rai completely wrong And the correct name is Rosi Tamang as per her aadhar Card. Before Notary Sat Pal, Pathankot Dated 06/11/2023.

989666

I, Harbans Lal S/o Ram Parkash R/o.2A, Krishna Square-2, Near Vidhya Bhawan School Amritsar have Changed my name to Harbans Lal Behal

72737

I GURMEET KAUR W/O KULVIR SINGH R/O VILL PANDORI LUBANA, PO PANDORI WARAICH, AMRITSAR PUNJAB PIN 143008 Have changed my name to GURMIT KAUR Concerned Note.

72737

I KULVEER SINGH S/O PIARA SINGH R/O VILL PANDORI LUBANA, PO PANDORI WARAICH, AMRITSAR PUNJAB PIN 143008 Have changed my name to KULVIR SINGH Concerned Note.

72737

I Dalvinder kaur W/O Balwinder Singh Village Mohleke, Teh Ajnala, Distt Amritsar. I have changed my name to Dalwinder Kaur.concerned note

72737

I, SARBJIT SINGH Son of SATPAL SINGH residing at H.No.4, Gali No.4, Friend Colony, Ram Tirath Road, Amritsar have changed my name to SARABJIT SINGH.

72737

I Hitherto Known As JINDER SINGH S/O AMAR SINGH R/O V.P.O.BRASS, TEHSIL & DISTT FATEHGARH SAHIB, PUNJAB, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As HARJINDER SINGH.

72737

I Hitherto Known As NAVROOP KAUR SANDHU W/O MANJIT SINGH SANDHU R/O H.NO. 81, WARD NO. 01, MOHALLA CHALI WALA, TEHSIL BASSI PATHANA, DISTT FATEHGARH SAHIB, PUNJAB, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As NAVROOP KAUR.

72737

I Hitherto Known As BHUPINDER KAUR W/O HARPREET SINGH R/O VILLAGE BARKATPUR, TEHSIL & DISTT FATEHGARH SAHIB, PUNJAB, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As BHINDER KAUR.

72737

I hitherto known as JAIPAL SINGH MULLA S/O NARINDER SINGH R/O H.NO.156, GALI NO.5, GURU HAR RAI AVENUE, MAJITHA ROAD, DISTT AMRITSAR, PUNJAB have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as JAIPALSINGH.

72737

I hitherto known as GURINDER KAUR D/O SURJEET SINGH W/O PARMINDER SINGH R/O H.NO.59, YASH PAINTER WALI GALI, BACK SIDE CHAUDHRY SWEET SHOP, WARD NO.12, AHMEDGARH, TEHSIL AHMEDGARH, DISTT MALERKOTLA, PUNJAB have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as JASLEEN KAUR

72737

I hitherto known as RENU BALA D/O AMRIT PAL W/O BHUSHAN KUMAR S/O R/O WARD NO.16, MANSARA, TEHSIL MANSA, DISTT MANSA, PUNJAB, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as POOJA GOYAL.

72737

I hitherto known as RANJIT JAMMU S/O SARBMAN SINGH R/O37, PREET VIHAR, MEERAKOT CHOWK, AIR PORT ROAD, SONU KARIANA STORE, AMRITSAR-143001 PUNJAB, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as RANJIT SINGH

72737

I, RAJNI DOEL W/O SANDEEP KUMAR R/O H.NO. 114/3, MOHALLA FATEHGARH, DISTT HOSHIARPUR., PUNJAB, have

Public hearing program organizes, resolves public problems

INDRI (MAINPAL KASHYAP): Being a representative of the people, along with getting development work done in the constituency, whenever he got a chance in the assembly sessions he voiced for the solution of the problems of the people of the constituency and it has been his first priority, said Indri MLA Ramkumar Kashyap while organizing a public hearing program at the rest house of the Irrigation Department like every Monday. In the public hearing program, un-registered practitioners working in the medical field thanked the MLA and said that he put their legitimate demands before the government in the assembly session. He told that in the public hearing programme, the people of the constituency came with their respective problems, most of which were solved on the spot and instructions were given to the officials of the concerned departments to solve the remaining problems. The MLA told the people that the Chief Minister of the state, Manohar Lal, was reaching out to the people in all the assembly constituencies and solving the problems and complaints of the people through the public dialogue program. He said that along with the Chief Minister, MPs and MLAs were also reaching out to the people and solving their problems through public dialogue. He said that the Chief Minister was working most of his time keeping in mind the interest of the people of the state.

Sri Krishna Kripa Seva Samiti thanks the Municipality for approving the construction of Geeta Chowk

SADHAURA (PREETI RANI): Shri Krishna Kripa Seva Samiti General Secretary Sudhir Bhalla, while expressing his gratitude to the Municipality said that Shri Krishna Kripa Seva Samiti has given approval to name the main market square as Geo Geeta Chowk along with the approval of many development works in the meeting of the Municipality. After four years, again in the month of September, the municipality had requested that the main market square should be named Geo Geeta Chowk. Chairman Sachdev Chugh also thanked the municipality administration and said that their entire committee expressed its gratitude to the municipality. Many members including Surendra Verma, Bhishma Chugh, Dharampal Adalkha, Rajan Arora, Wazir Chand, Gopal Singh were present on this occasion.

HARYANA

YUGMARG, CHANDIGARH, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2023

Govt to prepare panchayat development index for Rural Dev

BUREAU CHANDIGARH, NOV 6

Haryana Chief Secretary, Mr. Sanjeev Kaushal today disclosed that the Development and Panchayat Department will prepare a Panchayat Development Index (PDI) to access the hoilistic development performance and progress of Panchayats. This index will also take into account socio economic indicators to guage the well being and development status of the lcxal communities within the jurisdiction of panchayats.

Presiding over a meeting here today to discuss the Panchayat Development Index, Chief Secretary, Mr. Sanjeev Kaushal emphasized the importance of data collection for 57 services across 12 departments. Based on this data, the index will be formulated, considering social, economic parameters, and the development status of the local community. It will



encompass a range of thematic and sub-thematic indices, including electricity, water, roads, sanitation infrastructure, health and education services, institutions, economic and social indices, literacy and poverty rates, governance and administration, environmental sustainability, and more. Sh. Kaushal explained that the

development index aims to identify disparities in rural communities, assess the progress of sustainable development goals, and inform policies for the betterment of rural lives. The focus will be on fostering poverty-free and livelihood villages, developing healthy villages, establishing child-friendly Panchayats, ensuring adequate water supply, promoting clean and green Panchayats, creating self-reliant Panchayats with essential infrastructure, fostering social justice and safe Panchayats, and advancing overall development with good governance and women-friendly Panchayats.

To achieve these goals, State Steering Committee and District and Block Steering and Verification Committees have been constituted. These committees will oversee the preparation of quality data by grading the Panchayats and formulate and review plans at the Panchayat level.

Society has a duty to help budding players: Graham Carter

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, NOVEMBER 6

Ibrox India Managing Director Graham Carter has said that it is the duty of every countryman to support the budding players. Ibro India considers it its responsibility to help the needy section of the society. He said that the Ibrox company provides all possible assistance to the players from time to time to promote sports. Ibro always comes forward to help, especially the girls. He was speaking at a programme organised at the headquarters of Ebro India. On this occasion, Ibro India provided financial assistance to international kickboxing player Madhu Kumari to participate in the Senior World Championship held in Portugal. Chief guest Graham Carter presented a check for the assistance amount. On this occasion, Madhu Kumari's coach Jaswant Singh and Madhu's parents honoured her by giving her a bouquet of flowers. She was honoured by wearing a turban as the pride of Haryana. HR Chief Yash Keharwala and Marketing Head Puneet Kumar were also wel-

comed in the programme in a traditional manner. On this occasion, chief guest Mr. Carter honoured Madhu Kumari. He said that the country has a lot of hopes from Madhu. He will help him in every possi-



ble way. His wish is that Madhu should make the country proud by winning a gold medal in the Olympic Games. On this occasion, Madhu Kumari said that her target is to bring a gold medal in the Olympic Games. It will be her endeavour to live up to the expectations that everyone has placed on her.

Last date of State Energy Conservation Award on Dec 2

PARI BAJAJ

KARNAL: Additional Deputy Commissioner Dr. Vaishali Sharma said that industrial, commercial, government, institutional, group and residential buildings will be decorated with State Energy Conservation Awards in view of taking best measures in the field of energy conservation and adopting technology and achieving energy efficiency. He said that the New and Renewable Energy Department and Haryana have invited applications from eligible consumers of various categories for the year 2022-23. Last date to apply has been December 2. Additional Deputy Commissioner said that the institutions doing best work in innovation, new technology, research and development projects which include new projects, research and innovation from energy conservation, energy efficiency, waste to energy and renewable energy sector etc.

Motivational workshop organised by Tejinder Kaur

RAJNI SONI YAMUNANAGAR, NOV 6

A special session was organised by Kaun Banega Crorepati winner Tejinder Kaur for the all-round development of students under the guidance of Chairperson Dr. Rajni Sehgal at St. Lawrence International School, Pabni Road, Jagadhri. The keynote speaker of the workshop was welcomed by all the teachers and officials. First of all, the students were told in detail about Tejinder Kaur and said that she was the winner of Rs 50 lakh in the season 15 of Kaun Banega Crorepati. Despite having two lifelines available to her for the question of Rs 1 crore, when she did not get a definite answer, she quit the game and became the winner of Rs 50 lakh. Tejinder Kaur was a manager in PNB in Yamunanagar and



just some time ago she took VRS. Her husband is also working in the bank and children are serving abroad.

Speaker Tejinder Kaur said that she had been trying to enter the Kaun Banega Crorepati show since the first season. She said that she used newspapers as well as magazines a lot for the preparation and knowledge enhancement for KBC. Besides, she collected all the information about the country and the world through TV and also acquired knowledge by reading general knowledge

books. She inspired the students to use all these things for gaining knowledge. Chairman of the school, renowned educationist Dr MK Sehgal said that she became the first woman to win the Super Box, which was started for the first time in KBC, by answering all the 10 questions correctly in 90 seconds. He inspired the students to take inspiration from her and increase their knowledge. From this, students should learn to never give up in life. She also read Harivansh Roy Bachchan's poem

Rural sanitation workers protesting for last 27 days submit memo to Councilor Jasbir Panjeta



LADWA (NARESH GARG): Rural sanitation workers of Ladwa block have been protesting continuously since October 10 for their demands and raising slogans against the government in the block and Panchayat office of Ladwa. On the 27th day of strike, the employees submitted a memorandum regarding their demands to District Councilor and Halka Pradhan Jasbir Panjeta. Block head of rural sanitation workers Mohit Kumar said that they are demanding regularization rural sanitation workers. He said that supervisors should be appointed from among the rural sanitation workers and jobs should be given to the families of those employees who have died. He said that on retirement, financial assistance of Rs 10 lakh should be provided. Earlier, rural sanitation workers submitted a memorandum regarding their demands to District Councilor and Halka Pradhan Jasbir Panjeta. Halka chief Jasbir Panjeta said that whatever demands the employees have, will be placed before Deputy Chief Minister Dushyant Chautala and work will be done to end the strike as soon as possible.

Awareness against drugs through wrestling good initiative: Batra

RAJNI SONI YAMUNANAGAR, NOVEMBER 6

Coordinator District Congress Committee and former Chairman Zilla Parishad Yamunanagar Shyam Sundar Batra arrived as the chief guest at the Dangal in Gandhi Nagar of Yamunanagar city and along with him former Mayor representative Seva Singh Sasoli, former Deputy Mayor Rampal, Naseeb Singh, Mange Ram. Marupur, Jaswinder Singh Sandhu, Ravindra Singh Bablu, Naresh Valmiki, K L Tinu, Rinku Malimajra, Mohammad Islam, Raju Sapra, Youth Congress leader Akash Batra etc. encouraged the wrestlers. Chief guest Shyam Sundar Batra reached the spot and his companions were welcomed by garlanding and playing drums.

Speaking on this occasion Shyam Sundar Batra expressed his gratitude to Kesar Singh and his team for the dance being organised by Professor Kesar Singh and Sanju Pehalwan under the drug-free campaign and said that today the whole country needs thinking like Kesar Singh to spread awareness to save the youth from

drugs. There can be no better medium than Dangal. Shyam Sundar Batra appealed that all the leading people of the society should make united efforts to eliminate drug addiction from the society. Ladi Baba's wrestling was the main attraction. On this occasion,



sion, former Mayor representative Seva Singh Sasoli, Naseeb Singh, Mange Ram Marupur, Jaswinder Singh Sandhu, former Deputy Mayor Rampal, Ravindra Singh Bablu, Naresh Valmiki, KL Tinu, Raju Sapra, Youth Congress leader Akash Batra, Rinku Malimajra, Professor Kesar Singh, Mohammad Islam, Sanju Pehalwan, Gursevak Singh, Manpreet Singh Lovely, Satnam Singh Sandhu etc. were present.

Students of SD Institute of Management and Technology Jagadhri shine in MBA examinations of KU

RAHUL KOHLI

JAGADHRI: The students of SD Institute of Management and Technology Jagadhri performed brilliantly and maintained the institute tradition. Director of the institute, Dr. Shaali Gupta said that this time also the students of MBA second semester have performed well in the university.

This was due to the teamwork of the department and the efforts of the students. This milestone was achieved only due to tireless hard work. In this happy atmosphere, sweets were distributed in the institute. The director said that MBA second semester student Muskaan Tandon stood first in the university with 633 marks out of 750 marks, Muskaan Basati stood second with 631 marks besides eight children topped among 17 top positions in the university. Students said that they felt stress free. With the blessings of the parents, by giving up the mobile phone and using the library regularly and with the successful guidance of teachers, they succeeded in attaining this position. Principal of the Institute, Arun Kumar Mittal, Deputy Principal, Praveen Secretary, Ved Prakash, Deputy Secretary, Manoj Gupta, while congratulating the students for this achievement, wished for a bright future and gave credit to the successful guidance of the teachers and hard work.



Free eye, dental check-up camp organised

MAINPAL KASHYAP INDRI, NOVEMBER 6

A free camp for eye and dental check-up was organised by Chauhan Ice Care Center at Shaheed Udharn Singh Senior Secondary School. In which the eyes and teeth of students from class nursery to class 12th were examined. In this camp, for dental check-up, Dr. Talika and Dr. Akshat explained about the check-up and care of teeth of the students and also provided them free medicines. Dr. Upasana and Dr. BS Chauhan were present for eye examination. Dr Chauhan told the children about eye care and how

we can keep our eyes healthy. On this occasion, school manager Mr. Ramesh Kamboj ji and



Kanwarlal Kamboj were present.

On this occasion, school principal Jyoti Kharbanda said that such free health camps will be organised in the school. The Principal has said that by organising such camps, the health of the students remains good and they do not face any problem in their studies. Because an unhealthy person cannot do any type of work well. That is why this free health camp was organised for the students so that they do not have to face any kind of problem related to health during their studies.

PM and CM changed fortunes of country and state: Naib Singh Saini

RANVIR PRASHAR KAITHAL, NOV 6

BJP State President Naib Singh Saini said that Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Chief Minister Manohar Lal have worked to change the fate and picture of the country and the state. The central and state governments are working with full determination for the welfare of the poor. Through the online system in the state, people have been freed from offices, documents and applications, now they are getting direct benefits of various schemes sitting at home. By continuously strengthening the organization in the state, every worker will be given equal respect. With the help and hard work of the workers, we will form a double engine government for the third time in the Center and the



State. He was speaking at the welcome ceremony organized at BJP office Kapil Kamal. On reaching the function, the State President was given a warm welcome. Various social and religious organizations honored him by giving him shawls, mementos, flower garlands. Minister of State for Women and Child Development Kamlesh Dhand, MLA Leela Ram, BJP District President Ashok Gurjar, District Incharge Ved Phula, HAFED Chairman Kailash Bhagat, Chairperson Surbhi Garg, officials and representatives of various organi-

zations were present in this ceremony. Saini said that the responsibility given to him by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, National President JP Nadda, Union Home Minister Amit Shah, Defense Minister Rajnath Singh, Chief Minister Manohar Lal and other top leaders will be discharged with full dedication. 24 hours will be made available to the general public and workers and work will be done for the continuous strengthening of the organization. The turban given by the Chieftaincy of Kaithal will be respected.

Sons of Nandlal Khattar donate his eyes after his death

MEGHRAJ LUTHRA

KACHHWA: After the death of 87-year-old Nandlal Khattar in village Jadoli, his sons donated their father's eyes to Madhav Eye Bank and did not let them end up in the heap of mud. This noble work of the family was being praised in the village. Earlier, sons had also donated their mother's eyes in a similar manner after her death.

Rajkumar and Dr. Chandra Mohan Chawla of Madhav Eye Bank got a call from Nandlal's son-in-law Rajkumar Dua so he reached the village with his team.

Rajkumar told that even though Nandlal Khattar was no more in this world, both his eyes would continue to see this world. After these eyes were transplanted to any two people, the life of two people from darkness would illuminate. With this noble act, his eldest son Gopi Khattar, Naresh Khattar, Sanjay Khattar and his daughters-in-law Jyoti, Meenu, Pooja, couples Tushar, Harshit, Ritanshi and Urvasi were all saddened by the departure of their loved one from this world, but this noble deed also brought a feel of happiness in their hearts.



Tarlochan Singh holds meeting of Congress workers

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, NOVEMBER 6

A meeting of Congress workers of Karnal Assembly constituency was organised by District Convener Tarlochan Singh at Manav Seva Sangh. On behalf of All India Congress Committee, Lok Sabha in-charge Umesh Pandey, Karnal Assembly in-charge Satish Tank, senior Congress leader, former chairman Ramswaroop Janbaj and senior leader Raghbir Sandhu specially participated in the meeting. The workers welcomed the leaders by garlanding them. Trilochan Singh presented the side of the workers of Karnal before the in-charge. He said that the workers have geared up for the elections to be held next year. The policies of Congress are being taken to the common people. Raghbir Sandhu said that the workers of

Karnal are struggling to oust the BJP government and form the Congress government. On this occasion, Umesh Pandey said that it is certain that a Congress government will be formed in 2024. Workers



should go door-to-door and tell about the public welfare policies of Congress. To strengthen the party organisation, executive committees from district level to block level will soon be formed. Satish Tank said that the workers should work day and night to inculcate the belief that Congress has a hand with every section of the society in

every citizen of Karnal. Raghbir Sandhu, Mahila Pradhan Usha Tuli, former Pradhan Ashok Khurana, Congress leader Parag Gaba, Ramesh Saini, Joginder Valmiki, Rani Kamboj, youth leader Anshul Lather, Nishchay Sohi, spokesperson Lalit Arora, Birbal Tanwar, Ranpal Sandhu, Dharampal Kaushik, were present in the meeting. Joginder Chauhan, Jagir Saini, Sushma Nagpal, Gurvidra Kaur, Anil Sharma, former councillor Hardwari Lal, Daya Prakash, former councillor Thakur Das, Rajindra Pappi, Surjit Saini, Ashok Duggal, Akash Sirswal, Paramjit Valmiki, Rajindra Singh Bhola, Surendra Nambardar, Ramesh Jogi, Vinod Kala, Narendra Joga, Hoshar Singh, Karmapal Singh, Jileram Valmiki, Rajpal Tanwar, Prem Malvania and Gagan Mehta etc. were present.

NEWS AT A GLANCE

Mandeep Kaur of Kadal Kalan School's excellent performance in state level karate competition



KAPURTHALA: Mandeep Kaur, daughter of Mukhtar Singh, who is studying in the seventh standard of Government Middle Smart School Kadal Kalan, participated in the state level karate competition organized by the Department of Education, Punjab at Arya Senior Secondary School, Jalandhar during the 67th Punjab State School Games performed brilliantly. In this state level competition, players from 23 districts participated under different weights. It is worth mentioning that the player Mandeep Kaur secured her place for the state level competition by performing excellently in the district level competition. Sarpanch Nishan Singh Chahal and panchayat members, Chairman Madhu, Vice Chairman and members of the school management committee congratulated the school staff for excellent achievement and said that this player has brought the name of the school and village to light at the state level.

Gahal College student wins first place in inter-college wrestling competition



BALWINDER AZAD BARNALA DEHATI: BA of Mata Sahib Kaur Girls College, Gehal (Barnala) running under the management of Shriomani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee, Sri Amritsar. Part 3 student Satveer Kaur won the first position in the inter-college wrestling competition of Punjab University, Patiala. The teacher of physical education subject of the institution Prof. Gurveer Singh and Prof. Lakhwinder Kaur said that in these inter-college wrestling competitions held at Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Sri Anandpur Sahib, the student has achieved this important achievement by performing best in the 53 kg weight category. Principal on arrival at the institution. Charandeep Singh (Dr.), S. Student Satveer Kaur was honored by Balveer Singh Maan and teachers. While congratulating Satveer Kaur on this important achievement, the Principal also praised the physical education teachers. She also inspired other female students to achieve success with hard work and dedication. He especially thanked Balveer Singh Maan who is paying the fees of this talented student Satveer Kaur. On this occasion Dr. Janmeet Singh, Dr. Gurdeep Kaur, Bibi Harjot Kaur, Prof. Sandeep Kaur, Dr. Randeep Kaur, Prof. Gurpreet Kaur, Dr. Harmeet Kaur Sidhu, all teachers and students were present.

Food carnival organized at Desh Bhagat Global School

AJAY MALHOTRA FATEHGARH SAHIB, NOV 6

To develop culinary skills among students, Desh Bhagat Global School, Mandi Gobindgarh, organized a "Food Carnival" on its premises. The lawn of the school was beautifully decorated according to the theme. A large variety of dishes were presented by DBGS students.

The food carnival was inaugurated with the floral welcome of judges and chief guests. Mr. Rinku, a chef from DBU, and Dr. Aman Sharma judged the dishes and asked the requisite questions from students about their dishes. In this event, around 80 students from grades VIII to XII participated in Carnival and prepared food delicacies, representing various



states of India such as Punjab, Haryana, Rajasthan, Maharashtra, and Tamil Nadu, and also other countries like China, Italy, and Korea. There were around 18 groups of students who participated in the carnival.

The first three positions were declared as winners, according to the rubrics set out by the school. Moments were given to the winners.

Participation certificates were distributed to all the students. The principal of the school, Mr. Rajneesh Madan extended gratitude to the judges and the chief guests.

The chairman of the school, Dr. Zora Singh, and General Secretary, Dr. Tajinder Kaur applauded the efforts of students and encouraged them to keep soaring high.

Cabinet gives nod to double ex-gratia grant of disabled soldiers



SHASHI PAL JAIN CHANDIGARH, NOV 6

The Cabinet also gave its consent to double ex-gratia grant of Disabled Soldiers both from Military and Para-Military force with disability from 76% to 100% to Rs 40 Lakh, disabled soldiers with 51% to 75% disability to Rs 20 Lakh and disabled soldiers with 25% to 50% disability to Rs 10 Lakhs. Soldiers with disability from 76% to 100% were earlier getting Rs 20 Lakh, disabled soldiers with 51% to 75% were getting Rs 10 Lakh and disabled soldiers with 25% to 50% disability were earlier getting Rs 5 Lakhs as fi-

nancial assistance. The move is aimed at ensuring the well being of ex-servicemen and their dependents to ensure that they lead a dignified life in the society. The Cabinet also gave green signal to amend "The East Punjab War Awards Act, 1948" for enhancing the financial assistance of 83 beneficiaries from Rs 10,000 per annum to Rs 20,000 per annum.

The Government of Punjab provides War Jagir as financial assistance to those parents whose only child or two to three children had served in the Indian Army during the Second World War, National Emergency 1962 and 1971 under "The East Punjab War

Okays to create state cadre of Patwaris and Kanungos

The Cabinet also gave nod to create a state cadre of Patwaris and Kanungos to streamline the functioning of the Revenue department. This will help in preparing, maintaining, updating and maintaining old revenue records thereby facilitating the people in a big way. This will also help in reducing the litigations arising due to discrepancies in land records.

Approves annual administrative reports of various departments

The Cabinet also gave its approval to the Annual Administrative Reports of the Police Department and Vigilance Bureau, Punjab for the year 2020 and 2022 respectively. The Annual Administrative Reports of the Social Security and Women & Child Development and Labour Department for the year 2022-23 and 2019-20 respectively were also cleared by the Cabinet.

Awards Act 1948", Presently 83 beneficiaries are availing benefits under this policy. Accordingly, Punjab has announced that financial assistance to those parents whose only child or two to three children had served in the In-

91 youth shortlisted in mega job fair

JALANDHAR: In its spree to provide jobs to the unemployed youth of the district, 91 youths were shortlisted for the jobs by various companies during an employment fair held at Basti Peer Daad. The camp was inaugurated by the Lok Sabha MP Sushil Kumar Rinku. During the job fair organized by the District Bureau of Employment and Enterprise, 125 youth applied for various jobs of which 91 were shortlisted by leading companies including Paytm Services Private Limited, LIC India, HDFC Bank, Phonepe, Axis Bank, Solar First Energy Private Limited, Key 2 Success and others.

Complimenting the successful youth, the Lok Sabha MP said that it was a historic day for them as they were going to start a new inning in their lives. He said that many more such job fairs would be organized in coming days to offer employment opportunities to the youth.



SC decision in Punjab govt-Governor case is victory of democracy: AAP

GAURAV GOEL CHANDIGARH, NOV 6

The Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) Punjab thanked the Supreme Court for its verdict in favour of the Mann Government in the Punjab Government-Governor dispute and said that this decision is a victory of the people of Punjab and democracy.

Addressing the media at the party headquarters in Chandigarh on Monday, AAP Punjab chief spokesperson Malvinder Singh Kang launched an attack on the BJP government at the Center and said that the Constitution of India gives the right to rule the state to the representatives elected by the people. But unfortunately, the Modi government is continuously trying to control the opposition ruled states through governors. Kang said that the Modi government has damaged the dignity of the governor's post by using it for political interference. This



entire incident has hurt the dignity of Punjab Governor's post too. Kang said that the Supreme Court questioned the Governor's lawyer that when the Punjab Government came to the Supreme Court, then the Governor passed the pending bills. He did not have any concrete answer to this. Kang said that according to the Constitution, the Governor is the constitutional head of the state, but it is clearly written in the Constitution that the Governor is bound to work as per the advice of the Council of Ministers.

ETO seeks VGF from Union government to encourage biomass power plants producing power from stubble

RAJIV JAIN CHANDIGARH, NOV 6

Punjab Power Minister Harbhajan Singh ETO has sought Viable Gap Funding (VGF) from the Union Government for Punjab so that the biomass power plants producing power using paddy straw can be encouraged in the state to check the practice of stubble burning by the farmers.

While participating in the Conference of Power and New and Renewable Energy Ministers in New Delhi today, the Punjab Power Minister the total cost of conventional power with the cost of Renewable Energy Certificates for Renewable Purchase Obligation (RPO) compliance is much lower than the



tariff of Biomass power plants which is around Rs 8/kwh.

He said that VGF needed to be provided by GOI to Punjab in order to make procurement of power from biomass power plants competitive for distribution companies (DISCOMs). ETO also sought permission to use coal from the Pachhwara coal mine by private thermal plants of Punjab. He said that this permission should be

granted as the entire cost of coal being received from the Pachhwara coal mine is being borne by the consumers of the state. Raising another issue related to the farmers of the state, Harbhajan Singh ETO said that the provision of 30 percent subsidy on the irrigational solar pump is for pumps of 7.5 Horse Power (HP) only, whereas, in Punjab pumps of 15 HP and above are being used for irrigation.

Vigilance Awareness Week concludes at BBMB, Nangal



KULWINDER BHATIA NANGAL, NOV 6

On behalf of Bhakra Beas Board Management (BBMB), Vigilance Awareness week was concluded here on Sunday. The week was conducted by the Bhakra Dam Administration under the guidelines of Engineer Manoj Tripathi.

It was organized from October 30 to November 5. During the week, competitions were conducted and in poster making, DAV School students Satujveer stood first,

Avneet stood second, Kanika stood third, similarly in the writing competition Swapnil stood first, Taranjeet stood second, Abhinav stood third. Shaurya came first in the essay competition, Aarush came second, Jiya came third, Ramanpreet came first in the speech competition among the students of BBMB Hospital Nursing School Nangal, Pooja came second, Rajji came third, Shyamal came first in the essay competition among the employees, Devdutt stood second, Deshraj stood third.

Health department issues challan to those violating Tobacco Control Act



GURDEEP SINGH GREWAL KHAMANO, NOV 6

The Health Department team including District Group Education and Information Officer Baljinder Singh Singh, Sub Group Education and Information Officer Jaswinder Kaur and Balwinder Singh under the guidance of Civil Surgeon Fatehgarh Sahib Dr. Davinderjit Kaur and under the leadership of District Health Officer Dr. Navjot Kaur initiated a campaign against selling and consumption of tobacco products. Those involved in sell-

ing tobacco products along with food items in Chandigarh Road and Bhairpur area the checking was done on Monday. During this checking, challans were issued to nine shopkeepers who violated the Tobacco Control Act (COTPA). Giving information in this regard, District Health Officer Dr. Navjot Kaur said that selling tobacco products along with food items was a crime, hence the health department teams issued challan on the spot to people violating COTPA. Those found violating COTPA would be fined.

Hackathon for igniting innovation, collaboration organized at GNDU



JANDIALA GURU (KULJIT SINGH): In a celebration of technical ingenuity and innovative spirit, Guru Nanak Dev University proudly hosted CODEWARS Season I, a two-day hackathon organized by the Department of Electronics Technology. Under the visionary leadership of Vice-chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Jaspal Singh Sandhu continued its legacy of fostering technical and professional skills among students.

The event, held on the Department of Electronics Technology of the vibrant campus of the University, witnessed an enthusiastic gathering of tech enthusiasts, innovators, and sponsors from various domains. CODEWARS Season I served as a platform for participants to showcase their technical prowess and creative solutions, addressing challenges across six diverse tracks: women empowerment, defense, IOT, healthcare, web3.0, and social causes.

Dr. Ravinder Kumar, Head of the Department, Electronics Technology, expressed heartfelt gratitude to the Honorable Vice Chancellor, Prof. (Dr.) Jaspal Singh Sandhu, for his unwavering support. He also extended his thanks to the dedicated team of faculty members.

MP advocates to speed up RDSS to strengthen electricity supply infrastructure with Rs. 273.68 cr

PULKIT YADAV JALANDHAR, NOV 6

Member Parliament from Jalandhar Sushil Kumar Rinku today said that the Punjab government would strengthen the electricity supply and distribution infrastructure of Jalandhar under the revamped distribution sector scheme (RDSS) with Rs. 273.68 crore.

Today chairing the meeting of District Electricity committee meeting here at DAC along with MLA Raman Arora, MLA Sheetal Angural (both members) and Deputy commissioner Vishesh sarangal as member secretary, Mr. Rinku said that the aim of this scheme was to ensure loss reduction and system strengthening and modernisation of electricity supply. Under that augmentation of sub stations, bifurcation of feeders, replacement of old conductors, additional HT lines and



IT works so that consumers would be able to avail uninterrupted electricity supply.

The deputy commissioner informed that field work under loss reduction to be started soon after completion of the tender process. He said that Jalandhar district has been divided into four divisions namely Model Town, East, Cantt and West and a detailed road map has already been prepared to complete this task as soon as possible.

He also said that all 4 parameters like metering, loss

reduction, system strengthening and modernisation will be completed in given time frame with total cost of 273 crore.

To further improve the supply of electricity in the district, bifurcation of 58 feeders will be done with Rs. 38.70 crore, feeders for cabling with 36.14 crore, new HT and LT lines with 31.14 crore, upgradation of power substation with Rs. 48.18 crore, upgradation of transmission lines of 72.39 KM with Rs. 25.25 crore.

Excellent performance by students of Shivalik Kids School in Inter School Youth Fair



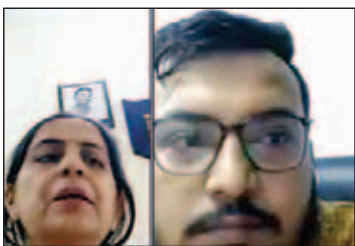
MANJEET SINGH DHALLA JAITU, NOV 6

Rendering services in social and religious field International organization Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle area Jaito organized an inter school youth fair on November 4th Saturday at Baba Namdev Bhavan Jaito. In this youth fair, 250 to 300 students from around 25 schools of the area participated in various competitions. In these competitions, the students of Shivalik Kids School Jaito won brilliantly. In which the student Aditi won the first place in the junior group paint-

ing competition and Harleen Kaur won the special place in the junior category poetry competition. Also the moral education exam From Paper-1, School Student Vaibhav Jindal, Harleen Kaur and Rajveer Singh Students Khushmeet Kaur and Harmandeep, who appeared in the merit list from Paper-2, were also honored. On the occasion of this wonderful victory, the principal of the school Sukhwinder Kaur congratulated the parents, students and all the staff and said that such competitions provide an opportunity for children to hone their talents.

DBU organises special lecture on 'Good Manufacturing Practice Day'

FATEHGARH SAHIB (AJAY MALHOTRA): National Current Good Manufacturing Practice Day celebration, Placebo Club, School of Pharmacy, Desh Bhagat University, Mandi Gobindgarh organized an online guest lecture. On the occasion Principal, of the School of Pharmacy Dr. Puja Gulati, welcomed guest speaker Mr. Subh Naman, Assistant Professor, ICFAI University, Himachal Pradesh. Mr. Subh Naman focused on the importance of current Good Manufacturing Practices, Quality by design, risk management and assessment, critical process parameters, critical quality attributes critical quality management. He also gave the knowledge about mini tab and optimization techniques. There was an interactive question-answer session between the speaker and students at the end of the talk. Dr. Puja Gulati shared that all the faculty members and students of the School of Pharmacy learned a lot from this excellent lecture. It was such a wonderful and knowledgeable lecture. Moreover, students were made aware of the current Good Manufacturing Practice and its importance in the Pharmaceutical Industry. At the end, Dr. Gulati presented the vote of thanks.



SUMER GARG SANGRUR, NOV 6

Contrary to the bad trend of burning stubble after paddy harvesting, Gagandeep Singh, a farmer of Gujran village near Dirba is saving the environment and strengthening his economy by making straw bales. He said that till now he has collected straw from more than 300 acres and sold his bales to different companies. He further said that now he is making bales from the fields of his village and sending them to a factory in Sunam, which has agreed to buy more than 1000 tonnes of straw from him.

The farmer said that the Punjab government led by Chief Minister, Bhagwant Singh Mann has provided subsidy on bales to the farmers, which proves to be very beneficial for them. He said that by collecting straw with the baler, not only he is getting extra income, but the laborers associated with him are also getting good income.



He also appealed to the other farmers that instead of burning the stubble, they should contact their nearby bales maker, who would collect the stubble from their fields for free. SDM, Dirba, Rajesh Sharma Ali g with DSP Prithvi Singh Chahal, on the instructions of Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur, Jatindra Jor-

wal, by reaching in the fields of farmer Gagandeep Singh appreciate his efforts. SDM said that the initiative of progressive farmer Gagandeep Singh is highly commendable and other farmers should also take guidance from him to protect the environment from pollution and increase their means of earning. He said that about Rs. 7.5 lakh subsidy is given by the Punjab government on the bales and the maximum number of farmers should take advantage of it.

SDM, DSP visit fields of eco friendly farmer

Dy CM Mukesh
Agnihotri in Una for 3
days from today

KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA: Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri will be on a three-day visit to Una district. Giving information in this regard, the government spokesperson said that Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri will hold a meeting with officials of Jal Shakti Department and Public Works Department in Una on Tuesday, October 7. Apart from this, he will lay the foundation stone and inaugurate various developmental works on October 8, which will include water supply scheme in Dulaihar at 9 am, improvement work of Polian Beet water supply scheme at 9.30 am, water supply scheme for areas in Amrali at 10 am. Improvement work of Butt Kalan Water Supply Scheme at Butt Kalan at 10.30 am, Improvement work and distribution system at Kante at 12.30 pm, Distribution system of Tubal No. 72 at Haroli at 1 pm. Works of, 1.30 pm Haroli Bus Stand, 1.50 pm Sources of tube well, rising main and distribution system near Cooperative Society in Haroli, 3 pm Baliwal Water Supply Scheme, 3.30 pm in Sansawal Improvement work of distribution system, 4.30 pm water supply scheme for Bhulgarh area of Bhadsali, 5 pm construction work of Shitala Mata Temple in Ispur, 5.30 pm flood protection work in Athwain Khad, sub-tributary of Pandoga Khad in Pandoga, 6 pm At 6.30 pm, he will lay the foundation stone for the improvement works of source, rising main and distribution system of tube well no. 32 in Khad and at 6.30 pm in Panjajwar, he will lay the foundation stone for the improvement work of source, rising main and distribution system.

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Excise department seizes gold
jewellery worth Rs. 2.17 cr

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, NOV 6

Commissioner State Taxes and Excise, Dr. Yunus informed here today that on the basis of secret information, the teams of District Shimla and Solan set up checkpoints at different places and seized gold jewellery which was being taken without valid documents. Team Shimla seized Rs. 1.33 crore and Team Solan seized jewellery worth Rs. 84 lakh. Taking action under the Goods and Services Tax Act (GST Act, 2017) the department has collected a fine of Rs. 13 lakh. The Excise Department, while taking action under the Excise Act against illegal liquor in various districts of the state, destroyed 200 liters of liquor



and seized 23 boxes of English and country liquor, he added. Dr. Yunus said that while taking action at different places in Mandi district, the department teams seized 200 liters of Lahan and destroyed it under the Excise Act. The team of Una

Company denies blockade of road
ANWAR HUSSAIN
NALAGARH: Officials of Hygiene Life Sciences, located near village Bela Mandir under Nalagarh tehsil, told conference that through some newspapers they came to know that the people of village Bela Mandir had filed a complaint against their company. In which it is written that his path is being blocked by company management, he said that no way has been blocked by the company and the way the company was running smoothly earlier, it is still running. The villagers are also going on the same route as they were going. He said that this is a Central Government project and here NOC and all other documents are approved. This land has been authorized by the government for the development of the area. This project will prove beneficial for the local people. The opening of this company will provide employment opportunities to the youth here. Confirming the matter, SDM Nalagarh Divyanshu Singal said that a case has come to him for which he has prepared a team and sent it to the spot. A decision will be taken on this matter after the team presents its report.

Govt to promote tourism and water
sports in Nadaun: Mukesh Agnihotri

AGENCY
NADAUN, NOV 6

HP Deputy Chief Minister, Mukesh Agnihotri on Sunday evening said the Himachal Pradesh government has decided to promote tourism activities in Nadaun area of hamirpur and a sum of three hundred crore rupees will be spent in the town and its adjoining areas for promoting and water sports facilities. Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri concluded the championship at Ramlila Maidan here and distributed prizes to the winning teams.

Mukesh Agnihotri said this championship will prove to be a milestone in the direction of promoting adventure sports and tourism in Nadaun and will create a distinct identity for Nadaun on the tourism map.

He said this competition, organised as per the visionary thinking and instructions of



Chief Minister Thakur Sukhwinder Singh Sukhu, will give new wings to the tourism industry in Nadaun. He said a plan of about Rs 42 crore for hotel construction, Rs 65 crore for wellness centre, Rs 3.50 crore for heliport and Rs 13 crore for way-side amenities had been made for this historic town of great Katoch rulers of Kangra hills. He said schemes worth about Rs 300 crore have also been sanctioned through the Jal Shakti Department for the Chief Minister's home area.

Two students of GSSS, Uhal selected
in national competition of Judo



RAJNEESH SHARMA
HAMIRPUR: Two students of Government Senior Secondary School, Uhal were selected in Under-14 Judo for the National School Games. On this achievement, there was an atmosphere of joy in the school. The Principal of the school said that five players of the School-- Priya, Niharika, Akshay, Kushal and Lakshya Thakur had recently participated in the under-14 men's and women's state level games in Bilaspur. With better performance, Priya and Kushal won gold medal and Niharika won bronze medal. Out of which Priya and Kushal have been selected for the National School Games, which will be organized in Jammu from November 15-19. He said that this has been possible only due to the tireless hard work and efforts of Judo coach Sushil Chauhan and the students.

Diwali is festival of enthusiasm,
celebrate it in unison: Governor

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA: Governor Shiv Pratap Shukla, today distributed sweets to all the students of the Institute for Children with Special Ability (Boys) Dhalli, Shimla and wished them a happy Diwali. Lady Governor Janaki Shukla was also present on the occasion. The Governor said that Diwali is a festival of enthusiasm that should be celebrated in unison. It is one of the most revered and a pious festival deeply entrenched in our culture. Known as the festival of lights, Diwali is commemorated as the victory of lights over darkness, which in literal sense, means that no matter how powerful an evil force, it is fated to meet with its end finally. He said that on the strength of self-confidence and will power, a human being can overcome physical challenges and adverse circumstances and achieve the desired destination. In fact, if a physically normal person has laziness, carelessness and bad habits, then he is a burden on his parents and society, he said. Shukla praised the excellent stage conduction by the students of the school and said that all these students were talented and there was a need to hone their abilities. He said that he would raise the matter with the state government to solve the problems of students and teachers of the institute. Headmaster, Dharampal Rana welcomed the Governor and detailed the activities of the school. Volunteers of the Red Cross Society, teachers and trainers of the institute were also present on the occasion amongst others.



Office of Tehsil Welfare
officer turns a showpiece

SHANTI GAUTAM
BADDI: The office of Tehsil Welfare Officer Baddi has become a show piece. It is running empty for the last one and a half years due to not having a single employee and is open only two days a week. Three posts are sanctioned in the office, which include Tehsil Welfare Officer, Junior Clerk and Peon, all three posts are lying vacant for one and a half years. The department has handed over the additional work of Tehsil Welfare Officer Baddi office to the Tehsil Welfare Officer of Nalagarh, who already has the work of 23 Panchayats and one Municipal Council. Office in Baddi opens only two days a week and remains closed for four days due to which the disabled, women and beneficiaries of other schemes have to face a lot of problems and have to go to Nalagarh office, 40 to 50 kilometers away, to get their work done. There are 23 Panchayats and one Municipal Council under Baddi Tehsil Welfare Officer Office. The residents of the area have demanded from the Chief Minister and top officials of the state that Tehsil Welfare Officer and other staff should be appointed and sent to Baddi soon so that people do not have to face problems.



Nerna soldier killed due to hand
grenade explosion in Chhattisgarh

SANJAY AGGARWAL
DHARAMSHALA: Chhattisgarh The soldier was killed when a hand grenade kept in a pouch burst, a resident of Fatehpur Raja Ka Talab (Nerna), Kangra Tehsil. There has been a wave of mourning in the area due to the killing of the BSF jawan. Let us inform that a team of 70th battalion of BSF deployed at Katekalyan police station for election duty was about to start the search operation. The patrol team was going out of the police station premises. Meanwhile, a hand grenade was present in the packet with Head Constable Balbir Chand which suddenly exploded. A Border Security Force (BSF) soldier deployed on election duty in Chhattisgarh's Dantewada district on Sunday died due to the accidental explosion of a grenade kept with him. The soldier who was seriously injured in the explosion was admitted to the hospital for treatment. Where the doctors declared him dead during treatment. Post-mortem of the soldier's body has been done. Actually, in view of the assembly elections in Chhattisgarh, the first phase of voting is taking place in 20 districts on 7th November. Voting is to be held in Dantewada district also in the first phase. Additional paramilitary forces have been deployed in Dantewada assembly constituency, one of the 12 constituencies in Naxal-hit Bastar division. Jawan Balbir Chand was seriously injured in this incident. He was immediately taken to Dantewada District Hospital, where doctors declared Balbir dead.



Samples taken from 362
prisoners for TB disease

SANJAY AGGARWAL
DHARAMSHALA, NOV 6

An awareness camp on TB free program was organized in District and Free Jail Dharamshala, in which prisoners were given information about TB prevention and its treatment. The health of 362 prisoners in the jail was examined and their samples were also taken to detect TV disease. In the program, prisoners were given information about prevention of TB disease and how this disease spreads. He told that the prisoners were also given information about how they can avoid this disease even while being in jail. During this, the prisoners were made aware about TB disease in the form of films and speeches. CMO Sushil Sharma said that a program regarding Prison



Dharamshala TB was started through Rotary Club, in which an attempt was made to find out how many prisoners have symptoms of TB disease. He said that X-rays of prisoners were taken in this. He said that health checkup of prisoners is not done for a long time, hence this program was started. He said that this program was organized through RAGE administration and Rotary Club. He said that this disease has been considered a stigma which is not right. He said that if TB is treated

on time, the patient can be completely cured. He said that a person suffering from TB disease should take special precautions while living with his family. Jail Superintendent Dharamshala Vikas Bhatnagar said that this is a commendable step by the Rotary Club, in which the health of the patients is being checked. He said that due to security reasons the health of the prisoners cannot be checked but today the hospital itself has come to the jail which is a good initiative. He said that it is hoped that such programs will continue in future. He said that the jail administration tries to ensure that the sick prisoner gets timely treatment, but there are many reasons for taking the prisoner out of the jail, due to which there are some problems.

Scouts and Guides is voluntary, non-political,
educational movement: Rajneesh Rangra

RAJNEESH SHARMA
HAMIRPUR, NOV 6

Scouting strengthens the personlity development of children, playing its unique role in the development of the country.The real wealth of any nation is not material things but its citizens. If the spirit of sacrifice is inculcated among the citizens, then the country will develop, said Rajneesh Rangra, District Commissioner (Scout) on Flag Day. He said that the movement of Scouts and Guides, imbued with this patriotism, emphasizes on patriotism among children as well as their social and spiritual development. Following the rules of Scout-Guide always teaches discipline and love for nature. Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi also wanted that every house in India should have a scout and guide compulsorily so that the new generation gets



the education of good values from childhood. Scouting teaches students to move forward in life by considering service and charity as the ultimate religion. It not only leads to overall development of the student but also strengthens the nation and society.Scouts and Guides is a voluntary, non-political, educational movement, which provides an opportunity to every young man and woman to serve humanity without any distinction of color, origin or caste. In this, high level

morality and competence is developed from children to adults. The father of the Scouting movement was Robert Stephens Smith Baden Powell who started it in 1907 AD. Scouting in India came in 1909 AD due to the efforts of Madan Mohan Malviya, Annie Besant, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, but in India it was run under different names like Balchar Seva Samiti, Boys Scouts Association, Hindustan Scouts Association, Girl Guide in India.

State govt is making efforts for overall development
of agriculture sector: Chandra Kumar



DAULAT CHAUHAN

JAWALI: State Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Minister Prof. Chandra Kumar said that the state government is making efforts for the overall development of the agriculture sector, for which ambitious schemes like 'Him Unnati' and 'Him Ganga' are being run. He was addressing the public meeting today after inaugurating two tube wells built at a cost of Rs 1.40 crore at Bharmad and Bhagwal under Jawali assembly constituency. He said that with installation of these tube wells, about 33 hectares of land of 76 farmers of this area will be provided irrigation facility. He said that a network of tube wells is being laid through the Jal Shakti Department and JICA to provide water to every farm in the assembly constituency. He informed that about 34 tube wells are being installed in Jwali assembly constituency by the Jal Shakti Department. He informed that under "JICA" Crop Diversification Promotion Scheme, 14 irrigation projects will be operated in Jawali assembly constituency.

Road Safety Traffic
Awareness organized



JOGINDER DEV ARYA
BANGANA: Under the Road Safety Awareness Programme, a one-day program on Road Safety Traffic Awareness was organized by the Road Safety Club, Atal Bihari Vajpayee Government College, Bangana. The program was presided over by Professor Sikandar Negi, Nodal Officer of Road Safety Club. The chief guest of the function was Professor Rekha Sharma, Vice Principal of the college. On the occasion of this one day program, a group discussion competition was organized. The topic of group discussion was Road Safety Methods and Challenges. Five teams participated in this group discussion competition and each team had four members. Vishal Soni's team (A Team) comprising of Gaurav Nikhil and Vasu Sharma secured the first position in this Group Discussion Competition. The second position was won by Sapna's team (E-Team), which consisted of Sapna, Pariksha, Ritika and Tamanna. The role of the jury was played by Professor Krishna Chand and Dr. Kuldeep Singh. Chief guest honored winners with prizes.

Student Association of 2023-24
organized at Govt Arya Mahavidyalaya

SANJEEV MAHAJAN
NOORPUR, NOV 6

The oath of Central Student Council 2023-24 was organized today at Government Arya College, Noorpur. College Principal Dr. Vishwajit Singh played role of chief guest. Dr. Satish Thakur, Associate Professor of Music Department of Government College, Shahpur and Dr. Sanjay Sharma of Botany Department of Government College, Dharamshala played the role as special guests. Senior associate professor of the college, Prof Sanjay Kumar Jasrotia welcomed the chief guest and distinguished guests. The program started by lighting the island and worshipping Goddess



Saraswati. Dr. Vishwajit Singh administered the oath to Central Executive. Oath was administered to Arundhati Sharma for post of President, Ayushi for post of Vice President, Arpita for the post of Secretary and Noorjahan Begum for the post of Co-Secretary. Principal Vishwajit Singh said that Central Students Union Executive plays an important role in raising the issues of the students in the

right way. He further said that discipline is very important in student life. After that he told students of college that college administration is committed to beautification of college and soon benches will be installed for children to sit and statue of Saraswati Mata will also be installed. Dr. Satish Thakur and Dr. Sanjay Sharma also administered oath to the executive members of the Central Students Union.

Himachal Pradesh Technical
Education Board goes fully online

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, NOV 6

The state government is moving towards realizing former Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi's vision of 'Digital India'. As per the directions of the Government, maximum use of information technology is being ensured in all the departments. Taking forward this initiative of the state government, Himachal Pradesh Board of Technical Education has made its various services like Admission, registration and counseling process online. Not only it has proved beneficial to the students of polytechnic institutes, pharmacy and Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) located in the state but they can now fill their examination and revaluation forms, fee etc online through web-based module. The authorities can also upload the practical and other session awards to the students of government and private polytechnic institutes. Even the migration certificate has also been made online by the board. The process of issuing affiliation to all government and private polytechnic

institutions has also been made online by the Board. Due to the initiative of Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu the government is committed to bringing qualitative changes in technical education as well as starting the employment oriented courses. Many value-added courses are being started from the year 2023-24. These include courses like Robotics, Block-Chain Technology, Cyber Security, Cloud Computing, Data Analytics, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning. Apart from this, courses for Electric Vehicle Mechanic, Maintenance Mechanic, Solar Technician, Drone Technician, Mechatronics etc. are being started in 13 industrial training institutes of the state. The need of the hour is to provide education and training based on cutting-edge technology to equip the youth to face the global challenges of digital world as believes Chief Minister, Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu. The state government is taking concrete and meaningful steps in this direction and is moving forward contributing and harnessing the energy of the youth in the right direction for the development of the state.

Medal winning students of Sant Singh Sukha Singh School honored



AMRIK SINGH AMRITSAR: A 'Samaan' ceremony was organized at Sant Singh Shukha Singh School to honor students who won prizes. For this purpose, an inter-school technical and cultural program was organized by Amritsar Group of Colleges. The students of Sant Singh Sukha Singh were honored who won prizes by participating in different programs. The students brought glory to themselves and their school by showcasing their talent in programs like writing, puzzles, poetry, Gidda Bhangra and debate. School Director Jagdish Singh and Principal Dr Gururatan Singh congratulated these children and honored them. Avinash Kaur, Kamalpreet Kaur, Simranjeet Singh, Gursimran Kaur were present on this occasion.

CII Chandigarh Fair 2023 wraps up on high note, saw 85000+ visitors at 4-days event



AVTAR SINGH BHANWARA CHANDIGARH: The CII Chandigarh Fair 2023, spanning four exciting days, drew to a magnificent close, leaving a trail of vibrant memories and fulfilled shopping lists. This 26th edition of the Fair witnessed an enthusiastic response from Tricity residents who flocked to explore an impressive array of Diwali collections and fulfilled shopping lists. This annual extravaganza attracted more than 85000 visitors (87358 as per the last tally) who enjoyed quality time with family and friends, embracing the festive spirit with joy and enthusiasm. Visitors took full advantage of the attractive discounts and special deals offered by numerous stall owners. Diwali gift items, festive decorations, handloom, accessories, home décor, wall hangings, jewellery, clothing, and delectable food items were among the highlights of this year's Fair. One delighted resident, Ramandeep Kaur, from Mohali, expressed her admiration for the captivating decor items on display this year, echoing the sentiments of many attendees who found the Fair to be a treasure trove of festive offerings.

Young Sarpanch Sahungra honoured



JATINDERPAL SINGH KALER NAWANSHAHR: A workshop was organized in Sarpanch Samvad by Quality Council of India in the land of Shri Amritsar Sahab. In the function Himashu Patel was the chief guest who arrived from Gujarat. In this program, young Sarpanch Rajbalwinder Singh, Surinder Pal Singh Panchayat took attendance and told about the work done in the village in the last four years with the help of NRI heroes and the city. He also told about the digital mobile app and it was the first gram panchayat in India which has done good work in the field of IT. Being happy with their projects, Sarpanch Panddeep Singh Chhina and Himashu Patel were honored with certificates from Gujarat for doing better and hoped more good work in future also.

Saint Soldier International School wins Inter School Dance Competition



CHANDIGARH: The students of Saint Soldier International School Sector 28 B Chandigarh brought laurels to the school by getting first position and running trophy in the 25th K. J. Khosla Memorial Inter School Dance Competition 'Abhiyakti - An Expression of Indian Culture' held at Bhavan Vidyalaya Chandigarh. The criteria of judgement were theme, music, choreography, originality, costume, presentation overall dexterity and impact. The school dance team of Loveleen, Sarah (Class IV), Disha, Joya, Labhika and Vanshika (Class V) lifted the trophy with their vibrant Gondhal Dance performance, a vital aspect of traditional folk art from Maharashtra. Principal Vijaya Sidhu appreciated the efforts of the students and Dance teacher Kavita Kumari.

DC asks National Highway Authority officials to speed up work

SHASHI PAL JAIN
SAS NAGAR, NOV 6

Deputy Commissioner Aashika Jain said that the IT City-Kurali National Highway 205-A would soon be the alternative route to decongest the traffic chaos at Airport Road Mohali. Reviewing the progress related to various National Highway projects underway in the Sahibzada Ajit Singh Nagar District, in a meeting with Project Director of National Highway Authority of India, Pardeep Attari, ADC (G) Viraj S Tidke, SDM Derabassi Himashu Gupta, Assistant Commissioner (UT) Davy Goyal and District Revenue Officer Amandeep Chawla, the Deputy Commissioner asked the NHAI and district officials to clear all the bottlenecks in the smooth Construction/Completion of the projects. The Project Director apprised the Deputy Commissioner that



30 percent onground work of the IT City to Kurali NH 205-A has been completed and they hope to complete the project in the stipulated time to provide relief to the people from the traffic snarls at Airport road shortly. On raising issue of the pending possession of a stretch of one kilometer, the Deputy Commissioner directed the DRO to complete all the formalities related to possession soon. Dis-

cussing the progress of Sirhind-Mohali NH-205-AG, she said that out of the total 151.86 crore acquisition amount, disbursement of Rs 128.46 crore has already been done while awards of Bhago Majra nd Raipur Kalan would be announced soon. Taking stock of Amabala Kalamb, the Deputy Commissioner Jain said that compensation for Untala, Khelan, Malan and Rajapur has been approved

Punjab govt to help youth services clubs: Komal Mittal

HOSHARPUR (DALJEET AJNOHA): Deputy Commissioner Komal Mittal said that the Punjab Government is to provide assistance to youth clubs affiliated with the Youth Services Department for promotion. She said that the active youth clubs related to the department in the district willing for help should submit their progress report of three years to the office of Assistant Director Youth Services Department, Hoshiarpur (Indoor Stadium, Civil Lines) by 16th November. She said that the district level committee formed by the department will evaluate the work of these clubs and take further action. She said that for more information, Assistant Director Youth Services Department, Hoshiarpur Preet Kohli can also be contacted on mobile number 98158-81016.



Newly elected members of Punjab police personnel cooperative house building society ltd Ansal-114 Mohali takes charge



SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR, NOV 6

As per information received from Pal Singh Rattu, newly elected Vice-President of the Punjab Police Personnel Cooperative House Building Society Ltd Ansal Sector-114 Mohali, the newly election officer bearers of the society have taken charge of their offices. He said that in accordance with Election Program approved by the Deputy Registrar Cooperative Societies SAS Nagar (Mohali), election of Managing Committee of the Society was held recently. Today a meeting of the newly members of Managing Committee of the Society has held under the president ship of Smt. Shashi Prabha Diwedi IPS Director General of Police Punjab Member Committee

and newly elected President. He said that unanimously following Members of Managing Committee were elected as office bearers Shashi Prabha Diwedi IPS President, Pal Singh Rattu Vice-President, Sh. MF Farooqi IPS General Secretary SK Singh Treasurer RN Dhoke IPS Member Committee PK Sinha IPS Member Committee S.Gurcharan Singh Member Committee Raman Kumar Dhawan Member Committee This newly elected Committee has assured all the members of the Society that the steps will be taken by the Managing Committee for their welfare in all aspects related to the Society. S.Kanwarpuneet Singh Sangha Inspector Cooperative Societies Urban-04 was present as Government Nominee at the time of election of office bearers.

Freshers Party “Maan Vatna Da” organised at Bharat Group of Colleges



SARDULGARH (KULWINDER KARWAL): Bharat Group of Colleges organized a Freshers Party to welcome the junior students on the occasion of commencement of session 2023-24 by senior students. This party was organized under the leadership of Principal Dr. Geetesh Goga. On this occasion, college CEO Rajesh Kumar Garg and Admission Director Mohit Jain participated as chief guests. The program was started by worshipping Goddess Saraswati. Students presented cultural programs in this program. While Rap Walk added charm to the event, students also enjoyed Bhangra, Western Dance, Gidda, Sangeet, Haryanvi Dance, Modeling etc. In the second phase of the program, famous Punjabi singer "Fateh Meet Gill" graced the stage with his songs. College Director Principal Dr. Geetesh Goga told the students that today one has to struggle a lot in the journey of competition. Therefore, students should be aware of their career. During this program Harmanjot Kaur, a student of BCA semester 1, won the title of Miss Fresher.

Sherry Kalsi starts free transport facility for students at Govt Girls Senior Secondary School of Eminence Batala

VERMA
BATALA, NOV 6

Batala MLA Amansher Singh Sherry Kalsi started free transport facility for students at Government Girls Senior Secondary School of Eminence Batala, with which the children coming from distant villages would have been provided with free transport facility to come to school. On this occasion Mrs. Mamata Sethi District Education Officer (S/E) Gurdaspur and Principal Mrs. Balwinder Kaur were also present.

Speaking, MLA Sherry Kalsi said that this facility has been provided by the Punjab government under the School of Eminence scheme. Due to which free transport facility has been provided for the students of Government Government Girls Senior Secondary School of Eminence Batala today. He said that with this, chil-



dren will not face any difficulty in coming to school. He further said that Punjab government headed by Bhagwant Singh Maan, Chief Minister Punjab and Education Minister Punjab Harjot Singh Bains are making special efforts to uplift the education sector in the state. He said that Punjab will be made a leading state in terms of education, for which the government is striving. On this occasion, Principal Mrs. Balwinder Kaur State Awardee said that there are total 1546 students in the school and out of them 113 students are SOE. She said that the children com-

ing from distant villages will get a lot of benefit in the free bus service. This bus provided transport facilities for children from Jalandhar Road, Gurdaspur Road and Amritsar Road for a minimum distance of 3 km and a maximum distance of 30 km. On this occasion, Chairman Kamaljit Kaur, BPEO Jaswinder Singh, Anil Sharma Chairperson Block Transport Committee, Harpreet Singh Lecturer-cum Nodal, School of Aminece Batala Navdeep Singh, Purewal ji, Gurmeet Singh, Harikishan, Campus Manager Ranbirpal Singh, Anil, Rajni etc.

Walkathon by city docs on Cancer Awareness Day at Sukhna Lake draws huge crowd



CHANDIGARH (AVTAR SINGH BHANWARA): National Cancer Awareness Day is observed on Nov 7 to raise awareness on cancer in a positive and inspiring way. Aiming at eliminating the inequities in cancer care ,city Docs Dr. Rajandeep Singh Sethi cancer surgeon, Dr Navjot kaur cancer pathologist along with Dr. Harshmeet Kaur Phd, Psychologist and Dietician Lawleen joined hands for the cancer awareness walk at sukhna lake on sunday. Sunday was dedicated to Cancer awareness, Screening and Prevention. Role of psychological support in cancer treatment and Role of diet and lifestyle in oncology. Crowds were sensitised on the importance of regular screening through Cancer knowledge challenge quiz and Mindfulness relaxation sessions were organised. Dr Rajandeep Singh Sethi and Dr Navjot Kaur said the gathering about the latest treatment methods and that 40% of cancer-related deaths were preventable as they were linked to modifiable risks like smoking, alcohol abuse and physical inactivity.

SDM makes farmers aware of stubble management



SUMER GARG
BHAWANIGARH, NOV 6

Sub divisional magistrate, Bhawanigarh, Vineet Kumar, under the directions of Deputy Commissioner(DC), Sangrur, Jitendra Jorwal; is continuously visiting the villages of Bhawanigarh sub division for the last several days, villages including, Rampura, Jhanedi and Phagguwala to educate the farmers about stubble management

SDM, praised, farmer Pargat Singh, who planted wheat with surface seeder in 2.5 acres. He said that the purpose of creating awareness about stubble management by the Punjab government is to create an environment pollution free society in which everyone's cooperation is essential. Like this, SDM, praised Khushveer Singh, a progressive farmer of Rampura, who made straw bales in 15 villages and told that the farmers in the villages are being appealed not to burn straw and the officials of the agriculture and Cooperation department were present with them.

On the occasion farmers were told about the negative effects of burning on the fertility of the earth.

MRSPTU's Pharmacy faculty member, Dr. Varinder Singh, makes mark at World Congress of Neurology 2023 in Canada

ANIL VERMA
BATHINDA, NOV 6

Dr. Varinder Singh, Assistant Professor of the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences and Technology at Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University (MRSPTU), Bathinda, represented the institution on a global stage by attending and presenting a pioneering research paper at the prestigious XXVI World Congress of Neurology 2023. The conference was held in Montreal, Canada last week.

Speaking about his experience at the conference, Dr. Varinder Singh stated, "The XXVI World Congress of Neurology was an invaluable opportunity to collaborate with leading experts in the field and share our research findings. I have learned a great deal from this conference, which will undoubtedly

contribute to our ongoing research and future projects." He has received full International Travel Support of the Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB), Government of India, New Delhi. This support reflects the commitment of the Indian government to advancing scientific research and the international recognition of Dr. Singh's exceptional work.

The entire Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University community, extended their warmest congratulations to Dr. Varinder Singh for his outstanding achievement. They commended the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences and Technology for reaching such remarkable milestones and contributing to the global scientific community. The Department's Head, Prof. Amit Bhatia and Dean, Re-

search & Development, Prof. Ashish Baldi also celebrated this significant moment, acknowledging the international acclaim Dr. Singh has brought to the university.

In addition to his recent success, Dr. Singh has maintained a stellar academic record throughout his career. He has published more than 40 papers in journals of international repute, authored five books and book chapters, and secured one patent.

Furthermore, Dr. Singh has a history of actively participating in international conferences in the United States and Canada, reaffirming his commitment to advancing the field of neurology and drug discovery.

Dr. Varinder Singh and his team remain committed to pushing the boundaries of knowledge in the field of drug discovery.

Inter school declamation competition unveils eloquent talents at Vasant Valley Public School



DHURI (VIKAS VERMA): The stage was set, and the aura brimming with anticipation as Vasant Valley Public School, Sangrur proudly hosted the prestigious Inter School Declamation Competition on 6 November, 2023 under the organization of Falcons Sahodaya Schools Association, Sangrur. It was an event that witnessed the coming together of eloquent talents from various schools, who left an indelible mark with their oratorical skills and insightful speeches.

The competition commenced with a grand inauguration, graced by the presence of esteemed guests, including the President of Sahodaya Schools, Sangrur-Capt. Rohit Trivedi and Secretary of the Sahodaya Schools, Mr. Sunil Kadam and the Director Ma'am of the School- Mrs. Deepika Gupta who lit the ceremonial lamp. Their presence added a sense of honor and gravitas to the event.

The panel of judges for the event consisted of distinguished experts in the field of literature and public speaking.

Lok Seva Society conducts free eye check-up camp

SUKH NAHAR
JAGRAON, NOV 6

Lok Seva Society Jagraon conducted a free medical checkup camp with the support of Lok Seva Society at Gurudwara Nanakpura Mori Jagraon. Society Chairman Gulshan Arora, president Kanwal Kakkar, patron Rajinder Jain, secretary Kulbhushan Gupta and cashier Sunil Bajaj organized the program. Social activist Rajinderpal Singh and his family performed inaugural ceremony.

Gurudwara Guru Nanak Mori Gate president principal Charanjeet Singh Bhandari said that late Balwinderpal Singh Makkar was highly active in the field of social welfare and served Gurudwara Sahib for 25 years. Chairman Gulshan Arora stated that with the support of CMC hospital and Makkar family



free medical camp was conducted by the association. "Nearly 342 patients were examined in the camp for various health issues and were given free medicines while 125 patients were tested for diabetes. Dr. Binini tested 82 patients, skin specialist Dr. Leeh examined 78 patients, Dr. Judh examined 98 patients while Dr. Sandeep examined 84 patients," he stated. He also elaborated on social welfare

activities conducted by the association and every last Sunday association conducts free eye checkup and operation camp at LR DAV college Jagraon.

He mentioned that the association shall continue organising more such programs for welfare of underprivileged sections of society in future as well. At this occasion, various dignitaries and association members were present.

Students inspired to develop innovations



MOHALI (LK BANSAL): Rayat Bahra University joined hands with the organization Innovation Mission, Punjab, to organize a one-day event 'INNOSPIRE- Innovate Start Excel' to inspire and motivate aspiring entrepreneurs.

The event was aimed to encourage students, faculty, and staff to come up with innovative business ideas and pursue entrepreneurship. At the onset the stage was set for the event by Riapreet Kour, Parsa and Aradhana Bhatti. Maj Harpreet Singh, Deputy Director of the Employment Generation, Skill Development and Training Office in Punjab, emphasized the importance of adapting to a changing world. He discussed the necessary requirements and provided guidance on how to start a successful business. He emphasized the need to be fearless and be prepared to face challenges in order to make a mark on the world. Singh also stressed the value of time, reminding attendees that opportunities are limitless. Following Singh's talk, Adhiraj Ahluwalia from Innovation Mission, Punjab, elaborated on the concept of entrepreneurship, emphasizing the importance of relevance, offering solutions, and identifying marketability.

New Nabha Jail Inmates
Showcase Talents in Baking
and Craftsmanship



FATEHGARH SAHIB: In a heartwarming display of skill and creativity, the female inmates of new Nabha Jail have taken a step towards rehabilitation and reintegration into society. Through their collective efforts under the banner of "SahaJ," (an acronym for Sahayta for Jail inmates.) they have showcased their newfound talents, igniting a ray of hope for all those involved. The event, inaugurated by Shri Arun Gupta, the District and Sessions Judge Fatehgarh Sahib witnessed a remarkable transformation as the female inmates unveiled their baking skills, producing a delectable array of sooji cakes and cupcakes. Notably, all these baked goodies were completely eggless, demonstrating their commitment to catering to various dietary preferences. Furthermore, the inmates demonstrated their creativity by sewing beautiful fulkaris (traditional Punjabi embroidery) on fashionable cloth bags. These exquisite fulkaris received an overwhelmingly positive response from the attendees, leading to multiple orders from those impressed by the craftswomen's talent. Secretary District Legal Services Authority, Fatehgarh Sahib, Mrs Manpreet Kaur informed that the term "SahaJ" symbolises their journey of rehabilitation, reflecting the values of patience and perseverance. It encapsulates the essence of 'tehrav,' which means finding stability and balance in life. In addition to the inmates' impressive work, students from the District Special Resource Centre in Sirhind City also contributed to the event's charm. They displayed handcrafted candles and diyas, perfect for the upcoming festival of Diwali, adding a touch of festivity to the occasion. The event not only showcased the remarkable skills of the inmates but also provided an opportunity for them to feel a sense of accomplishment and hope for a better future. "SahaJ" embodies the spirit of transformation, emphasizing the potential for positive change, even in the most challenging circumstances.

67th district primary football
games held at Baba Gandha
Singh Public School Barnala



KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA: 67th District Primary Games (Football) was conducted at Baba Gandha Singh Public School Barnala. Teams from all three blocks of the district participated in these games. On this occasion, School Principal Dr. Sandeep Kumar Lathi encouraged all the players and said that sports are very important for human life. He said that a healthy society can be created only by ensuring the participation of students in sports along with teacher education, while encouraging the players, he said that the players should participate in sports by following the rules and spirit of sportsmanship. Mall Singh Sehna Block Sports Officer, Avtar Singh Jangiana, Ramandeep Singh DPE, Sahjara, Talwinder Singh Dhaner, Kewal Singh Barnala and school primary sports staff were present.

Indo-Tibet border
roads blocked in
Himachal Pradesh

SHIMLA: Landslides and rolling down boulders in Himachal Pradesh have blocked a portion of the Old Hindustan Tibet National Highway on the Indo-Tibet border, an official said on Monday. The highway has been blocked between Pooh and Korik, a spokesperson of the Kinnaur district administration said here. Heavy boulders snapped road communication over the stretch around noon, stalling vehicular traffic movement.

In view of pollution control, DM has
banned sale and use of firecrackers

RAMAN GUPTA
KAITHAL: Keeping pollution control in mind, District Magistrate Prashant Panwar has issued orders to ban the storage, sale and use of firecrackers in the district under Section 144. In the orders issued, e-commerce companies like Flipkart, Amazon etc. have also been instructed not to accept any online order for firecrackers. Using the powers conferred by District Magistrate Prashant Panwar on the basis of Section 144 of CrPC, orders have been issued under the Explosive Substances Act 1884 and Explosive Substances Rules 2008 regarding the production, storage and use of firecrackers including sale. In the order issued, the responsibility of ensuring compliance with the rules has been given to the city council along with the police. Sub-divisional officers, citizens, police station in-charges, city council officials, block development and panchayat officers and tehsildars will coordinate with each other in their respective areas and get these orders strictly implemented. All officers implementing the orders have been instructed to send compliance reports of the orders to the Deputy Commissioner's office regularly. According to the orders, the regional officers of the Pollution Control Board have also been instructed to regularly monitor the air quality. It has been said in the orders that as per the decision of the Supreme Court, only green firecrackers which cause less pollution can be sold in the district. Magistrate, he will be punished by taking legal action under various sections of the Criminal Procedure Act and Explosive Substances Act 1884.



NATION

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People in mood to repeat govt: CM Ashok
Gehlot files nomination for Rajasthan polls

AGENCY
SARDARPURA, NOV 6

Rajasthan Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot on Monday filed his nomination from the Sardarpura Assembly constituency in Rajasthan which is going to polls on November 25. The last date for filing nominations is November 6. Speaking to reporters about the Rajasthan Assembly polls, CM Gehlot said, "People of the state are in the mood to repeat the government in Rajasthan..." He also said that the desert state which was earlier known as a backward state has undergone a change since he became the CM. "Earlier Rajasthan was known as a backward state but now it has changed. Today, Rajasthan has AIIMS, IITs, IIMs and other universities. When I became the CM for the first time,



there were only 6 universities and now there are over 100 colleges..." CM Gehlot added. The Congress released its seventh list of 21 candidates, fielding state minister Shanti Dhariwal from the Kota North seat. In its Sunday list, the party denied a ticket to Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot's loyalist and Rajasthan Tourism Development Corporation Chairman Dharmendra Rathore. The Congress fielded

Accused acquitted in illegal liquor case

KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA: Court Anupam Gupta JMFC Barnala Court in an important decision, Pargat Singh son of Bhopal Singh Jatt resident of Sinona, Tehsil Raikot, District Ludhiana, agreeing with the arguments of his lawyer Arshpreet Singh Advocate Barnala Case No: 60 Date: 28.06. 2018 Penal Code 61/1/14, Excise Act Police Station Mahal Kalan, in which three boxes of illicit liquor were recovered, the accused has been acquitted. It is worth mentioning that the said three boxes were recovered from the trunk of the suspect's car. In the court, the lawyer of the accused said that the prosecution witnesses could not prove the said recovery in the court, neither the police could produce the said illegal liquor in the court nor the IO of the trial appear for testimony in the case. Due to this this exportation of liquor was not proved to be illegal in any way. Agreeing with the arguments of the lawyer, the Hon'ble Court Mr. Anupam Gupta JMFC Barnala Court ordered the acquittal of the accused.

Groom, 4-years old Child among 4
persons killed in road accident



SUKH NAHAR
JAGRAON, NOV 6

A deadly and unfortunate accident took place near village Ajitwal of Moga leading to death of 4 including a groom and a child as well. Giving more information about this, village Ujjawali former Sarpanch Hamek Singh said that early morning on 5 November a 'barat' headed towards Badowal from village Ujjawali of district Fazilka. "The car carrying groom Sukhwinder Singh, his brother-in-law Agrej Singh, sister-in-law Simran Kaur and 4 years old Arshdeep Kaur met with a terrible accident as their

car rammed into a truck parked at side of road near village Ajitwal. The accident was so unfortunate that groom and one other lost their lives at the spot while others were rushed to civil hospital Jagraon in serious condition," he said. Singh added that other two succumbed to injuries at civil hospital and one was referred to medical college Faridkot due to serious condition. SHO Ajitwal talking about this said that the accident was highly unfortunate and further investigation has been initiated and necessary actions shall be taken against those responsible for the mishapening.

Cow welfare camp organized by Animal
Husbandry Department, Barnala



KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA: Due to the efforts of the Punjab Cow Seva Commission, a cow welfare camp was organized at Dhanula Gaushala Charitable and Welfare Society, Sangrur Road, Dhanula today on 6th November as per the instructions of the Punjab Government. While inaugurating the camp, Punjab Cow Service Commission Chairman Ashok Kumar (Lakha) shed light on the public welfare works being done by the Punjab government from time to time. This camp was organized under the able leadership of Hon'ble Deputy Commissioner Barnala Poonamdeep Kaur. On this occasion, Dr. Lakhbir Singh, Deputy Director, Department of Animal Husbandry, Barnala, shared information and said that in the camp, animal husbandry department gave free medicines and tonic worth Rs.25000/- to Dhanula Gausala Charitable and Welfare Society and also treated the sick animals by check-up. The Management Committee of the Gowshala highly appreciated the support given by Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Veterinary Officer in treating the cows in the Gowshala without any delay.

Animal Husbandry Department
provides materials to poor
families in village Balu of Kalayat



SATISH SETH
KALAYAT: To promote self-employment, the Animal Husbandry Department of the state is busy in giving shape to a special scheme. Under this, Kaithal Deputy Director of the department, the action plan decided by Narendra Yadav, veterinary doctor Dr. Pawan Kumar provided help to establish 50 units of poultry farming in model village Balu of Kalayat. Through this, the departmental officers provided free resources like chicks as well as feeders and drinkers to provide employment opportunities to the eligible families. Dr. Narendra Yadav said that important schemes have been started by the department to raise the standard of living of poor families in the state. Under this, unemployed hands are being provided opportunities to earn livelihood. Poor families rear chicks in poultry units. After this they are bought by traders. In this way, poor families can increase their sources of income through this scheme while living in their village and home.

Seminar on stress management organised
at New Happy Public School, Yamunanagar



RAHUL KOHLI
JAGADHRI: New Happy Public School in Yamunanagar organized a seminar on 'Stress Management', where students were provided comprehensive information about the causes of stress and ways to alleviate it. The event featured guest speakers Vikrant Vishisht and Robin Waliya from Maharshi Markandeshwar University. Vikrant Vishisht explained to the students that in modern times, everyone strives to outperform others due to the high level of competition. The pressure to succeed leads individuals to rush through tasks, resulting in mental stress. Competition has significantly increased in student life, and most students are anxious about their careers. While this is a natural inclination, it often has negative effects. It starts to affect their mental and physical well-being. Vishisht advised students to choose subjects based on their interests and create a schedule to manage their tasks, ensuring success. He emphasized that success can be achieved through consistent practice. Meditation and exercise can also help alleviate this pressure.

Fetal sex determination
gang member arrested

RAMAN GUPTA
KAITHAL: Police spokesperson said that the accused Gurdeep, resident of village Jaisinghpura district Karnal, was arrested by the team of ASI Sukhbir Singh of Pundri police station during the upcoming investigation of a case of sex determination of fetus in the womb. Police spokesperson Praveen Sheokand said that on June 18, Kurukshetra Civil Surgeon Dr. Sukhbir Singh had received information that a fetal sex determination gang was active in Pundri. After this, Civil Surgeon Kaithal Dr. Ashok Kumar was informed in the night itself. A team of PNDD Nodal Officer Dr. Gaurav Poonia, Dr. Gaurav Bansal, Dr. Rishi and

Dr. Manoj was formed and orders were given to take action. A deal was struck with the informer that fetal gender testing would be done in the morning for Rs 60,000. After this, a female decoy was prepared by the health department team.

As per the plan, the pregnant woman was called to Brahmanand Hospital in Pundri in the morning. Here the hospital director Gurdeep called a young man named Vijay and asked him to take the woman to Muzaffarnagar UP. Give the money also to Vijay. After this Dikay gave the money to Vijay. During this time Gurdeep gave his Tata Altroz ??car to Vijay. After this, Vijay went to Muzaffarnagar with the

decoy and the Health Department team chased the vehicle but due to heavy traffic in Muzaffarnagar city, the broker's vehicle disappeared from sight due to which the Health Department team could not reach the spot. After this, Vijay took the decoy to a double storey house in a city in Muzaffarnagar and there the gender of the pregnant woman was checked by two other persons and she was declared to be a girl. After this, Dikay and Vijay again left for Pundri in the same car in which they had gone. After getting information by Poondri police, the said vehicle was controlled during the blockade in Poondri in the afternoon.

Blood Group Check-up Camp conducted at
Green Field Convent School at affordable rates



BALWINDER AZAD
BARNALA DEHATI: According to the guidelines of Chairman Sukhminder Singh Gill, a blood group checkup camp was organized to explain the importance of blood group and at affordable rates. In which lab technician M.L.T. Gurvinder Singh and Ramandeep Singh conducted the blood group tests of the children. During which he told the children about the importance of blood group, what are the types of blood groups and told about the process of blood bank. He told the children that when taking blood from another person or giving it, it is very important to know the blood group first. Meanwhile, the medical students were told how blood group is tested. This increased the medical knowledge of the students. On this occasion, Chairman Sukhminder Singh Gill said that the main purpose of organizing the blood group camp is that in today's busy life, many parents are deprived of their children's blood group test.

St. Warriors students won 13 medals
in national level boxing games

VERMA
QADIAN, NOV 6

In a remarkable display of talent and dedication, the students of Saint Warriors School Qadian won 13 titles in various categories in the 3rd CISCE National Boxing Championship held at Ranchi, Jharkhand from November 1 to 5. The young athletes represented the ICSE schools of North Zone with passion and determination, and their efforts were rewarded with impressive medals. The achievements of the students were celebrated not only by their school but also by the schools of the entire northern region. Some of the outstanding performances by the students of St. Warriors School are as follows: Harsimran Kaur, Gurleen Kaur and Sukhnoor Kaur



lifted 46 kg respectively. - won gold medals in 48 kg, 26 kg-30 and 63 kg-66 kg categories. In different categories, Sehjaleen Kaur, Simranjit Kaur, Ravneet Kaur and Harsimran Kaur won silver medals and Jasmeet Kaur, Praneet Kaur, Asif Farid, Sartaj Singh and Gurshan won bronze medals. The school's Under-14 (Girls) team secured the overall first position and the Under-17

(Girls) team secured the overall second position after a series of exciting matches. School Principal Paramvir Singh congratulated the students. Expressing great pride in the achievements, he said, "Our students have displayed exceptional dedication and sportsmanship throughout the competition. Their success in national level school sports is a testament to their and the coaching staff's hard work.

Shun stubble burning to save natural
resources for bright future: DC to farmers


PARAMJIT SINGH
PHILLAURO:

Deputy Commissioner Vishesh Sarangal on Monday called upon the farmers to shun the stubble burning to save the natural resources as burning of stubble emits toxic pollutants in the atmosphere. Addressing the farmers in an awareness camp at village Rurka Kalan, Sarangal said that farmers of Punjab always leads the nation in bumper crop production to make it self reliant in food grains and in the field of environment protection , our farmers must rise to the occasion by not burning the stubble in fields. Making an impassioned appeal to farmers, Sarangal said that he was one of you and know the ground realities. He said that stubble burning could be



effectively curtailed with the collective efforts. He said that the farmers must adopt in-situ and ex-situ management measures wholeheartedly to

manage the stubble. He said that burning was not a solution and if we want to give a healthy environment to coming generations, we have to end this ill- practice. Deputy Commissioner asked the farmers for joining the battle against the menace and contributing towards preserving the precious natural resources by avoiding the stubble burning.



NORTHERN RAILWAY
Corrigendum-I

In reference to Notice No. 3146/2023, published on 01.11.2023, in Catalogue no. UMB-LC-03-23, the Seq. No. AA/1, Lot No. ADVT-UMB-CDG-OH-290-23-2, e-auction date 09.11.2023, is withdrawn due to administrative reason. Any inconvenience caused is deeply regretted.

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SERVING CUSTOMERS WITH A SMILE

Editorial

Instruments of war

In the first twenty years of this century, nearly 2,200 Palestinian children and 140 Israeli children were killed in the conflict-torn region. The massacre of the innocents continues: 45 Palestinian children were killed in 2022 and 44 this year before the current hostilities. Eight Israeli children died over this period. Four weeks into the war, over 3,800 Palestinian children had died in Gaza and 1,200 were reported missing, besides 31 Israeli children killed and at least 20 held captive by Hamas. These deaths resulted directly from hostile action. It is too early to count the dead from starvation, pestilence, lack of medical aid, and long-term injuries. And the mental violence done to children whose world is literally collapsing around them is truly incalculable.

The grotesque imbalance in the figures above tells its own story. But the bedrock iniquity is that children should die at all in their elders' territorial battles. Even those 31 Israeli children are 31 too many.

All this is happening in the world's full gaze, with its connivance and approval. Most leading powers support the destruction, openly or indirectly; even those condemning it have their own stakes. The world concurs, rightfully enough, that terrorism is an evil so heinous that it must be stamped out at whatever cost, regardless of history, context or rationale. Civilization has not attained the stage where killing thousands of children seems an equally absolute evil. We do not say, 'Whatever the issue, we cannot let children die. We must work out some other solution.' Rather, we use those children as an unspoken, unspeakable instrument of war. In a world racked with suffering, it seems insanely frivolous to raise philosophical issues; yet such issues bear acutely on realities. There is a concept called the principle of double effect. If an action has a good and a bad effect, is the latter acceptable for the sake of the good? Yes, says the logician, provided it is not intrinsic to the good, if you can arguably have one without the other; but not if the bad is essential to the good, if the path to one lies through the other.

Statesmen do not practise scholastic philosophy. But their gut logic is the same, reaching its acme in the evil genius behind the phrase 'collateral damage'. Hostage-taking terrorists are crude operators; they openly resort to evil to attain what they see as good. Rulers of states are unblushingly casuistical.

The catch lies in that while in theory you might separate the good intention from the bad consequence, in practice it is blatantly impossible.

Recent developments in China's military



fissures have appeared in the People's Liberation Army (PLA) in recent months, with high-profile commanders, even the defence minister, removed due to corruption allegations.

Additionally, there was even speculation of a submarine loss to add more spice. Regardless, the PLA continues to test its mettle as China becomes even more aggressive in the South China Sea and more vocal about its violent designs on Taiwan.

What about the rumours of the sinking of a PLA Navy nuclear-powered submarine? This story percolated for a while but is unlikely to be true. Dr. Joel Wuthnow,

Senior Research Fellow at the Centre for the Study of Chinese Military Affairs at the National Defence University in Washington DC, offered this explanation: "It was an interesting case because it started as a social media rumour and was then picked up by the tabloid press, and then made its way into the mainstream press. And so I think it's an example of how unconfirmed information can kind of quickly get into the public sphere."

Dr. Wuthnow continued: "My perception so far is that there really wasn't anything to it. No government has officially or really even informally weighed in on

this topic. It doesn't seem to have happened, but it is an example of how we need to be very careful about information, especially in the Chinese context where things like this can be believable, precisely because they tend not to want to admit technical failures, technical glitches and problems that they're facing. And so in the absence of official information from them, the idea of some kind of problem, scandal or rumor, it's very easy for us to believe these things."

While China denied the loss of a submarine, it has been very vocal in intimidating Taiwan. For example, at the 10th

Beijing Xiangshan Forum, Lieutenant General He Lei, former vice president of the PLA Academy of Military Sciences, said on October 29: "Once the Chinese government is forced to use force to resolve the Taiwan question, it will be a war for reunification, a just and legitimate war supported and participated in by the Chinese people, and a war to crush foreign interference."

This is fighting talk indeed, and it echoes stepped-up PLA activity near Taiwan, especially aircraft that conduct incursions into Taiwan's air defence identification zone. China's coercive military activities really began to spike after former US House Speaker Nancy Pelosi visited Taipei in August 2022.

However, it must be remembered that China is using psychological pressure to cow both Taiwan and any allies who might consider helping defend the democratic nation, especially as Taiwanese citizens go to presidential polls in January 2024. Threatening an invasion is very different from actually having the ability to do so, although it does reflect a propensity for violence on the part of China and Chairman Xi Jinping.

In a discussion with the Hawaii-based non-profit research institute Pacific Forum, Dr. Wuthnow discussed some factors that should be giving Xi pause for thought as he mulls turning Taiwan into a communist satellite.

He noted, "Economically, a war with Taiwan could expose China to severe sanctions, potentially impacting trillions in assets and trade flows.

Lessons from Russia's involvement in Ukraine showed Beijing the extensive co-ordination between Washington and allies in retaliating against oppression." Furthermore, "China's military has not been in active combat since 1979 and faces logistical difficulties.

Literature & Health

Opium cultivation, production in Afghanistan decreased by 95 pc



The cultivation and production of opium in Afghanistan has decreased by 95 per cent in the past year, Khaama Press reported citing the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime. The report was issued by the office on Sunday, pointing out that after the ban on opium cultivation and production in Afghanistan, the cultivation has decreased from 23,300 hectares in the previous year to 10,800 hectares, indicating a 95 per cent reduction.

It further states that this measure puts significant pressure on the farmers of a war-torn country, where the majority of the population relies on agriculture as their primary source of income and considers opium cultivation as a "livelihood-sustaining" source of income. According to the report, the severe reduction in poppy

cultivation could have adverse economic consequences for a country where previously about two-thirds of its population depended on humanitarian aid, Khaama Press reported. Notably, Afghanistan was previously considered the largest exporter of opium, supplying approximately 80 per cent of the world's illegal opium.

The Taliban authorities banned the cultivation and production of narcotics in Afghanistan in 2022. Experts believe that the Taliban administration is pursuing this action to gain international legitimacy, Khaama Press reported. This comes as the research institution Alcis had claimed, based on satellite images, that poppy cultivation had decreased by 80 per cent in Helmand province. At the same time, it had increased in mountainous regions like Badakhshan in 2023.

Nepal earthquake victims struggle to stay warm as mercury drops



Kaushila Khadka, who has been living in a relief camp along with her husband after her house was damaged in the earthquake on Friday night, is trying to keep her two-month-old infant warm to protect him from the cold.

"The condition has worsened in comparison to the day after the earthquake. The house where we were staying got damaged and we had to get out. A rented room where we lived hasn't sustained that damage," Khadka told ANI.

Khadka has been relying on the blankets given to her by their relatives and cousins as the relief from the authorities has failed to reach her.

"The baby has just turned two months; earlier two days were feeling cold but since last night we got some extra blankets which has helped to keep us

warm. Sister brought on some clothes for the baby because of which the cold decreased," the newborn child's mother said.

Though the government started focusing on the relief operation from Sunday, women, children, and the elderly are still facing the threat of the cold.

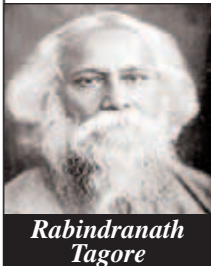
Inadequate distribution of relief materials which focus on the urban areas of the impoverished district has increased fear of health risks to the vulnerable population.

The 2,230 square kilometre district has a population of 1,89, 360. It has a women population of 50.3 per cent while the male population stands at 49.7 per cent as per the census of 2021. The district also has high mortality of children and elderly people in the latest earthquake which so far has claimed 105 lives.

POEM

Purity

Life of my life, I shall ever try to keep my body pure, knowing that thy living



Rabindranath Tagore

touch is upon all my limbs. I shall ever try to keep all untruths out from my thoughts, know-

ing that thou art that truth which has kindled the light of reason in my mind. I shall ever try to drive all evils away from my heart and keep my love in flower, knowing that thou hast thy seat in the inmost shrine of my heart.

Rabindranath Tagore

Positive messages can reduce negative effects of objectified fitness posts

A few words of body appreciation, according to a Washington State University study, can help offset the negative impact of viewing objectified pictures of female fitness influencers.

While fitness influencers say they want to inspire good physical health, research has found that their social media posts often inspire negative mental health, especially among younger women. The WSU experimental study, published in the journal Health Communication, revealed that the negative impact of idealized Instagram images may be offset with something as simple as a caption with a body appreciation



message, like "Love your body. See what it can do."

This type of message appeared to boost viewers' self-compassion and appreciation of their own bodies - at least in the short term. "These captions could

serve as a protective factor," said Jessica Willoughby, the study's senior author and associate professor in WSU's Murrow College of Communication. "This is something that's really small, just a couple of com-

ments, that influencers could be putting on their posts." The findings also point to other possible interventions, Willoughby said. For instance, health communicators could make sure that young women who regularly view this type of content also see other posts reminding them to think about their bodies in positive ways.

For this study, Willoughby and first author WSU PhD candidate Leticia Couto had 200 college-age women view different sets of manipulated Instagram posts from real fitness influencers who have millions of followers. Each group of participants was shown a set of posts with

objectified and regular images with or without body appreciation messages.

Objectified images include scantily clad influencers posing with a focus on specific body parts and sometimes even with the face cut out of the frame.

An earlier study led by Willoughby found that the majority of top fitness influencers' posts contained these types of sexually objectified images.

The "unobjectified" images in the current study could still include influencers posing in tight sportswear, but the frame contained the whole person and had a focus other than just viewing the body, such as the influencer demon-

strating an exercise. After viewing the posts, the participants ranked their agreement with a series of statements related to self-esteem, self-compassion and views towards their own bodies at the moment and their more steady, long-term perception of their bodies, known as "trait body appreciation."

The results showed that the body appreciation messaging, even when paired with objectified images, had a positive impact on participants' self-compassion and their views towards their own bodies at the moment. No connection was found to better self-esteem or the longer-term perception of their bodies.

The researchers did not expect that seeing just a few positive statements would have a long-term impact, but Willoughby still found the results encouraging, especially because self-compassion can be more protective than self-esteem. "If you are in a difficult situation, self-esteem sometimes goes away, but self-compassion typically stays because it's a way of talking to yourself when you need it," she said.

"Knowing these messages have an impact on self-compassion is really powerful because it's something that can impact you even when you're not having a good day." The experiment captured short-term


effects, but more research is needed on the cumulative effects, since many young women are likely scrolling through dozens of these images on a weekly or even daily basis.

The researchers would like fitness influencers to consider adding body appreciation messages to their posts - or even better, posting fewer over-idealized, sexually objectified images. Willoughby knows the latter is probably unlikely, even though her past research found influencers' sexually objectified poses resulted in fewer "likes."

Instead, it may be up to Instagram users to change how they interact with these accounts.

SHORT TALKS

“Nayan-Jo Vekhe Unvekha” Interesting Twist



Chandigarh: Shocking turn in the show “Nayan-Jo Vekhe Unvekha” where Devansh’s life is in great danger and Rita and Pompei have hatched a grand plan to kill him. In the show “Nayan-Jo Vekhe Unvekha” we will witness, Nayan has a tough time ahead as Rita and Pompey are plotting to kill her husband Devansh. On the one hand, Devansh dreamed of his death. To save Devansh from impending danger, Nagaraj stops him outside. On the other hand, Mata Rani gives Nayan a hint about the attack on Devansh.

Zee Business takes the crown
CHANDIGARH: CHANDIGARH: Zee Business has set a remarkable milestone by securing the position of India’s No. 1 Business News Channel, as confirmed by the latest data released by the Broadcast Audience Research Council (BARC). What makes Zee Business stand out is its proficiency in presenting business news in a manner that resonates with the common man, translating intricate financial concepts into easily understandable language for all. This prestigious recognition reaffirms Zee Business’s unparalleled dedication to its viewers and stakeholders. Emphasizing on this remarkable achievement, Anil Singhi, Managing Editor, Zee Business said, “At Zee Business, we are truly honored and delighted by our achievement in securing the position of India’s No. 1 Business News Channel. We have consistently strived to provide our viewers with the most accurate, insightful, and timely financial news and analysis and this achievement only strengthens our resolve to continue doing so. This recognition reaffirms our position as a trusted source for millions of viewers who turn to us for the latest and most credible information on business and financial matters.”

Costa Coffee launches its Diwali campaign, #CostaWaliDiwali
CHANDIGARH/LUDHIANA: Costa Coffee, Coca-Cola’s leading coffee brand in the commercial beverage categories in India, is excited to launch the Diwali campaign of this year, #CostaWaliDiwali in collaboration with Shivesh Bhatia, the renowned baker and content creator. Together, they bring forth an unforgettable Diwali-inspired menu for coffee enthusiasts. This collaboration ensures a remarkable experience, seamlessly fusing the traditional Diwali essence with Costa Coffee’s modern and innovative spirit. Commenting on the launch of limited-edition Blissstachio Rose family, Vinay Nair, General Manager, India & Emerging International, Costa Coffee at the Coca-Cola Company, “At Costa Coffee, we are dedicated to embracing and celebrating cultural richness through our coffee. This Diwali, our collaboration with Shivesh Bhatia for the launch of Blissstachio Rose collection showcases our commitment to crafting unique experiences for our consumers. The skilful fusion of tradition with contemporary creativity builds a symphony of flavour that celebrates the richness of Diwali in every cup.”

Tata Motors' strategic move in the midst of EV revolution
CHANDIGARH/LUDHIANA: Tata Motors, India’s leading automobile manufacturer, has made a bold move by making CNG vehicles more desirable and practical. With its twin-cylinder technology, Tata Motors has ensured that CNG-powered vehicles are no longer a compromise. This strategic decision reflects Tata Motors’ commitment to sustainability and its recognition of the burgeoning popularity of CNG vehicles in the country.Over the last three to four years, CNG cars have gained significant traction, especially in the personal vehicle segment. Two key factors have driven this remarkable surge are diverse model offerings and expanding infrastructure. The Indian market now boasts a diverse range of CNG models, with approximately 17-18 variants available across different body types and price points, offered by various original equipment manufacturers (OEMs). There is also a notable price difference when compared to petrol prices offering a sustained lower operating cost for CNG vehicle owners. The proliferation of CNG refueling stations across the nation has been a game-changer. Three years ago, there were around 1,500 stations; today, that number has surged to approximately 5,500. Notably, states such as Haryana, Delhi, Gujarat, and Maharashtra have embraced CNG vehicles, leading to deep market penetration in these regions.

Sunrest Lifescience Ltd plans to raise up to Rs. 10.85 crore
CHANDIGARH: Sunrest Lifescience Ltd is planning to raise Rs. 10.85 crore from its SME public issue. The public issue opens for subscription on November 7. The company has received approval to launch its public issue on NSE Emerge Platform of National Stock Exchange. Proceeds of the public issue will be utilized to fund company’s expansion plans including meeting working capital requirements and General Corporate purpose. Mark Corporate Advisors Private Limited is the lead manager of the issue. Public issue will close on November 19. The initial public offering comprises of a fresh issue of 129,91 lakh equity shares of face value Rs. 10 each at a price of Rs. 84 per share (including a premium of Rs. 74 per equity share aggregating up to Rs. 10.85 crore. Minimum lot size for the application is 1,600 shares which translates in to investment of Rs. 1,34 lakh per application. Retail allocation for the IPO is kept each at 50% of the issue. Market maker reservation portion is 65,600 equity shares. Incorporated in 2017, Sunrest Lifescience Limited offers a diverse range of healthcare and personal care products. The company’s product range includes Capsules, Tablets, Syrup, Ointment, Gel, mouthwash, Solution, Suspension, Dry Powders, and Toothpaste. Sunrest Lifescience’s product portfolio encompasses an extensive range of drugs such as Anti-Bacterial, Anti-Diarrheal, Anti-Fungal, Anti-Material, Anti-Diabetic, Dental Cure, Anti-Protizol, Anti-Histamine, Anti-Hypertensive drugs, Cosmetic, Anti-Parasitic, Multivitamin, Multimineral, Nutracetical, and Anti-inflammatory.

Yuvraj Singh reveals words of Wisdom by Sachin Tendulkar
CHANDIGARH: In an emotionally charged conversation with famous influencer and podcaster Ramveer Alhabadia for Mountain Dew Darr Ke Aage Jeet Hai stories on The Ranveer Show, cricket legend Yuvraj Singh bared his soul, sharing the unknown chapters of his life, from his success, struggles on and off the field and motivational words of wisdom by Sachin Tendulkar that he swears by. Yuvraj opened up about the pivotal advice he received from Sachin Tendulkar, the “Master Blaster,” whose wisdom played a significant role in India’s historic 2011 World Cup victory. His words of motivating oneself during life’s curveballs and finding the strength and perseverance within, deeply resonated with him. “There’s always a calm before the storm,” said the OG God of Cricket, Sachin and well it did strike a chord with Yuv. The results? Well, they were there for all of us to witness during that unforgettable World Cup. On the new generation of cricketers, Yuvraj recalls mentoring the newest cricket prodigy, Shubman Gill in a month-long training, and praises him as a ‘quick learner’ whose efforts have helped him grow in the game, in a short span of time. The podcast deep dives into his personal life and the hardships that came with being a successful cricketer. As he reflects on his journey and his personal life battles, Yuvraj’s heartfelt commitment to his family and his desire to be a better parent to his kids added a touching and relatable dimension to this truly inspiring conversation.

Samsung Galaxy S24, Galaxy S24 Ultra With SoC Details Spotted on Geekbench
Samsung Galaxy S24 series is expected to launch globally soon. It is said to come with three models – the base Galaxy S24, a Galaxy S24 Plus and a Galaxy S24 Ultra. The lineup will succeed the Galaxy S23 series, which was released earlier this year in February. The South Korean tech giant has been speculated to release the Galaxy S24 models earlier than usual. Though the company is yet to announce the launch date, it was previously tipped to be unveiled on January 17 at an event in the US. Several leaks and reports have suggested many key details about the Galaxy S24 models. Now, a report states that two of the upcoming models were spotted on Geekbench. A MySmartPrice report suggests that the Galaxy S24 Ultra has been spotted on the Geekbench benchmarking website, with the model number SM-S928N. The listing shows the phone with a Snapdragon 8 Gen 3 SoC paired with 12GB of RAM. The report added that the Korean version of the base Galaxy S24 model was also spotted on the site with the model number SM-S921N.

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You can effectively treat cystic acne at home

Cystic acne, one of the most severe forms of acne, is usually the result of hormonal changes. However, external factors such as unhealthy lifestyle choices, medication, excessive use of makeup and climatic conditions could also cause it. Here’s how you can treat this problem at home using natural ingredients.

Neem
Neem helps detoxify the body. Its anti-bacterial properties help reduce inflammation, keeping a check on the formation of pus.

- Boil a handful of neem leaves in two to three cups of water. Strain the mixture and once it cools, drink it at regular intervals throughout the day.
- Using a cotton swab, apply some neem oil on your acne.
- Grind eight to nine neem leaves with a few drops of water to form a paste. Apply the paste on the affected areas and leave overnight. Rinse with cold water in the morning. Repeat this thrice a week.

Egg whites
Egg whites contain albumin and lysozyme, which have antiviral and anti-bacterial properties. Additionally, egg whites can tighten your skin and clear its pores, removing excess oil, dirt, and bacteria.

- After you have separated the egg whites from two eggs, whisk the mix and apply evenly on your skin using a brush.
- Leave on for 10 to 15 minutes and wash with cold water.
- Following this method twice a day will keep cystic acne under control.

Aloe vera
Aloe vera has soothing and cooling properties that



help reduce swelling and inflammation.

- Slice an aloe vera leaf into half and extract the pulp.
- Apply the gel on your face and leave it for an hour. Wash your face with cold water and repeat twice a day.
- You can also add the gel to a cup of boiling water and consume the mix on a regular basis to help cleanse your body from inside.

Fuller’s earth
Fuller’s earth, commonly known as multani mitti, helps cure cystic acne due to its absorbent, exfoliating as well as and astringent properties. Besides, it helps clean the pores, drawing out toxins and impurities.

- Mix 2 tablespoons of multani mitti with one tablespoon each of milk and honey.
- Apply this paste on your face and after the mask has dried, wash with cold water.
- Do this once a week.

Dabur Amla powers the “Gift Hair Gift Confidence” campaign to support women cancer Patients



make a real difference in the lives of these women and help them feel better about themselves.” Under this campaign, Dabur Amla will donate wigs for the cancer patients of Sardarjag Hospital, Delhi; Arigran Anna Memorial Cancer Hospital & Research Institute, Kanchepuram; The Gujarat Cancer & Research Institute, Ahmadabad; and Chilaranjan National Cancer Institute, Kolkata.

New Delhi : Dabur Amla, World’s No. 1 Hair Oil brand from the house of Dabur India Limited, has joined hands with Cherian Foundation to launch “Gift Hair, Gift Confidence” campaign to eradicate the stigma around cancer and to encourage early detection of cancer among women. Speaking about the initiative, Mr. Ankur Kumar, Marketing Head- Hair Care, Dabur India Ltd said: “Dabur Amla has a long-standing commitment to empowering women and supporting the communities in which it operates. Hair loss due to cancer treatment can be an extremely traumatic experience for women. We want to support these women and help them feel confident and beautiful again. We believe that by donating wigs made from real hair, we can

Snap Celebrates Augmented Reality at Inaugural APAC AR Day



CHANDIGARH: Today Snap Inc. hosted its inaugural APAC AR Day in Mumbai, India, celebrating Snapchat’s leadership in Augmented Reality (AR), its thriving AR creator and developer community, and the company’s ongoing commitment to democratising AR for users and brands. The event saw Evan Spiegel, Snap CEO and Co-Founder, engage in a candid fireside chat with Snap APAC President Ajit Mohan as a part of Spiegel’s three-day trip to India. The discussion centered around the adoption of AR globally by consumers and brands, India’s booming creative talent pool, the future of AR, and Snap’s innovative approach to this transformative technology. “I love the energy of the young and vibrant Indian developer community. With over 200 million Snapchatters in India, we’re seeing more and more creators, developers and brands tap into our community’s passion for augmented reality experiences. We’re excited to be building the future with such incredible local talent,” said Evan Spiegel, Snap Inc. CEO and Co-Founder. Ajit Mohan also delivered a keynote address that emphasized the strength of India’s thriving AR creator and developer community and their innovative collaborations with brand partners.

Circle Of Crust Showcases Innovative Pizza Crust Choices

Chandigarh: Circle Of Crust, the renowned pizza chain with a commitment to culinary innovation, recently hosted an exclusive pizza-tasting event at its newly opened outlet in Sec 35, Chandigarh. This event introduced the brand’s distinctive pizza crust options and a range of India-inspired pizzas. Innovation in crust options lies at the core of Circle Of Crust’s culinary expertise, elevating the pizza experience for enthusiasts. Attendees were introduced to a variety of pizza options featuring specially curated crusts, including Spinach, Multigrain, Corn, Gluten-Free, and Beetroot. These unique crusts not only provide a delightful twist to traditional pizza but also cater to health-conscious diners. The event featured a diverse selection of



rich flavor preferences of Indian consumers. “We are dedicated to offering unique and inventive pizza experiences,” stated Mrs. Neha Anand, Founder of Circle Of Crust. “Our innovative crusts and flavors are tailored to suit the Indian palate. As a special Diwali offering, we have introduced a curated Diwali Pizza, and we are excited to share these culinary creations with our valued customers.” Circle Of Crust continues to lead the way in the pizza industry with its pioneering approach to crust innovation, providing options that cater to a wide range of tastes and dietary requirements.

Standard Chartered Bank drives in financing access for Tata Motors’

CHANDIGARH/LUDHIANA: Standard Chartered Bank, India, today announced that it has partnered with Tata Motors, India’s leading automobile manufacturer, for offering Supply



Chain Finance Solutions to their passenger Electric Vehicle (EV) dealers. Currently Standard Chartered Bank offers inventory funding limits to the ICE dealerships of Tata Motors, across its Passenger

and Commercial Vehicle businesses. Ankur Khurana, Managing Director & Co-Head, Client Coverage, India, Standard Chartered Bank, said, “We are excited to extend our supply chain offering to the high growth EV business of Tata Motors. This augurs well for our strategy to support sustainable industries, and is yet another testimony of our long-standing engagement with Tata Motors and the Tata Group, which spans over many decades and represents one of our most valued relationships globally.” Speaking on the partnership, Dhiman Gupta, Chief Financial Officer, Tata Passenger Electric Mobility Ltd. and Director, Tata Motors Passenger Vehicles Ltd, said, “The EV customers today expect a differentiated experience at various touch points in their ownership journey with the brand. As leaders of the 4-wheeler EV space, we are committed to working with the right partners in our effort to further grow the market. To that effect, we are happy to partner with Standard Chartered Bank to further assist our authorised passenger electric vehicle dealer partners with an exclusive financing program. We are confident that this partnership will prove beneficial for all parties as we continue to expand our presence in this space.”



the scope of this league is bigger than the previous edition and more and more players are participating. According to Raman Raheja, CEO of LLC, Indian Railways has a unique initiative to promote the culture of sports in every corner of the country. The chairman of the league is confident that cricket fans will be eager to see their favorite stars. According to Vivek Khushalani, Chairman, LLC, “it is a matter of pride for Vande Bharat Express to be associated with this league. It’s an honour to have legends of cricket travel across the country with the LLC trophy.”

Indianized pizzas, a testament to the brand’s commitment to accommodating a wide range of taste preferences. These delectable pizzas have been thoughtfully crafted by Chef Gaendra to resonate with the diverse and

Mahindra launches new Jeeto Strong with enhanced payload capacity, best-in-segment mileage

GURUGRAM : Mahindra Last Mile Mobility Limited (MLMML), a subsidiary of Mahindra and Mahindra, has launched the “Mahindra Jeeto Strong”. There are more than 200000 satisfied Jeeto customers in the country. The Jeeto Strong retains the core value of Jeeto brand – best-in-segment mileage – while bringing in a higher payload capacity and more features.



ownership experience, Mahindra also offers free accidental insurance worth ₹ 10 Lakh for the driver, ensuring safety and security of its customers. Mahindra also provides an unmatched 3 Year or 72000 km warranty, whichever is earlier, showcasing its commitment to quality and durability. Jeeto Strong is a successor to the Jeeto Plus (diesel & CNG) with 100 kg additional payload than the latter. The new Jeeto Strong is attractively priced at ₹. 5.50 Lakh for diesel and ₹. 5.65 Lakh for CNG, ex-showroom Delhi. Ms. Suman Mishra, Managing Director & CEO of MLMML, said, “At Mahindra, we constantly listen to customer feedback and their evolving needs. A testimony to our commitment to constant advancement – the Jeeto Strong – with its own unmatched payload capacity, superior mileage as well as attractive pricing makes for a compelling option in its segment.

Diwali Grandeur in Dubai: Where Luxury Meets Tradition



Masala Popcorn – a delightful mix of spices and crispiness to enhance your enjoyment. Varq invites you to immerse yourself in a symphony of flavors, colors, and aromas, sure to leave an indelible mark on your senses.

Tricity singer honored in Ayodhya

Chandigarh: On the overwhelming response to the song dedicated to Hindutva, ‘Hindu ho to haath mein mauli hori chahiye’, the singer of the song, Raman Dewan, was recently invited by Swami Vivekananda Education Group in Lord Ram’s city Ayodhya to awaken Hindu Sanatan. Diwan was felicitated with ‘Awadh Ratna Award’ in a ceremony held in Ayodhya. This honor was given to Diwan by Acharya Pandit Gyan Prakash Mishra, President of National Saraswati Astrology Center and Social worker Pradeep Yadav, District Panchayat member. After receiving the honour, Raman Dewan said, “I am feeling very proud. What can be a bigger thing for a Hindu than being honored in Ayodhya, the holy land of Maryada Purushottam Shri Ram. The song ‘Hindu ho to haath mein mauli hori chahiye’ is my effort to make Hindus understand their identity so that those who believe in Sanatan Dharma can also create a separate identity for themselves across the globe and be known for being a Hindu . My song is spreading awareness that those who wear mauli on their wrist and tikka on their forehead are Hindus.”

PhonePe announces exciting cashback offers on 24K Digital Gold for Dhanteras and Diwali

Chandigarh: PhonePe, today, announced exciting cashback offers on 24K Gold for the festive season of Dhanteras and Diwali 2023. Customers purchasing a minimum of INR 1000 worth of digital gold from PhonePe, can avail up to INR 3000 Guaranteed Cashback”. This offer is valid for all one-time transactions (once per user) from November 9th - 12th, 2023. Over 1 Crore customers from 19,000+ postal codes in India have bought high purity 24K gold on the PhonePe platform at transparent prices. This is because PhonePe is the leading digital payments platform that offers 99.99% purity-certified 24K Digital Gold from leading and trusted partners. Customers can purchase certified 24K Gold digitally with zero making charges, and can benefit from using insured bank-grade Gold lockers for free” storage. Some other benefits of buying Digital Gold on PhonePe include the convenience of shopping from the comfort of home 24*7. Customers can also choose to sell their stored Gold anytime, with the money credited to their bank accounts within 48 hours. Customers also have the flexibility to invest in Digital Gold for any amount of their choice. Apart from one-time purchases, PhonePe also empowers every Indian to invest in Gold digitally via SIP to help customers invest long-term systematically.

Godrej & boyce tackles stubble burning (Parali) crisis with farm machinery distribution in mohali

Jalandhar : Godrej & Boyce, the flagship company of the Godrej Group, in partnership with NGO Sehgal Foundation, distributed 18 types of advanced farming machinery to 250+ farmers in Churni Kalan, Mohali in a critical step towards addressing the escalating environmental challenge posed by stubble burning or parali in North India. This significant move not only addresses the detrimental practice but also enables farmers to earn additional earnings by renting out their farm equipment. The event was attended by agriculture department representatives and officials from the company. A post-event live demonstration of the various types of farm machinery was also given to all the guests. Speaking about the initiative, Ashwini Deodeshmukh, Head CSR and Sustainability Reporting, Godrej & Boyce, said, “The initiative stands



as a testament to our unwavering commitment to environmental preservation. As we distribute these state-of-the-art farming machines, we not only aim to equip our farmers with tools for a cleaner and more productive future but also empower them with opportunities for economic growth. Stubble burning has long cast a shadow over North India’s air quality; through this initiative, we hope to pave the way for clear skies and thriving communities.” The Super Seeder machine, in particular, is an innovative solution to stubble burning. This machine is designed to incorporate crop residues, such as wheat and rice straw, directly into the soil during the sowing process. By facilitating the breakdown

and faster decomposition of these residues, the Super Seeder eliminates the need for farmers to resort to the environmentally detrimental practice of burning fields to get rid of the crop residues.

Rising Indian Playback Sensation Megha Bhardwaj’s latest release “Mohabbat Maaf Kar Na Payegi” touches hearts

New Delhi : Music is a revelation no one prepares you for. The best part is that it catches you by surprise; you don’t get to decide if and when the magic of music is going to seize you, only to set you free. It could be one tune, one note, or one voice that does it for you. Indian playback singer and writer, Megha Bhardwaj is that voice for many people. Her introduction to music was via radio, random songs at random times, stealing our hearts away. Radio inspired her, everyone around motivated her, by the time she was 6, she had already started reciting poems in Akash Vari. And by the time she was 8, she had made a small portion of audience fall in love with her voice at Bharat Vikas Parishad where she used to sing Vande Matram but this was just a start. Words like the music industry, Mumbai, travel are



easy to scare any 15 year old, but not Megha. She knew that she was meant for bigger things and was excited to move in that direction. Finding your purpose in life is a cathartic experience, by the time she was 11 she had started singing bhajans, and around that time only, she realised that she wanted to make a mark in the world with her voice and her music. The Golden Voice of Rajasthan winner and Indian Idol Season 4 finalist didn’t stop once she got started. Megha means cloud, and just like a cloud, she was a harbour to so much that when she got the right opportunity, the success and the popularity just rained down. She got a finer taste of the music world and all its glory when she got the space to sing beside and along with some of India’s top musicians like Udit Narayan and Anup Jalota.

Delhi Public School (DPS), Hisar, and Q&I Join Forces to Revolutionize Learning for JEE and NEET Aspirants



HISAR - Delhi Public School (DPS), Hisar is embarking on an exciting educational journey through a strategic partnership with Thomson Digital’s innovative Edtech platform, Q&I (www.qanditoday.com). This strategic alliance is set to empower 11th and 12th standard students, preparing for the JEE and NEET exams, with state-of-the-art AI-driven personalized diagnostic solutions. Vinay Singh, Executive Director and CEO of Thomson Digital and Q&I, expresses enthusiasm about this transformative collaboration. He stated, “Our unwavering commitment is to ensure that both educators and students, irrespective of their mode of learning, reap the rich benefits of this technology-driven alliance. We are looking forward to the success of the students using Q&I and wish them all the best for their

upcoming exams.” Nihal Singh, Chairman of Delhi Public School (DPS), Hisar, highlights the pivotal role of personalized learning in addressing students’ individualized needs. He emphasized, “This pioneering initiative not only grant students greater access to high-quality educational content but also offers deeper insights into their own performance and learning patterns. It is undoubtedly a game-changer for educators, who can now effortlessly identify each student’s strengths and weaknesses and take immediate, targeted actions with just a simple click.” A Transformative Educational Journey This collaboration underscores both institutions’ commitment to delivering high-quality education with a personalized touch for every student, in alignment with the principles of the New Education Policy.

PokerBaazi Crowns Champions of Second 'Greatest of All Tournaments' with INR 10 Crore Prize Pool



Chandigarh: PokerBaazi, India’s biggest online Poker platform, announced the conclusion of one of India’s most celebrated Poker tournaments, the Greatest of All Tournaments (G.O.A.T). Over a period of 12 days, almost 17,000 entries battled out and showcased their skills with Arun Vijay Mutgi, an IT consultant from Bengaluru, emerging as the champion and claiming the title of G.O.A.T. The second edition of tournament witnessed players competing for prize money using their skills to win. Witnessing duels between the exceptional and celebrated players from the Indian poker realm, the final table saw a thrilling 9-hour showdown, with Arun Vijay Mutgi securing the top spot by winning INR 1.5 Crore along with Sreerkanth KN from Kerala claiming the second spot by winning INR 1.5 Crore as well. Arun Vijay Mutgi, overjoyed with his performance, shared “I have been playing poker for a decade and over the course of time, I have realized I was not understood that one needs to continuously focus on bettering skills as well as continuously evaluating every play. This, I believe, significantly contributed towards my growth in Poker and ultimately helped me win the title.

Healthy lifestyle and early screening are key in curbing increased liver cancer prevalence in Haryana

Faridabad: The state of Haryana continues to witness an alarming surge in liver cancer cases, marking a significant part of the escalating cancer burden in the region. Data from the Union Ministry reported a sharp 4.95% increase in overall cancer cases between 2020 and 2022, reaching 30,581 cases in 2022 compared to 29,219 cases in 2020. In India, the highest rates of liver cancer have been reported in Delhi, followed by Punjab and Haryana, with 11.7 people per 100,000. As per the Indian Council of Medical Research’s National Cancer Registry Programme (NCRP), cancer deaths in the region also went up in the same period, with 16,109 people succumbing to the disease in Haryana in 2020 and 16,997 in 2022. This concerning spike highlights the urgency for increased awareness, early screening, and robust healthcare strategies to combat this growing trend. While emphasizing the importance of spreading awareness about liver cancer on this cancer awareness day, Dr. S. Sudhindran, Clinical Professor and Chief Transplant Surgeon, Department of Gastrointestinal Surgery and Solid Organ Transplantation, Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Faridabad, said that “Liver cancer, a prevalent concern in Haryana and NCR, presents with a variety of symptoms including unexplained weight loss, abdominal pain and swelling, jaundice, loss of appetite, nausea, and general weakness. Cirrhosis or chronic liver diseases is the leading precursor to development of liver cancer and is associated with more than 80% primary liver cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC). One of the leading causes of cirrhosis is an unhealthy lifestyle and lack of exercise.



The Flames of Fire Ministries continue help to the poor



Chandigarh: The Flames of Fire Ministries, a charitable organization that supports downtrodden and impoverished section of society, distributed dry ration to the needy people. The organization also helps people with food, shelter and cloths every month. The beneficiaries of ration particularly included widows and abandoned women registered with the organization. Pastor Kanchan Mittal, Chairman of The Flames of Fire Ministries, said, “We want to support children, women and elders who are living alone and have nobody to support them in the family. We continue to do whatever we can with the help of our partners and donors. We will soon open more shelter homes in the region.”

NEWS AT A GLANCE

Neighbour tries to abduct 6-years-old girl, FIR filed

SUKH NAHAR

JAGRAON: A shocking incident has come into light from Jagraon where a person allegedly tried to abduct a neighbouring minor with bad intentions. Police has filed FIR against the accused inder POCO act at police station city. Giving more information about the case, PS city incharge inspector Daljeet Singh said that the incident had been reported from Mai Jeena area of Jagraon. "A woman from the area has filed complaint at police station that Gagandeep Singh alias Gagan son of Swam Singh who lives in her neighbourhood tried to abduct her adopted 6 years old daughter. According to the complainant at nearly 8-9 pm her daughter was sleeping onna cot while she was preparing dinner inside when she heard her sister-in law and neighbor Goran shouting," he said. "The complainant mentioned that she went outside to see what the matter was when she got to know that accused Gagandeep Singh who is a drug addict took her daughter away with suspicious intentions," he added. On listening to noises, the accused allegedly dropped the victim midway and fled away taking benefit of the dark. Police has filed FIR against accused under section 363, 366 A of IPC and 8 sections of POCO act and initiated further investigation.

Romesh Mahajan motivates the students to celebrate green Diwali



VERMA GURDASPUR: Celebrations of Diwali festival- one should follow the example set up by the students / faculties and especially the Principal Dr Neeru Sharma of Pt. Mohan Lal SD for women Gurdaspur. I got the privilege to be the chief guest on the occasion of celebration of Diwali Festival for which the talented students have prepared motto signifying the strong message to the public like "Turn Down Noise, have a Eco Diwali", "this Diwali go green", "Ab Ki bar Pollution nahi yaar" etc. Secretary Red cross society Romesh Mahajan was the chief guest of this function. He motivated the students to celebrate green Diwali instead of causing pollution by crackers. They have collected numerous warm cloths from own houses/ surroundings including sweaters/ jackets/ shirts etc. and eatables for distribution amongst poorest of poor residing in various slum areas. A great gesture on the part of various units headed by Mrs Samita Khajuria like NSS Unit, CR and Environment unit constituted by this great institution.

APJ College of Fine Arts Jalandhar wins overall Championship trophy GNDU Youth Fest



AMRIK SINGH AMRITSAR: Guru Nanak Dev University Inter-Zonal Youth Festival concluded in Dasmesh Auditorium of the University. APJ College of Fine Arts, Jalandhar won the Overall Position of this Inter-Zonal Youth Festival. Lyallpur khalsa College, Jalandhar secured the second position and Khalsa College amritsar was adjudged the third best team of the festival. This festival encompassed a wide range of competitions, including theater events, fine arts, and literary events all of which brought out the exceptional skills and creativity of the participating colleges. Dr. Atul Kapoor, MD MNAMS, Director Advanced Diagnostics and Institute of Imaging, Amritsar was the chief guest & honored the winners teams with trophies. Prof. Preet Mohinder Singh Bedi, Dean Students' Welfare, and Dr. Amandeep Singh, Incharge Youth Welfare and teams were also present on this occasion.

Yajna organized in Swami Sharaddhanand Sr Sec School

DARSHAN SHARMA
NILOKHERI, NOV 6

On Monday, the students of Swami Shradddhanand Senior Secondary School run by Arya Samaj Mandir Nilokhedhi, were provided an opportunity to perform Yagya. The students of class XI and the students of class VI was present along with the school teacher. This Yagya was performed by the priest Dharmacharya of Arya Samaj, Dr. Surendra Kumar Shastri Yogacharya. In which Kawal Saluja Chhabra was present. After the Yagya, Arya Samaj's priest Dr. Surendra Kumar Shastri Yogacharya explained to the students and students and asked the children what was called religion and how many characteristics of religion were there. He told that what was religion? There were 10 characteristics and to live life,



humans should equip their life on the basis of ten religions so that they could attain respect and prestige in the society. A human being should be endowed with all the virtues. That man was worshiped everywhere because it has been mentioned in the scriptures that a scholar was revered everywhere. Along with a scholar, humility was also very important. If we protected religion, religion would protect us. He Explained to the children

what were the properties of water and how did it work? The religion of water was coolness, hence they all should have patience and stability in our life. We should do our work with patience and stability and should not hurt anyone. We should give in to someone's suffering, we should keep respecting our parents, virtues and teachers and should keep following the state, only then we will move towards progress and success in our life, says he.

Retired Wing Commander cheated in land purchase, Anil Vij instructs SP to register case

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
CHANDIGARH, NOV 6

Haryana Home and Health Minister Sh. Anil Vij today redresses to the problems of the people in Ambala today and gave directions to the officers for action. In the complaint, which was given by the retired Wing Commander from the Air Force told that he had purchased a plot of about 500 yards in Ambala Cantonment Defense Colony from a local property dealer. His allegation was that the property dealer fraudulently sold the plot to someone else. In this matter, Home Minister Anil Vij directed Ambala SP to investigate the matter and register the case. The owner of a place in Sonipat complained to Home Minister Anil Vij that he had negotiated to give his place on rent to someone else for setting up a factory. But the accused forcibly kept his belongings inside. His allegation was that despite complaining to the police, no action was taken in



the matter. On this, Home Minister Anil Vij instructed Sonipat Police Commissioner to form SIT and investigate the matter. On this occasion, Municipal Council Administrator and ADM Satindra Siwach, DSP Cantt Ashish Chaudhary and other officers were present. Similarly, a Dayalbagh resident told Home Minister Anil Vij that the agent cheated his son of about

Rs 4.5 lakh in the name of sending him to America. Home Minister instructed the officers of SIT constituted for immigration fraud cases to register a case. While giving a complaint, the woman who came from Sonipat alleged that the police has not yet arrested the accused in the murder case of her husband. Home Minister Anil Vij instructed Police Commissioner

Sonipat to take action. An army clerk posted in Jammu and resident of Faridabad complained to Home Minister Anil Vij that his wife married someone else without divorcing him. His allegation was that despite complaining to the police, no action was taken. Home Minister Anil Vij instructed Faridabad Police Commissioner to investigate. The woman, resident of village Behta, accused her husband and in-laws of harassing her, on which Minister instructed Ambala SP to take action. Similarly, a Karnal resident woman alleged that the accused were not arrested in the case of her husband's death. The woman told that a suicide note was recovered from her husband's pocket on which the names of the accused were also mentioned. Home Minister Anil Vij instructed SP Karnal to take action. Similarly, in other cases also, Home Minister Anil Vij directed the concerned officials to take action.

PU Hostellers Association meet organised



CS JOLLY CHANDIGARH: The Second Panjab University Hosteller Association Alumni Meet was organised at CGA, Sector 6, Chandigarh which was attended by over 300 hostellers from all over the world. Prominent among them were Dr Rupesh Kumar, Vice President, Adani Group, SK Setia, IAS; Lalit Siwach, IAS; A S Maluja, IPS; Sandeep Goyal, AIG; Kuljeet Singh Nagra, ex MLA; Anmol Rattan Sidhu, ex AG; A S Gujral, PCS; Jagjit Singh Jazz; Babbu Mann, Punjabi singer and actor; Dr Anshu Kataria, Chairman, Aryan Group of Colleges; Dr Gurpreet Singh, Chairman, Universal Group of Colleges; Arun Sharma, PCS; Praveen Bansal, GMI Group; Jasvinder Singh, Commandant, BSF Jalandhar. Earlier hostellers met at Students' Centre for lunch where they dipped into the nostalgia of yesteryears.

English Week organised in DAV Police Public School



RAHUL KOHLI JAGADHRI: While language is a medium to express our thoughts, feelings and emotions, it is also a means of acquiring new education. Whether the medium is Hindi or English, complete knowledge of the language is necessary to learn anything new. Keeping this in mind and with the aim of awakening interest in the English language among the students and making them understand the difficulties of the language, English Week was celebrated in DAV Police Public School in which many activities were organised throughout the week from class 3rd to 10th such as Lecture, speech and debate competitions were organised. These competitions were organised under the leadership of English subject teachers Shweta Gupta, Gurpreet Kaur and Sonia. In the group from class 3rd to 5th, Akshit of class 3rd stood first, Arpit stood second, Naira and Kritika of class 3rd and Avneet Kaur of class 5th were third.

Indra Colony Kalayat residents appeal to CM for installation of street lights



SATISH SETH
KALAYAT, NOV 6

Residents of Indra Colony of Kalayat Town have written a letter to the Chief Minister requesting him to order installation of street lights in their area. Surendra Vaid, Rajkumar, Inder Singh, Vinod, Kamla, Pala Ram, Kelo etc. told that due to lack of street lights in Indra Colony, especially the elderly, women and children are facing a lot of problems. Surendra Vaid said that due to darkness at night, many incidents of theft have taken place in the colony. He said that regarding this issue, they have submitted written requests to the municipality several times

requesting for the installation of street lights. But till date no action has been taken to address their problems. Pala Ram Prajapati said that as soon as sun sets there is complete darkness in the colony and one has to face a lot of difficulty in commuting during night time. Kamla, Kelo Devi etc. said that although people from almost all communities live in Indra Colony, people from Valmiki community are in large numbers among them. Both men and women of this society have to work as laborers to run their families. Women who come late at night after working as laborers in the market have to face a lot of problems due to the darkness prevailing in the colony.

National seminar on cyber crime and AI organized at Rayat Bahra Law College

DALJEET AJNOHA HOSHIARPUR: A one day national seminar was organized at Rayat Bahra Law College. The topic of the seminar was: Defending the Digital Realm: Cyber-Crime and Artificial Intelligence. On this occasion, Inspector Chamkaur Singh, Sub-Inspector Parminder Singh and Cyber Forensics expert Chanik Goyal of Cyber Cell of Punjab Police Academy Phillaur participated as guests. On this occasion, Campus Director Dr. Chander Mohan and College Principal Dr. Rang Nath Singh welcomed the guests who came to participate in the seminar. Addressing the students on this occasion, Inspector Chamkaur Singh said that cyber crime has become a big problem in these times and it is increasing rapidly. Artificial Intelligence (AI) is also used by people to increase the speed in science and technology. AI can be used to encourage cyber crimes and streamline its process. He said that artificial intelligence can help in identifying and analyzing cyber attacks. This can help in understanding the patterns and activities of cyber criminals. On this occasion, Campus Director and College Principal honored the guests who came to participate in the seminar by giving mementoes from Rayat Bahra Group. In the end, Dr. Priyanka Puri thanked all the guests who came to the seminar. On this occasion, the seminar was co-ordinated by Assistant Prof. Kavya Bhatia and Assistant Prof. Dr. Kalpana Thakur.



MLA Kalyan visits Ward No. 6 with corporation officials



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
GHARAUNDA/KARNAL, NOV 6

Gharaunda MLA Harvindra Kalyan on Monday inspected various development works mentioned by the villagers of village Kambopura along with the corporation officials. Kalyan, taking the demands of the people of village Kambopura seriously, announced many development works to be done in the future like community centre, phirni, streets, drain along the service lane, culvert near Samsan Ghat, park on the green belt. Also inspected the underpass, street light, suitable places for Mahila Chaupal on the highway and the under construction Valmiki Chaupal and STP. The villagers also put forward the problem of water logging during heavy

rains in front of the MLA. On which the MLA instructed the corporation officials present to find a proper solution to the problem of water logging, so that people can get rid of the water filling their houses during the rainy season. MLA Kalyan told the villagers that every task becomes easier with mutual coordination and cooperation. Therefore, mutual coordination is necessary in any social or development work. He said that Chief Minister Manohar Lal is solving many problems of the state including development works without any discrimination, after understanding them closely, so that the eligible candidates get the benefits of every scheme without any problem and there is all-round development in the state.

AAP district head Thakur Amit Singh Mantu inaugurates games



players from different blocks participated with great enthusiasm in these sports matches. On this occasion, Thakur Amit Singh Mantu, while congratulating and encouraging the children, said that in whatever field the talented students of government primary schools step into, they make their schools, teachers and family proud with their hard work, dedication and talent. Elevate with respect. He inspired the

children to progress in every field. The refreshments for the children were arranged by Innerwheel Club Greater Pathankot. Giving information regarding the results, Deputy District Education Officer DG Singh said that in the 100 meter girls race, Tanisha stood first, Janvi second, Radhika third, in the 100 meter girls race Vivek stood first, Mandeep stood second and Sobita stood third.

Section 144 imposed in 14 districts of NCR to deal with pollution

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

KARNAL: Air pollution is going out of control in Haryana including Delhi. Regarding this, the Pollution Control Board has issued instructions to implement Group 4 rules with immediate effect in all the districts of NCR. In many districts of the state, the air quality standard has gone above 300, which can prove to be quite harmful for health. To deal with this situation, the government has imposed Section 144 in 14 districts of the state and has issued instructions to strictly enforce air pollution control standards. Only BS6 vehicles are being allowed entry in Delhi and entry of BS4 vehicles has been completely stopped. Regional Officer, Haryana Pollution Control Board, Shailendra Arora said that the revised GRAP instructions have been implemented with immediate effect in all NCR districts of Haryana and its compliance should be ensured by all agencies/departments/officials concerned. Further, fire incidents should be immediately extinguished by the fire department whenever they come to the notice of any such incident. Complaints on Sameer App will be resolved immediately without any delay. Instructions for effective implementation have been issued to all concerned departments and the nodal officer of the concerned department will be responsible to ensure implementation of the instructions issued in this regard.

Forms filled regarding making votes of SGPC at Bajakhana



JAGDEEP SINGH GILL

JAITO: Regarding the Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee elections at Bajakhana, great enthusiasm is being shown among Gursikh families and Sikh youths to vote. Giving information in this regard, panthak leader Kulwant Singh Khalsa Bajakhana said that forms were being filled in the presence of Patwari Manpreet Singh to make new votes for Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee elections at Gurdwara Ramsar Sahib of Bajakhana. For which Gursikh families and Sikh youths have expressed happiness about the elections taking place after almost 12 years and making new votes. On this occasion, Patwari Manpreet Singh said that the last date for casting votes for Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee elections is November 15. Therefore, he appealed and said that the votes of proven Sikh youth and Gursikh, Amritdhari families will be made. On this occasion, he gave special thanks to Kulwant Singh Khalsa, Sukhdev Singh Khalsa, Gurmial Singh Khalsa and Jagga Singh Khalsa and said that they are doing good services to make people aware of Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee to make maximum votes.



sent off the bus. During this time, a glimpse of happiness was visible on the faces of all the villagers. The villagers expressed their heartfelt gratitude to Chief Minister Manohar Lal and praised him openly. On the first day, about 65 students of the village boarded the bus and went to their school. The GM Haryana Roadways Karnal Kuldeep Singh said that as per the instructions of the Chief Minister, this bus service will run continuously for the students. This bus service has been started under the Student Transport Security Scheme. This bus will reach the village at 7 am every day except holidays.

Bus service starts from village Ratangarh for school children

DR. ASHOK KUMAR

KARNAL: A day earlier, during the public dialogue program, Chief Minister Manohar Lal had promised the residents of Ratangarh village that a roadways bus would be run from the village to Premnagar. As per the promise of Chief Minister Manohar Lal, the roadways bus reached Ratangarh on Monday morning and reached Premnagar with school children. The villagers sent off the bus amidst slogans of Bharat Mata Ki Jai and Chief Minister Manohar Lal Zindabad.

It is noteworthy that during the public dialogue in Ratangarh village, a student had demanded to run roadways bus to go to school till Premnagar. After this, Chief Minister Manohar Lal had announced to run buses from Monday itself. Village Sarpanch Manjeet told that the roadways bus had reached the village at 7 a.m. After this, all the children going to Premnagar of Karnal boarded the bus one by one and with cheers the bus was sent to Karnal. Sarpanch Manjeet broke the coconut and

In order to clear extra rush of passengers during Deepawali and Chhath Puja Festivals, Northern Railway, in association with other zonal railway, has planned to run the following Festival Special

Trains as per schedule given below:-

LIST OF FESTIVAL SPECIAL TRAINS ORIGINATING/TERMINATING IN NORTHERN RAILWAY							
Spl. Train No.	Station From	Dept. Time	Station to	Arr. Time	Frequency / Day	Period	
03258	Patna Jn	22:20	Anand Vihar Terminal	18:00	Bimonthly	Thursday, Sunday	23.11.2023 to 10.12.2023
03256	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:30	Patna Jn	17:20		Friday, Monday	24.11.2023 to 11.12.2023
02391	Patna Jn	22:20	Anand Vihar Terminal	15:00	Weekly	Saturday	25.11.2023 to 09.12.2023
02392	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:30	Patna Jn	17:20		Sunday	26.11.2023 to 10.12.2023
03635	Gaya Jn	14:15	Anand Vihar Terminal	05:00	Bimonthly	Mon, Wed, Fri	20.11.2023 to 08.12.2023
03636	Anand Vihar Terminal	07:00	Gaya Jn	20:45		Tue, Thu, Sat	21.11.2023 to 09.12.2023
05557	Jaynagar	06:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	05:00	Weekly	Tuesday	21.11.2023 to 05.12.2023
05558	Anand Vihar Terminal	07:30	Jaynagar	06:30		Wednesday	22.11.2023 to 06.12.2023
04678	Firozpur Cantt Jn	13:25	Patna Jn	17:00	Weekly	Wednesday	upto 29.11.2023
04677	Patna Jn	18:45	Firozpur Cantt Jn	22:40		Thursday	upto 30.11.2023
04012	New Delhi	19:20	Derbhanga Jn	16:45	Bimonthly	Tue, Friday	07.11.2023 to 28.11.2023
04011	Derbhanga Jn	18:00	New Delhi	16:40		Wednesday Saturday	08.11.2023 to 29.11.2023
04516	Chandigarh	23:15	Gorakhpur	18:20	Weekly	Thursday	upto 30.11.2023
04517	Gorakhpur	22:05	Chandigarh	14:10		Friday	upto 01.12.2023
04530	Bhatinda Jn	20:55	Varanasi Jn	17:30	Bimonthly	Sunday, Wednesday	Upto 29.11.2023
04529	Varanasi Jn	20:40	Bhatinda Jn	19:10		Monday, Thursday	Upto 30.11.2023
04060	Anand Vihar Terminal	10:30	Jaynagar	15:15	Bimonthly	Tuesday, Friday	07.11.2023 to 28.11.2023
04059	Jaynagar	17:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	19:55		Wednesday, Sat	08.11.2023 to 29.11.2023
04488	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:15	Gorakhpur	14:00	Weekly	Saturday	Upto 25.11.2023
04487	Gorakhpur	17:25	Anand Vihar Terminal	10:40		Sunday	Upto 26.11.2023
04010	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:45	Jogbani	09:20	Weekly	Tuesday	07.11.2023 to 28.11.2023
04009	Jogbani	09:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	16:05		Thursday	09.11.2023 to 30.11.2023
01684	Anand Vihar Terminal	11:10	Sahasra Jn	11:20	Weekly	Monday	upto 27.11.2023
01683	Sahasra Jn	14:30	Anand Vihar Terminal	13:55		Tuesday	upto 28.11.2023
03257	Danapur	07:30	Anand Vihar Terminal	00:30	Weekly	Sunday	26.11.2023 to 10.12.2023
03258	Anand Vihar Terminal	05:00	Danapur	20:45		Monday	27.11.2023 to 11.12.2023
05577	Sahasra Jn	19:10	Ambala Cantt Jn	23:15	Weekly	Friday	24.11.2023 to 08.12.2023
05578	Ambala Cantt Jn	03:40	Sahasra Jn	09:45		Sunday	26.11.2023 to 10.12.2023
05531	Raxaul Jn	22:25	Anand Vihar Terminal	18:00	Weekly	Sunday	26.11.2023 to 10.12.2023
05532	Anand Vihar Terminal	20:00	Raxaul Jn	14:30		Monday	27.11.2023 to 11.12.2023
05273	Muzaffarpur Jn	18:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	11:00	Bimonthly	Wednesday, Saturday	22.11.2023 to 09.12.2023
05274	Anand Vihar Terminal	13:25	Muzaffarpur Jn	07:00		Thursday, Sunday	23.11.2023 to 10.12.2023
05005	Gorakhpur	14:40	Amritsar Jn	09:30	Weekly	Friday	upto 01.12.2023
05006	Amritsar Jn	12:45	Gorakhpur	08:50		Saturday	upto 02.12.2023
04049	New Delhi	23:30	Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Katra	11:25	Bimonthly	Monday, Saturday	upto 27.11.2023
04050	Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Katra	18:30	New Delhi	06:25		Tuesday, Sunday	upto 28.11.2023
04080	New Delhi	19:20	Varanasi Jn	09:45	Bimonthly	Mon, Thu, Sat	Upto 30.11.2023
04079	Varanasi Jn	18:35	New Delhi	09:00		Tue, Fri, Sun	07.11.2023 to 01.12.2023
01694	Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Katra	23:20	Varanasi Jn	23:55	Weekly	Sunday	upto 26.11.2023
01693	Varanasi Jn	06:20	Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Katra	11:20		Tuesday	upto 28.11.2023
04646	Jammu Tawi	05:45	Barauni Jn	12:10	Weekly	Thursday	upto 30.11.2023
04645	Barauni Jn	15:15	Jammu Tawi	22:30		Friday	upto 01.12.2023
04048	Anand Vihar Terminal	15:30	Katihar Jn.	15:00	Bimonthly	Wed, Sat, Tue, Fri	08, 11, 14 & 17.11.2023
04047	Katihar Jn.	18:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	17:50		Thu, Sun, Wed, Sat	09, 12, 15 & 18.11.2023
04052	Anand Vihar Terminal	22:45	Sahasra Jn.	03:30	Bimonthly	Wed, Sat, Tue, Fri	08, 11, 14 & 17.11.2023
04051	Sahasra Jn.	07:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	10:30		Fri, Mon, Thu, Sun	10, 13, 16 & 19.11.2023
04058	Anand Vihar Terminal	08:30	Jaynagar	07:00	Bimonthly	Thu, Sun, Wed, Sat	09, 12, 15 & 18.11.2023
04057	Jaynagar	11:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	10:00		Fri, Mon, Thu, Sun	10, 13, 16 & 19.11.2023
04066	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:00	Patna Jn.	16:00	Bimonthly	Monday, Thursday	Upto 30.11.2023
04065	Patna Jn.	17:45	Anand Vihar Terminal	10:35		Tuesday, Friday	07.11.2023 to 01.12.2023
04082	Delhi Jn.	08:05	Barauni Jn.	06:30	Weekly	Sunday	Upto 26.11.2023
04061	Barauni Jn.	08:00	Delhi Jn.	05:50		Monday	Upto 27.11.2023
01676	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:15	Muzaffarpur Jn.	21:15	Bimonthly	Monday, Thursday	Upto 30.11.2023
01675	Muzaffarpur Jn.	23:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:30		Tuesday, Friday	07.11.2023 to 01.12.2023
01678	New Delhi	06:10	Gaya Jn.	00:30	Bimonthly	Monday, Friday	Upto 27.11.2023
01677	Gaya Jn.	07:35	New Delhi	23:35		Tuesday, Saturday	07.11.2023 to 28.11.2023
02250 (Unreserved Festival Spl.)	New Delhi	19:10	Patna Jn.	07:30	Bimonthly	Fri, Mon, Wed, Fri	10, 13, 15 & 17.11.2023
02249 (Unreserved Festival Spl.)	Patna Jn.	09:00	New Delhi	21:00		Sat, Tue, Thu, Sat	11, 14, 16 & 18.11.2023
04002	Anand Vihar Terminal	23:55	Patna Jn.	15:45	Bimonthly	Fri, Sat, Mon, Tue, Thu	10, 11, 13, 14 & 16.11.2023
04001	Patna Jn.	18:45	Anand Vihar Terminal	10:20		Sat, Sun, Tue, Wed, Fri	11, 12, 14, 15 & 17.11.2023
04022	New Delhi	15:30	Sahasra Jn.	16:30	Bimonthly	Fri, Sat, Mon, Tue, Thu	10, 11, 13, 14 & 16.11.2023
04021	Sahasra Jn.	19:00	New Delhi	20:20		Sat, Sun, Tue, Wed, Fri	11, 12, 14, 15 & 17.11.2023
05283	Muzaffarpur Jn.	18:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	11:00	Bimonthly	Wed, Sat	11.11.2023 to 18.12.2023
05284	Anand Vihar Terminal	13:25	Muzaffarpur Jn.	07:00		Thursday, Sunday	12.11.2023 to 19.12.2023
02252 (Vande Bharat Festival Spl.)	New Delhi	07:25	Patna Jn.	19:00	Bimonthly	Sat, Tue, Thu	11, 14 & 16.11.2023
02251 (Vande Bharat Festival Spl.)	Patna Jn.	07:30	New Delhi	19:00		Sun, Wed, Fri	12, 15 & 17.11.2023
09097	Bandra Terminus	21:50	Jammu Tawi	08:35	Weekly	Sunday	12.11.2023 to 26.11.2023
09098	Jammu Tawi	23:20	Bandra Terminus	10:10		Tuesday	14.11.2023 to 28.11.2023
09523	Okha	10:00	Delhi Sarai Rohilla	10:10	Weekly	Tuesday	upto 28.11.2023
09524	Delhi Sarai Rohilla	13:20	Okha	13:50		Wednesday	upto 29.11.2023
03435	Malda Town	09:30	Anand Vihar Terminal	12:30	Weekly	Monday	13, 20 & 27.11.2023
03436	Anand Vihar Terminal	18:30	Malda Town	23:30		Tuesday	14, 21 & 28.11.2023
02246 (Vande Bharat Festival Spl.)	New Delhi	23:45	Patna Jn.	15:50	Bimonthly	Fri, Sat, Sun, Wed, Thu, Fri	10, 11, 14, 15, 16 & 17.11.23
02245 (Vande Bharat Festival Spl.)	Patna Jn.	19:00	New Delhi	10:30		Sat, Sun, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat	11, 12, 15, 16, 17 & 18.11.23
04484 (Vande Bharat Festival Spl.)	Anand Vihar Terminal	06:30	Lucknow	18:00	Bimonthly	Friday	10.11.2023
04483 (Vande Bharat Festival Spl.)	Lucknow	06:45	Anand Vihar Terminal	18:15		Sunday	12.11.2023
04498	Anand Vihar Terminal	08:30	Varanasi Jn.	23:30	Bimonthly	Saturday	11.11.2023
04497	Varanasi Jn.	04:00	Anand Vihar Terminal	19:10		Sunday	12.11.2023
05734	Katihar	07:50	Amritsar	00:05	Weekly	Saturday	Upto 25.11.2023
05733	Amritsar	12:45	Katihar	03:30		Monday	Upto 27.11.2023
04525	Sahasra Jn.	19:00	Ambala Cantt.	22:20	Bimonthly	Thu, Sun, Wed, Sat	09, 12, 15 & 18.11.2023
04527	Sahasra Jn.	19:00	Ambala Cantt.	22:20		Fri, Tue, Fri, Mon	10, 14, 17 & 20.11.2023
04526	Sirhind	11:25	Sahasra Jn.	16:00	Bimonthly	Wed, Sat, Tue, Fri	08, 11, 14 & 17.11.2023
04528	Sirhind	11:25	Sahasra Jn.	16:00		Thu, Mon, Thu, Sun	09, 13, 16 & 19.11.2023
02260	New Delhi	18:15	Bhagalpur	15:15	Bimonthly	Tue, Fri	14 & 17.11.2023
02259	Bhagalpur	20:00	New Delhi	17:00		Wed, Sat	15 & 18.11.2023
04490	New Delhi	19:35	Derbhanga	16:45	Bimonthly	Wed, Sat	08, 11, 15 & 18.11.2023
04489	Derbhanga	18:00	New Delhi	18:40		Thu, Sun	09, 12, 16 & 19.11.2023
04115	Prayagraj Jn.	21:25	Anand Vihar (T)	08:15	Bimonthly	Tue, Thu, Fri	09, 14, 17, 21 & 23.11.23
04116	Anand Vihar (T)	10:15	Prayagraj Jn.	20:00		Wed, Fri, Sat	10, 15, 18, 22 & 24.11.23
05023	Gorakhpur Jn.	20:55	Delhi Jn.	12:30	Weekly	Sunday	Upto 03.12.2023
05024	Delhi Jn.	14:30	Gorakhpur Jn.	07:30		Monday	Upto 04.12.2023
05115	Chhapra	17:45	Anand Vihar (T)	11:50	Weekly	Wednesday	08.11.2023 to 29.11.2023
05116	Anand Vihar (T)	14:45	Chhapra	09:30		Thursday	09.11.2023 to 30.11.2023
05306	Lal Kuan	22:00	Chhapra	07:10	Bimonthly	Tue, Wed, Fri, Sun	07.11.2023 to 29.12.2023
05305	Chhapra	08:55	Lal Kuan	18:00		Wed, Thu, Sat, Mon	08.11.2023 to 30.12.2023
04006	Delhi Jn.	23:05	Jaynagar	23:45	Bimonthly	Thu, Sun, Wed	09, 12, & 15.11.23
04005	Jaynagar	01:30	Delhi Jn.	01:00		Sat, Tue, Fri	11, 14, & 17.11.23
04004 (Unreserved Festival Spl.)	New Delhi	00:10	Sitamarhi	23:30	Bimonthly	Sat, Tue, Fri	11, 14, & 17.11.23
04003 (Unreserved Festival Spl.)	Sitamarhi	02:00	New Delhi	01:30		Sun, Wed, Sat	12, 15, & 18.11.23

Randeep Hooda to marry Lin Laishram in November?

YUGMARG, CHANDIGARH, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2023

GLAMOUR

Actors Randeep Hooda and Lin Laishram are expected to seal their relationship by taking the wedding vows soon. If a source is to be believed, Randeep and Lin will tie the knot this month. However, the official announcement from the actors' end is awaited. Even though Randeep and Lin never confirmed their relationship in public, the two often post pictures of each other on social media. In October 2022, Randeep seemingly made his relationship Instagram official with Lin. On Diwali, Randeep took to Instagram and shared photos with Lin and his parents. In one of the images, Randeep and Lin are seen holding diyas in their hands. Sharing the photos, Randeep wrote, "Love and light to all around the world#happydiwali #diwali2022" In August 2023, Lim added fuel to her



dating rumours with Randeep by posting an adorable birthday wish for the 'Sarabjit' star. Lin took to Instagram to wish Randeep with a caption, "Happy birthday my hot fudge." Lin made her Bollywood debut in 2007 with the film 'Om Shanti Om' in which she gave a cameo appearance as Om

Kapoor's friend. She has appeared in other Bollywood films including Mary Kom (2014) as Bem, Umrika (2015) as Udai's wife, Rangoon (2017) as Mema, Qaidi Band (2017), and Axone (2019) as Chanbi. Meanwhile, on the work front, Randeep will be seen in the film 'Swatantra Veer Savarkar'. The project is a biopic of freedom fighter Vinayak Damodar Savarkar, popularly known as Veer Savarkar. Directed and co-written by Randeep Hooda with Utkarsh Naithani, the film is produced by Anand Pandit Motion Pictures and Randeep Hooda Films with Legend Studios and Avak Films. 'Pavitra Rishta' fame Ankita Lokhande will be seen opposite Randeep in the film. Vinayak Damodar Savarkar was born on 28 May 1883 in Maharashtra's Nashik. He was a freedom fighter, politician, lawyer, and writer. Savarkar is known for coining the term 'Hindutva'.

Tamannaah Bhatia oozes Diwali patakha vibes in shimmery saree

Diwali is around the corner, and our Bollywood actresses are super excited to celebrate the festival with zeal. Actor Tamannaah Bhatia on Sunday shared a glimpse of her festive look. Taking to Instagram, Tamannaah treated fans with a series of pictures from her traditional Diwali look. Tamannaah opted for a blue halter neck blouse and draped a shimmer style blue, purple-hued saree. For glam, she opted for minimal makeup and glossy lip. Her wavy hair definitely accentuated her ethnic look. Sharing the picture, she wrote, "When mithai & patakha had a babyHappy Diwali everyone" As soon as the pictures were uploaded, the fans and followers flooded the section. One of the users wrote, "This pic is lit " "She's now a blue moon," another user commented. Apart from work life, Tamannaah has been making headlines for being in a relationship with actor Vijay Varma. Recently, Tamannaah and Vijay added a dash of love to Jio World Plaza launch with their romantic chemistry. The duo walked on the ramp together for Abraham and Thakore at The New Order of Style showcase, held to celebrate the launch of Jio World Plaza in Mumbai.

Salman Khan arrives in style at Manish Malhotra's Diwali bash

Bollywood superstar Salman Khan graced Manish Malhotra's Diwali bash in style. He was dressed in a pair of black cargo pants, a plain grey t-shirt and black shoes. He posed for the cameras with a smile and appreciated the love that the photographers were showering on him. At the recently hosted Diwali party by Manish Malhotra, several stars including Farhan Akhtar, Shibani Dandekar, Madhuri Dixit, Sara Ali Khan, Rhea Chakraborty, Suraj Pancholi, Sakshi Dhoni, Aditya Thackeray, Meezan Jaffrey, Sobhita Dhulipala, Radhika Madan, Fatima Sana Shaikh, Freddy Daruwala, Janhvi Kapoor, Veer Pahariya, Shikhar Pahariya, Bhumi Pednekar, Pooja Hegde, Aishwarya Rai Bachchan, Arjun Kapoor, Ananya Panday, Chunky Panday, Sanya Malhotra, Raveena Tandon, Rasha Thadani, Ekta Kapoor, Ibrahim Ali Khan were spotted at the event. Meanwhile, on the work front, Salman Khan and Katrina Kaif-starrer 'Tiger 3' is one of the most eagerly anticipated films of the year. The makers have increased the excitement of the fans by sharing a new promo that gives a glimpse of high-octane action sequences and a gripping face-off between Emraan Hashmi and Salman. In the promo, Emraan's character challenges Tiger and says, "Es baar tu harega Tiger, duniya ke nakshe se Hindustan ka vajood hi mita dunga."



Tujhe Yaad Na Meri Ayee-2: A 25-year celebration gift for all the 'Kuch Kuch Hota Hai' fans by B Praak and Jaani

CHANDIGARH: The superhit Bollywood film 'Kuch Kuch Hota Hai' which served as a landmark of being one of most celebrated Bollywood films, recently celebrated its25th anniversary.To celebrate this milestone of the Bollywood classic, the supremely talented B Praak, and Jaani have curated a reimaged version of the iconic song 'Tujhe Yaad Na Meri Ayeee'. 'Tujhe Yaad Na Meri Ayee-2'is poised to take listeners on an emotional journey down the memory lane, rekindling the cherished moments associated with the film. The heartfelt words of the song are written by Jaani and Sameer Anjaan, composed by Jatin-Lalit and sung exceptionally by B Praak. It beautifully captures the essence of the original, touching the hearts of fans across generations. This rendition pays homage to the enduring legacy of 'Kuch Kuch Hota Hai'.



The emotional music video for 'TujheYaad Na Meri Ayee-2'features the legendary trio of Shah Rukh Khan, Rani Mukherji, and Kajolwith scenes from the movie. Created with the vision of the wonderful filmmaker Karan Johar, the video serves as a heartfelt homage to the 25 years of cinematic magic that 'Kuch Kuch Hota Hai' has brought to audiences around the world. Filmmaker Karan Johar shared his sentiments, stating,"Every first experience holds a unique place in one's heart, and 'Kuch Kuch Hota Hai' is a film that occupies a special corner of my heart. It's a movie that will forever remain my personal favourite, with each moment associated with it cherished as a precious memory. I can vividly recall the time when we were in the midst of creating the song, and at that moment, I could never have imagined all the love it receives until this day. When I first heard B Praak and Jaani's rendition of'Tujhe Yaad Na Meri Ayee-2' it took me back and I was spellbound. I adore the song and believe our audiences will do the same." Reflecting on his latest release, B Praak expressed his excitement, saying,"Tujhe Yaad Na Meri Ayee-2is my homage to the enduring legacy of the beloved film, 'Kuch Kuch Hota Hai.' Through the song, I've strived to preserve that essence. I can hardly contain my enthusiasm for audiences to experience this track and relive the golden era, as I did." "The original track 'Tujhe Yaad Na Meri Ayeee', remains an emotional masterpiece, sending shivers down the spine even today. Contributing to such an evergreen gem was a dream come true. Collaborating with the versatile and gifted singer BPraak again on this masterpiece was an experience I shall treasure forever," added Jaani.

Krishna Kaul and Manit Joura's power-packed performances at Zee TV's 'Rishton Ki Deepavali' cannot be missed!

CHANDIGARH : Zee TV is all set to delight its viewers with exclusive Diwali content this festive season as the Luthra family of Kundali Bhagya turns host to the entire Zee Kutumb for a grand celebration, an unforgettable Diwali gala. The festivities will be brimming with joy, dance, and endless fun! Be sure not to miss this special episode titled 'Rishton Ki Deepavali,' airing on November 7th at 09:30 pm, exclusively on Zee TV. While all the performances by the Zee Kutumb stars will blow your mind away, the power packed performance by the boys- Krishna Kaul a.k.a. Ranbir and Manit Joura a.k.a. Rishabh to the songs Gujju Pataka, Heart Throb, Yentamma and Naatu Naatu will get everyone grooving. The two dashing heartthrobs in coordinated floral outfits, dancing with aplomb will have their female fans swooning. Despite having limited time to rehearse, they truly owned the stage with their infectious energy and inimitable style. Krishna Kaul said, "It's really fun whenever the Zee Kutumb comes together to celebrate any festival. I really enjoyed performing with Manit and we have really set the stage on fire with our performance, I am sure the audience will love it. We don't meet often, but Manit and I have great camaraderie off-screen, which automatically translates into our on-screen performance. We had just one day to learn the entire choreography and kept practicing it on our own until we performed it together on the stage. I am really looking forward to fans seeing our energetic performance on stage." As the anticipation for this grand Diwali event builds, the Zee Kutumb promises an evening full of heartfelt emotions, surprises, and joy! Altogether, the viewers will have fun watching Zee Kutumb having a blast, dancing and celebrating joyously at this special Diwali event. This year's 'Rishton ki Deepawali' episode will definitely be a feast for the senses: Good is expected to triumph over evil once again, but what lies ahead? Will Nidhi be able to escape Preeta's wrath? Can Preeta reveal the truth about Nidhi's attempt to kill Srishiti?



COLORS joins forces with the Ministry of Women and Child Development to support the 'Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao' initiative to bring societal change

CHANDIGARH : India's leading Hindi GEC, today announced its collaboration with the Ministry of Women and Child Development's 'Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao' initiative, to address the issue of girl child abandonment, through the launch of its new fiction show Doree. Television as a medium has played a huge role in holding a mirror to society and led to many women becoming agents of change. With an aim to bring societal change and address the gender bias against girl child, through this association COLORS aims to raise awareness about the social evil of girl child abandonment. In addition to launching a primetime show on the subject, as part of this association, COLORS will promote the 24-hour emergency toll free Childline India helpline number (1098) for those seeking assistance for any abandoned girl child across the nation. Doree, airing every Monday to Friday at 9:00pm on COLORS, aims to generate popular conversation and thereby raise awareness on the issue of girl child abandonment. Hon'ble Smt. Smriti Irani, Minister of Women and Child Development and Minority Affairs says, "Just as a nation's progress is defined by how it treats its women and children, similarly entertainment's impact is defined by how it can change mindsets. Under the guidance of our honourable PM Shri Narendra Modi, the Ministry of Women and Child Development has made great strides through the 'Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao' initiative in changing the way girl child is perceived. I'm glad that our country's foremost entertainment channel COLORS has joined in this initiative to create a show, Doree on the important but often overlooked issue of girl child abandonment. The channel will be raising awareness of our Childline India 1098 helpline amongst viewers and provide the much-needed popular support to this initiative." Kevin Vaz, CEO – Broadcast Entertainment, Viacom18, says, "We are honoured to be partnering with the Ministry of Women and Child Development to raise awareness about the prevalent issue of girl child abandonment through our new show, Doree and the 'Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao' initiative. As the country's most watched primetime entertainment destination, joining forces with the ministry to promote the Childline helpline number through our show is poised to catalyse meaningful behavioural change in society."

