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Ab ki baar 400 paar': BJP's new slogan for LS 2024 polls

NEW DELHI: The BJP, in its meeting on Thursday, has decided on a new slogan, 'Teesri baar Modi Sarkar, ab ki baar 400 paar' for the upcoming Lok Sabha polls, party sources said. The BJP held a meeting on Thursday which was chaired by National President JP Nadda. In a meeting that went on for more than TWO hours, Union Minister Bhupendra Yadav, Union Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw, Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma, General Secretary Tarun Chugh, General Secretary Sunil Bansal were present.

Over 1 crore people screened for sickle cell disease

NEW DELHI: More than one crore people have been screened for sickle cell disease under the National Sickle Cell Anaemia Elimination Mission since its launch by Prime Minister Narendra Modi in July last year, an official said on Tuesday. The programme aims to eliminate sickle cell disease in India, particularly among the country's tribal population in 17 high prevalence states, by 2047. The focus is on 278 districts of 17 states with higher prevalence of the disease -- Gujarat, Maharashtra, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, West Bengal, Odisha, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Assam, Uttar Pradesh, Kerala, Bihar and Uttarakhand.

BSF jawan injured in militant attack in Manipur, condition stable

NEW DELHI: The Border Security Force (BSF) jawan injured in an attack by militants in Manipur's Moreh on Tuesday is stable and has been shifted to the Regional Institute of Medical Sciences (RIMS) in Imphal. Four police commandos and one Border Security Force (BSF) jawan were reported injured on Tuesday in an ambush attack by militants in Manipur's Moreh town. A senior BSF officer informed that the injured jawan has been shifted to RIMS, where he is undergoing treatment, and his condition is stable. "The injured jawan was on picket duty when the attack happened. He suffered injuries along with state police commandos.

Transporters stage protests across country against new hit-and-run law

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, JAN 2

Several transporters and auto-driver associations across India are on protest against the new law on hit and Run incidents. Under the Bharatiya Nyay Sanhita (BNS), which replaced the Indian Penal Code, drivers who cause a serious road accident by negligent driving and run away without informing the police or any official from the administration can face punishment of up to 10 years or a fine of Rs 7 lakh. Earlier, the punishment in such cases was two years in the IPC. Private transport operators claim the law discourages drivers and may lead to unjust punishments. They claim that the drivers could be subject to mob violence when they attempt to transport the injured to hospitals and demand the repeal of the law.

On the protest by transport associations, and drivers against the new law on hit-and-run cases, All India Motor & Goods Transport Association President, Rajendra Kapoor said "Our only demand from the govt is that the decision should have been taken after having consultations with our stakeholders. There was no discussion with anyone on this, and no one was asked about this.



Chandigarh caps sale of fuel amid panic buying

CHANDIGARH: Amid an ongoing strike by fuel-tanker drivers against stricter punishments in hit-and-run cases in the new law, Chandigarh on Tuesday imposed a temporary restriction on the sale of petrol and diesel. Fuel pumps in several states have been witnessing massive queues amid apprehensions that the truckers' protest will hit supply. Effective immediately, two-wheelers in Chandigarh are limited to 2 litres or a maximum value of ₹ 200 of fuel, while four-wheelers are limited to 5 litres or a maximum value of ₹ 500. "The imposed limitations are a proactive measure to ensure the availability of fuel for all during this period of temporary disruption of fuel supply," the Chandigarh Administration said.

SC agrees to hear Himachal DGP Sanjay Kundu's plea against his removal

NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Tuesday agreed to hear the January 3 plea of Himachal Pradesh Director General of Police Sanjay Kundu, who challenged the High Court's order to shift him to another post to ensure that he doesn't influence the probe into the alleged harassment of Palampur businessman Nishant Sharma. A bench of Chief Justice of India DY Chandrachud and Justices JB Pardiwala and Manoj Misra agreed to hear the plea on January 3 after senior advocate Mukul Rohatgi, representing Kundu, sought urgent listing of the case. Rohatgi mentioned the matter today before the top court, saying the police officer was not heard by the High Court, which before passing the order on December 26, directed the state government to shift him. Rohatgi said, "According to the High Court, he (DGP) should be transferred out of his post in regard to some inquiry that is to be taken without hearing us."

'India has emerged as a new hope in the World': PM Modi

TIRUCHIRAPALLI : Asserting that India has emerged as a new hope in the World, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday said big investors are investing in the country. Speaking after inaugurating the New Terminal Building at Tiruchirapalli International Airport, here Modi said 'today India is among the top five economies. 'Today, India has emerged as a new hope in the World. Big investors are investing in the country and the people of Tamil Nadu and the Country are getting benefits from it. India is setting records in economic growth at a faster pace than major growing economies. The Prime Minister called upon the people for making India a developed nation in the next quarter century and said when we call it a developed nation, it includes economy and culture. I can see a great contribution in Tamil Nadu.

Japan Airlines aircraft catches fire at Airport; five dead

AGENCY
TOKYO, JAPAN, JAN 2

Five people were killed when a Japan Airlines plane burst into flames on the runway of Tokyo's Haneda Airport on Tuesday after apparently colliding with a coast guard aircraft, media reports said.

Images on broadcaster NHK showed the plane moving along the runway before a large explosion of orange flames exploded from beneath and behind it.

All 367 passengers and 12 crew onboard the Airbus plane were evacuated, NHK reported. Those onboard included eight children, Kyodo News reported.



The five killed were on board the coast guard aircraft.

NHK reported that one of the six crew members on the coast guard plane was safe but that the other five were unaccounted for. The cause of the incident was not immediately clear, but television

reports said that the Airbus collided with a coast guard aircraft. The Jiji news agency reported the coast guard plane was scheduled to leave to help with rescue efforts following a massive earthquake in central Japan on Monday. Reports said that the plane had just arrived from Sapporo airport on the northern Japanese island of Hokkaido. A coast guard official at Haneda Airport, one of the world's busiest, said they were "checking details". "It's not clear if there was a collision. But it is certain that our plane is involved," he told a news agency. JAL said the passenger plane either collided with the other aircraft on a runway or a taxiway after it touched down, Kyodo reported.

Adequate stock of petrol and diesel in state: Punjab CM

SHASHI PAL JAIN
CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

Acting on the directions of the Chief Minister, Sh Bhagwant Mann, a high level meeting involving senior state and district officials was convened to monitor the distribution of petrol in diesel in the State of Punjab.

Sharing the details with a section of mediapersons after the meeting, Gurkirat Kirpal Singh, Home Secretary, Punjab said that there was no need for the public to panic as adequate stock of Petrol and Diesel is available in the State. Against a daily consumption of about 4100 KL of petrol, the stock of petrol in various petrol pumps across the State is about 22,600 KL and the same shall be replenished from time to time, he said. Similarly the State consumes about 10000 KL of Diesel daily and the stocks with the Filling Stations is currently more than 30,000 KL, and 90000 KL is also available at various Terminals, he added. All the terminals

are connected through pipeline with the respective refineries and there's constant flow of petroleum products to these terminals

Commenting upon the media reports regarding acute shortage of petrol / diesel in certain Filling Stations, the Home Secretary said that at any point in time the stock is not uniformly positioned in all the Filling Stations. While certain Filling Stations may be at zero level others may have full stock and, therefore, the stock position of a few Filling Stations should not be used to reflect the position of total stocks in the State.

The Home Secretary appealed to the public to refrain from panic buying as they are putting themselves to unnecessary trouble in the cold weather.

During the meeting district officials were asked to remain vigilant and ensure smooth movement of petrol and diesel trucks across the state. They were also asked to have meetings with the section of striking transporters to facilitate redressal of their grievance.




Cold wave grips North, temperature dips further

NEW DELHI: There was no respite for North India from bone-chilling cold, as the region woke up to another icy morning on Tuesday, with the minimum temperature in the Ridge area of the national capital dropping below the freezing point, at -0.3°C. There were no signs of the prevailing cold wave slackening its hold on the national capital and vast swathes of North India, as Delhi's Safdarjung observatory recorded a minimum temperature of 1.4°C. The Palam observatory recorded the mercury at 1.2°C while Ayanagar logged 1.0°C at 8.30 am. With the mercury taking a downward shift, locals were pictured sitting around bonfires as the biting cold chilled them to the bone. Meanwhile, in keeping with the weather pattern of the last few days, dense fog shrouded the national capital and elsewhere in its neighbourhood on Tuesday, with the visibility reduced significantly in isolated pockets of Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Punjab, Uttarakhand, Rajasthan, and Madhya Pradesh, the India Meteorological Department (IMD) informed.

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Sunil Garg & Parveen (Son & Daughter-in-Law)
Saroj Bala & Late. Naresh Goyal (Daughter & Son-in-Law)
Rinki Jain, Neha Bansal, Shweta Bansal, Sumedha Garg, Abhishek Garg,
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Efforts will be intensified to enhance sports infrastructure: Hry CM

BUREAU
CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

Haryana, having carved its own niche on the national and international sports stage, is set to enhance sports infrastructure across every village. This initiative aims to foster the athletic potential of young individuals from an early age. Chief Minister Sh Manohar Lal has directed the formulation of a comprehensive plan to establish specialized high power performance centers dedicated to training youth in specific sports based on regional preferences.

These centers will provide exclusive training in a single sport, enabling youth to excel in their chosen discipline based on their interests. The objective is to empower the youth to bring pride and recognition to the



state and the nation on the global sports arena.

The Chief Minister was presiding over a meeting with officials from the Sports Department to discuss the roadmap for developing new sports infrastructure in Haryana here today.

Sh Manohar Lal said that the state government is committed to strengthening the sports infrastructure across all

regions. Recognizing the significance of providing training in sports popular within each area, he instructed the establishment of sports nurseries in villages based on the demand and preferences for specific sports to build a strong foundation for children from an early age.

He further directed the Sports Department and Panchayat Department to collaboratively map the sports infrastructure developed in villages. This comprehensive mapping will ensure that infrastructure is systematically developed in alignment with the specific needs of each area. In addition, he instructed the teams to compile and map the demands submitted by the public through Jan Samvad Portal, Gram Darshan, and Nagar Darshan Portal for facilities such as stadiums, mini stadiums, sports nur-

series, or other institutions in their respective areas.

The Chief Minister stressed the need to encourage medal-winning players employed under the Outstanding Sportsperson Policy to establish and operate sports nurseries, thereby fostering talented youth in their respective sports. He instructed the Sports Department to compile a comprehensive list of sportspersons, including both prominent and emerging athletes. Recognizing the challenges faced by players at smaller levels in accessing major tournaments, he affirmed the government's commitment to providing equal opportunities for such players to progress and ensuring that no skilled athlete is overlooked. Special emphasis will be placed on providing training to these players based on their respective sports.

I, Sukhdev Singh S/o Mukhtyar Singh R/o Mahadev Paschim Vihar Colony , Patti Afgan , Kaithal (haryana) Declares That In My Documents My Father's Name Is Mukhtiyar Singh. But My Father's Real Name Was Mukhtyar Singh. Concerned Please Note.

84451
I, A. No 16015430-K, Rank L/Hav, Name:Sutariya Jayesh Kumar Vasantbhai S/O Sh. Sutariya Vasantbhai Amblal, serving in 09 Raj Rif C/O 56 APO , do hereby solemnly affirm and declare that name of my son in army records is written as 'Vrundakar Vihan' which is wrong, correct name of my son is 'Sutariya Vihan Jayeshkumar'. All concerned note it.

400015
I, Poonam Bala, W/o Ashwani Kumar R/o VPO. Narot Mehra, Tehsil & District Pathankot, Punjab have changed my name Poonam Bala to Poonam. Please note all.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I Sunil Bala W/o Late Sh. Ram Parkash R/o House no.369/8/5, Vaishno Colony, New Sabzi Mandi, Ludhiana declares that my son Rahul Punani and his wife Nancy Badhan are out of my control. I disown both of them from my all moveable and immoveable properties. I shall not be responsible if anybody deals with them.

63372
I, Balwinder Kaur W/o Gurdeep Singh R/o Vill: Chaswal Teh-Nabha (Patiala) Pb, India, declare that in my daughter's Rajwinder Kaur Passport No. S 6051180 my name wrongly mentioned Gurvinder Kaur and my all documents my name is Balwinder Kaur. I have known by both names Gurvinder Kaur and Balwinder Kaur one and the same person.

63372
I, Jugraj Singh S/o Bachiter Singh R/o Vill Khabe Rajputa Teh Baba Bakala Sahib (Amritsar), declare in my passport my name written as Jugraj Singh, but now I want to register my surname as Singh and place of name in the passport and record as Jagraj.

63372
I, GOURAV Son of KULWINDER SINGH holder of Indian passport no. R9208392 issued at JALANDHAR on 12/05/2018 permanent resident of VPO BHARTA KHURD, SBS NAGAR, PIN CODE 144518, PUNJAB, INDIA and presently residing at STEVIN ROCK PO BOX 559, Q-12 KHOR KHWAIR RAS AL KHAIMHA, U.A.E do hereby change my name /split of name/ rearrangement of name from GOURAV to GOURAV JANDAY with immediate effect.

63372
I, Sita Rani W/o Shish Ram R/o Vill: Nangal Jattan Po. Chakdana Nawanshahr (SBS Nagar) declare that in my Passport my husband name wrongly entered Sish Ram. But my husband correct name is Shish Ram. So amended my husband name from Sish Ram to Shish Ram in my Passport.

63372
I Kulwant Singh S/O Shri Darshan Singh R/O Dera Kule Wala Safidon Road Assandh Distt Karnai State That In All My Documents My Name Is Kulwant Singh And In My Passport My Name Is Given Name Kulwant Singh, While The Colum of Surname Is Empty, Now I Have My Name In My Passport I Want To Enter Kulwant In Given Name And Singh In The Column Containing Surname. Make Relevant Notes.

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I Paramjeet W/o Sh. Ram Pal R/o Village Dudhi, Tehsil Ladwa, District Kurukshetra have changed my name from Kala Parmjeet to Paramjeet. In future I may be known as Paramjeet.

100074
I Parwinder Kaur W/o (no. 3403805k) Nk Lakhwinder Singh S/o Sh. Sant Singh R/o Village- Near Niwarsi, P.O.- Niwarsi, Tehsil-ladwa, Distt.- Kurukshetra (haryana) Have Changed My Name And D.O.B From Parwinder Kaur (D.O.B 12 Mar 1984) To Parvinder Kaur (d.o.b 22 Dec 1984) Vide Affidavit Before Notary, Distt. Court Kurukshetra.

100074.
I, Suresh Kumar s/o Dharam Pal r/o Village Bibipur Jattan, Tehsil Indri, Distt. Karnal (Haryana) have changed my name from Suresh to Suresh Kumar.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I Rakesh kumar S/of Shri late Ranjit singh R/o house no C-212 Sector 25 Panjab University south Campus Chandigarh I declare that I disown/debarred my son Dinesh and his wife Shivani from my moveable and immoveable property because they are out of my control if anybody deal with them he/She will be responsible himself.

60013
I Des Raj S/o Naseeb Chand,R/o Vill. Rolli,Tehsil Nakodar,Distt. Jalandhar declared that my son Ramandeep Singh and his wife Nishu both are out of our control. So I disown both of them from my movable and immovable properties.Anybody deals with them at their own risk and responsibility.

900026
We, Lavjinder Singh S/o Jasmer Singh and Jyoti w/o Lavjinder Singh both R/o 2350/1, Sector-13 MWT Manimajra Chandigarh declare that our son named Karanjeet Singh is out of our control and does not obey us. We we debarred him from our all moveable and immoveable properties. If anybody deals with him, we will not be responsible for it.

98765
We Jaswant Singh S/o Puran Singh And Rupinder Kaur W/o Jaswant Singh R/o #14a02704, Near Castle Resort, Barnala Tehsil & Distt Barnala Declare That My Son Karamjot Singh Dhaliwal And His Wife Ritika Jauhar And Their Daughter Mehwish Kaur Dhaliwal Are Out Of Our Control. So We Disown All Of Them From All Our Movable And Immovable Properties. Anybody Dealing With Them On Their Own Risk.

50008
I Sultan singh s/o Ramsaran vill. shahpur distt. karnal (haryana) declared that my son vishal and his wife aarju source out of my movable & immovable property because they are out of my control if anybody deal with them he/she will be responsible him self

100046

I, Seema Rani W/o Sh. Pappu Lal R/o H.No. 177, New Baldev Nagar, Ward No. 12, Jalandhar (Pb) have Changed my name Seema to Seema Rani. All Concerned please note.

42778
I, Minakshi Sethi W/o Sh. Ved Parkash Sethi R/o H.No. 113, Pacca Bagh, Jalandhar-144001 (Pb) India have Corrected the Spelling mistake of Meenakshi Sethi to Minakshi Sethi. All Concerned please note.

42778
I, Kartik S/o Sh. Varinder Kumar, R/o H. No. NG-9, Prabhat Nagar, PO. Grain Market, VTC Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my name from KARTIK to KARTIK KUMAR. That KARTIK AND KARTIK KUMAR is one and same person. All concerned please note.

42778
I hither to known as Manjeet daughter of Pawitter Lal and Wife of Jag Jeevan Ram resident of VPO Bolina, Distt. Jalandhar , Punjab, India have changed name of my minor daughter JESSICA aged 16 years 11 Month and she shall hereafter be known as JESSICA RAM.

42778
I hither to known as Manjeet daughter of Pawitter Lal and Wife of Jag Jeevan Ram resident of VPO Bolina, Distt. Jalandhar ,Punjab India have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Manjeet Kaur.

42778
I, Kamaljit Kaur W/O Sardar Singh R/O Village Sultania Kartarpur Tehsil Guhla District Kaithal Haryana have changed my name from Kamaljit Kaur to Kamlesh Kaur.

335454

PUBLIC INFORMATION
I Army No. 8021441F Rank NK Gulzari S/o Makhan Masih R/o Baba Jeevan Singh colony, Chheharta, Amritsar inform that my first wife Raj Rani who has been divorced with me. She has gone abroad for about 10 years and has no relation with me. After that I got a court marriage done with Baljinder Kaur Masih. In some documents of my wife Baljinder Kaur Masih, my name is written only as Gulzari and in the documents issued by our court My name is also written as Gulzari in the army certificate. I inform that both Gulzari and Gulzari Masih are the names of the same person. I am known by both the names. Gulzari is also mentioned in my army documents. I have sworn before the Notary Public Amritsar Court on 02/01/2024 that both Gulzari and Gulzari Masih are the names of the same person.

LOST & FOUND
That Mr. Rajesh Kumar son of Pitram Singh resident of village Majra-Roheda, sub-tehsil Rajound, tehsil and district Kaithal, has lost his original transfer deed number 785/1 dated 9-10-2018 which is in favor of Rakesh Kumar, on 05.10.2023 at Majra Roheda to Rajound road. Necessary information in this regard has been given to the concerned police station Rajound. If anyone finds the said original deed then he should send it to Hardeep Singh Ranu Advocate at Chamber No. 73, District Court, Kaithal or inform on his mobile number 9896078197 within 7 days. 84451

PUBLIC NOTICE
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ਸਬ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਾਰ,
ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ (ਪੰਜਾਬੀ)

I, Paramjit Kaur W/o late Sh. Dhayan Singh R/o Vill. Milkshekhnan, Tehsil Barara, Distt Ambala have changed my name from Paramjeet Kaur W/o Late. Dhyan Singh to Paramjit Kaur W/o late. Dhayan Singh.

78645
I Balak Ram Dhiman S/o Shri Ghasitu Ram Resident of Village & PO Tikkar , Tehsil Nakodar, Distt Jalandhar, Punjab I have change my name Balak Ram to Balak Ram Dhiman. All concerned please may note.

481259
I, Chameli w/o Darbara Ram r/o H No. 260, Rampura Road, Saini Mohalla, Village Kawartan, District Kaithal (Haryana), have changed my name from Chameli to Chameli Devi. Concerned please note.

84451
I Meena Rani Alias Meena Wife Rakesh Kumar R/o #2850, Near Sindhi Trunk House, Rajpura Distt Patiala Declare Meena Rani Alias Meena Both Names Are One And Same Person I.e My Names. I Known With Both Names.

50008
I Satish sharma kumar s/o Dhani ram R/o Village jainpur jattan Tehsil Ladwa, District Kurukshetra have changed my name from Satish sharma kumar to Satish kumar In future I may be known as satish kumar

50008
I Gurmeet Singh Surdhar s/o Hakam Singh R/O V. P.O. Rauli Tehsil & Distt Moga punjab Have Changed my name to Gurmeet Singh.

50008
I charanjit Kaur Surdhar w/o Gurmeet Singh R/o V.P.O. Rauli Tehsil & Dist Moga punjab Have changed my name to charanjit Kaur.

50008
I Hakam Singh Surdhar s/o varyiam Singh R/o V.P.O. Rauli Tehsil & Dist Moga punjab Have changed my name to Hakam Singh.

50008
I chhinder kaur Surdhar w/o Hakam Singh R/o V.P.O. Rauli Tehsil & Distt Moga punjab Have changed my name to Shinder kaur.

50008
I Mansi D/O Om parkash R/O #6 Focal point Rajpura Markfed road Rajpura dist Patiala have changed my name from Mansi to Mansi setia

50008
I, hitherto known as HARSIMRANJIT SINGH son of ARVINDERJIT SINGH residing of VILLAGE KOTLI SANGHAR DISTRICT SRI MUKTSAR SAHIB - 152025 Punjab have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as HARSIMRANJIT SINGH BRAR . It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection.

50008
I Rajvir Singh S/o Satwinder Singh R/O Village Gaddowal, Teh And District Ludhiana Have Changed My Name From Rajvir Singh To Rajvir Singh Grewal.

50008

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I,Pooja W/O Baljit Kumar R/O V.Machhariwal, P.O.Nanda Chaur, Distt.Hoshiarpur, Punjab have changed my name from Pooja to Pooja Kumari (After marriage added my surname as Kumari). All note.

461257
I, Balbinder Singh S/O Guljar Singh R/O village Tahli, Tehsil Nakodar, Distt Jalandhar, Punjab I have change my name Balbinder Singh to Balwinder Singh. Please note.

461257
I hitherto known as BRINDER MOHAN SINGH alias PREET M SINGH alias PREET MOHINDER SINGH alias PM SINGH S/O BHUPINDER SINGH R/O B/25/342/1 Neta Ji Nagar Salem Tabri Ludhiana Punjab have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as BARINDER MOHAN SINGH.

461257
I hitherto known as BRINDER MOHAN SINGH alias PREET M SINGH alias PREET MOHINDER SINGH alias PM SINGH S/O BHUPINDER SINGH R/O B/25/342/1 Neta Ji Nagar Salem Tabri Ludhiana Punjab have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as BARINDER MOHAN SINGH.

461257
I, Jasbir Kaur W/o Kulwant Singh R/o Vill. Dhurial, Tehsil Bhogpur, District Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my minor daughter's name from Kanchan Mehmi to Given Name as Kanchan & Surname as Mehmi. All concerned please note.

42778
I, Jasbir Kaur W/o Kulwant Singh R/o Vill. Dhurial, Tehsil Bhogpur, District Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my minor son's name from Maninder Mehmi to Given Name as Maninder & Surname as Mehmi. All concerned please note.

42778
I, Jasbir Kaur W/o Kulwant Singh R/o Vill. Dhurial, Tehsil Bhogpur, District Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my minor daughter's name from Kanika Mehmi to Given Name as Kanika & Surname as Mehmi. All concerned please note.

42778
I, Gurpreet Mahey S/o Ranjeet Rana R/o VPO. Kukar Pind, Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my name from Gurpreet Mahey to Given Name as Gurpreet & Surname as Mahey. All concerned please note.

42778
I, Gurkirandeep Kaur D/O Gurjant Singh Brar Village Baja Kahana (Faridkot)Have Changed My Name Gurkirandeep Kaur Brar.

63372
I, Irshad Moh. R/o Hamayanpur Sirhind (Fatehgarh Sahib) have changed my name to Irshad Mohmad.

63372
I, Rupinder Singh Khuard S/o Satnam Singh R/o Brahman Majra Sirhind (Fatehgarh Sahib) have changed my name to Rupinder Singh Kohar.

63372
I Happy Chand alias Happy Goyal S/o Jagdish Rai Vpo Daulatpura Ucha Distt Moga Have Changed My Name To Happy Chand. All Please Note.

63372

I, Shinderpal Kaur W/o Harwinder Singh R/o Patti Navi Vpo. Jhandiana Sharki (Moga) have known by both names Shinderpal Kaur & Chhinderpal Kaur one and the same person.

63372
I, Deepali W/o Vishal Arora R/o H.No. 1011 Sec-39 Chandigarh Road (Ludhiana) have changed my name from Deepali to Deepali Arora after marriage.

63372
I Daniale S/O Mohan Lal R/O Village Mallpur Po Mehrampur Tehsil Aur District Sbs Nagar 144518 Pb Declare That My Geven Name Is Daniale And Surname Is Mahey.

63372
I Pawan Kumar S/o Ghaniya Lal R/o Adda Amarkot Tehsil Patti District Tarn Taran have changed my minor Son Name from Jaideep to Jaideep Kumar.

63372
I Sikander Singh S/o Gurcharn Singh resident of, Dialpura Mirza (Bathinda) declare that Sikander Singh @ Shinder Singh is one and the same person. Both names belong to me.

63372
I Jaswinder Kaur w/o Sikander Singh Urf Shinder Singh resident of Dialpura Mirza (Bathinda) declare that Jaswinder Kaur @ Karamjeet Kaur is one and the same person. Both names belong to me.

63372
I, Gurpreet Singh Sidhu S/o Bhagwant Singh R/o Kalala (Barnala) have changed my name to Gurpreet Singh.

63372
I, Manpreet Kaur W/o Talvinder Singh Johal R/o Bihla (Barnala) have changed my name to Manpreet Kaur (Johal) now used in surname.

63372
I, Sushil Kumar S/o Pawan Kumar R/o Vpo. Bhawanipur Teh - G a r h s h a n k a r (Hoshiarpur) Punjab, Pin Code-144523, have changed my name to Sushil Sharma.

63372
I Satwindarpal Singh S/o Pritpal Singh R/o Park Avenue, Hari Ram Shalar, Chabhal Road, Tarn Taran District Tarn Taran have changed my name from Satwindarpal Singh to Satwinderpal Singh.

63372
I Perveen Kumar S/o Rajinder Singh R/o Hedon (Ludhiana) changed my name Parveen Kumar.

63372
I Siawati W/o Rajinder Singh R/o Hedon (Ludhiana) changed my name Siyawati.

63372
I, Mandeep Singh BaranS/o Darshan Singh R/o Vpo. Fatehpur, Teh. Nabha, Distt. Patiala have changed my name Mandeep Singh Baranto Mandeep Singh.

63372
I Kamaljeet Kaur W/O Gurbinder Singh R/O House No. 451,Sector 1, Block-C, Mandi Gobindgarh Tehsil Amloh, (Fatehgarh Sahib) I have change my name Kamaljeet Kaur To Kamaljit Kaur.

63372
I, Gaurav S/o Raj Kumar R/o #610 Singha Devi Colony Nada Naya Gaon Teh-Kharar (SAS Nagar, Mohali) have changed my name from Gaurav to Om Parkash Goyal.

63372

I, Hari Chnad S/o Hira Lal R/o Vpo. Chugawan (Moga) have changed my name to Hari Chand.

63372
I Preeti W/o Jatinder Kumar R/o Vpo Bara Sidhpur Teh-Nakodar Disitt Jalandhar Punjab India have changed my name from Preeti to Preeti Thapra After Marriage.

63372
I, Babli W/o Krishan Gopal R/o Gopal Colony Nurmahal Road Nangal Teh-Phillaur (Jalandhar) have changed my name to Babli Babli.

63372
I, Paramjeet S/o Pargan Ram R/o H.No. 1358 W.No. 13 Moh Ravidass Pura Akalpur Road Phillaur (Jalandhar) have changed my minor daughter name from Mamta to Mamta Rani.

63372
I Balraj Singh S/o Maghar Singh R/o Vpo Leelan, Tehsil-Jagraon, Distt Ludhiana have Changed my name from balraj Singh to balraj Singh Grewal.

63372
I Jasvir Kaur Deol W/o Jagjit Singh Deol R/o Village Guram, Distt. Ludhiana have changed my Minor Son name Gurchattan Singh to Gurchattan Singh Deol.

63372
I, hitherto known as Sooma S/o Gurdev R/o Vill: Samrari Po. Barapind Teh-Phillaur Distt. Jalandhar Punjab-144418 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Soma Singh.

63372
I, hitherto known as Ham Raj S/o Gurbachan Singh R/o Vill: Bachhowal Po. Tehang Teh-Phillaur Distt. Jalandhar Punjab-144039 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Shama Rani.

63372
I, hitherto known as Shama W/o Rajesh Kumar R/o Mohalla Ohrian Nurmahal Teh-Phillaur Distt. Jalandhar Punjab-144039 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Kaur Komal.

63372
I, hitherto known as Komal D/o Buta Singh R/o Patti Bari Vpo. Jandiala Teh-Phillaur Distt. Jalandhar Punjab-144033 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Kaur Komal.

63372
I, hitherto known as Dinesh Chandra S/o Ram Chandra R/o Rurka Road Goraya Teh-Phillaur Distt. Jalandhar Punjab-144409 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Kamala Chamoli.

63372
I, Ranjit Kaur W/O Balbir Singh R/O H.No.1289, Mohalla Mia, Machhiwara, Tehsil Samrala (Ludhiana) Have Changed My Name To Ranjeet Kaur.

63372
I, Sandeep Kumar S/O Tarsem Lal R/O H.No.4842, Guron Colony, Machhiwara, Tehsil Samrala (Ludhiana) Have Changed My Minor Daughter's Name From Gouri To Gouri Sharma.

63372
I, Seema Sharma W/O Sandeep Kumar R/O H.No.4842, Guron Colony, Machhiwara, Tehsil Samrala (Ludhiana) Have Changed My Name To Seema Rani.

63372

I, Reena Kumari W/O Santosh Kumar R/O H.No.1231, Mian Mohalla, Machhiwara, Tehsil Samrala (Ludhiana) Have Changed My Name To Rina Kumari.

63372
I, Maninder Kaur Birdi W/o Jaspreet Singh Birdi R/O H.No. 6367 St.No. 1/5 Backside A.T.I. College New Janta Nagar (Ludhiana) Pb, India, have changed my daughter name from Jasmeet Kaur to Jasmeet Kaur Birdi.

63372
I Bipan Vinayak S/O Ram Sarup R/O H.No. 226, Galla Mandi, Near Janta College, W.No.10, Ahmedgarh, Distt. Malerkotla Have Change Name To Vipin Vinayak.

63372
I Preet inder Kaur Kainth W/o Gurminder Singh R/o H: No 5882, Agwar Lopen Jagraon Distt Ludhiana have Changed my name from to Preet inder Kaur.

63372
I, Priyanka D/o Amrik Singh R/o # 11924 St.No. 3 Partap Dhillon Basti (Bathinda) have changed my name to Priyanka Rani.

63372
I, Prabjot Kaur W/o Ram Kumar R/o V.P.O. Harta, Hoshiarpur,Punjab,146112, changed my name from Prabjot Kaur to Prabhjot Kaur.

63372
I, Medhavi W/o Sukhwinder Singh R/o St.No.7 Zenith Nagar, Haibowal Kalan Ludhiana Changed Name Medhavi Verma.

63372
I, Paramjit Singh S/o Jaswant Singh, R/o H.No. 24, Deol Nagar Extension, Basti Sheikh, Jalandhar, Punjab declare that Paramjit Singh And Paramjeet Singh is one and same person and both these names belongs to me.

63372
I Prem Kumar Goyal S/o Ram Saroop R/o College Road, Near Sabzi Mandi Malerkotla have changed My Name Prem Kumar.

63372
I Asha Rani Goyal W/o Prem Kumar R/o College Road, Near Sabzi Mandi, Malerkotla have changed my Name Asha Rani.

63372
I, Premjeet Singh S/o Aridaman Singh R/o H.No 192 Ground Floor Divine World Sector-115 Sante Majra Landra (Mohali) 140301, have changed my minor son name from Samvir Singh Minhas to Samvir Singh.

63372
I Gurmuksh Singh S/o Baldev Singh R/o House No 581 New Gurudwara Kalgidhar Singh Sabha Phase 4 Mohali Changed My Name To Gurmukh Singh Sohla

666554
I Roop Rani W/o Manmohan Lal R/o Pandori Bawa Dass Distt Hoshiarpur Changed My Name To Roop Rani Bedi

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Havan and puja performed at S.S. Memorial School



RK KASHYAP CHHACHHRAULI: On the arrival of "New Year", havan and puja was performed at S.S. Memorial School Kot, in which all the students and teachers participated. While performing havan and puja, prayers were said that this new year should be auspicious for everyone and all the students of the school wished to be successful. On this occasion, school principal Ritika Sharma said that like every year, this year also on the New Year, havan and puja was performed in the school and prayers were made that the new year should be auspicious for everyone and may this new year bring happiness and joy in everyone's life. May all the students succeed in their life by getting success in the examination. On this occasion, school coordinator Baljeet Kaur and teachers Naveen, Shubhjit, Shashipal, Kasim, Ruby, Himanshu and Ritu were also present.

Dushyant working hard for development of state: Nishan Singh



MAINPAL KASHYAP INDRI: Complete preparations are being made by JJP officials and workers to make the Karnal Lok Sabha Nav Sankalp Rally of Jan-nayak Janata Party to be held in Ghorada on 7 January a success. People are being invited to participate in the rally by visiting villages. Due to this, JJP Party President Nishan Singh today visited Samaura, Garhi Gujran, Chandsamand, Bayana, Garhi Birbal, Chaungawan, Tusang and Santdi of Indri Halke. On this occasion, District President Gurdev Singh Rambra, State President of SCSAIL and former MLA Ramesh Khatak, Meham Singh Rajpur and many other officials were present with him. Party President Nishan Singh was given a warm welcome upon reaching the villages. State JJP President Nishan Singh said that the support base of JJP party is increasing and Deputy Chief Minister of the state Dushyant Chautala is working day and night for the development of the state.

HARYANA

YUGMARG, CHANDIGARH, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2024

CM approves 12 new projects under Rural Augmentation & Urban Water Plan

BUREAU CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

Haryana Government has decided to implement 12 new projects worth more than Rs. 50 crore under Rural Augmentation & Urban Water, Sewerage and Storm Water-State Plan in 6 districts namely Gurugram, Sonipat, Rohtak, Rewari, Jhajjar, and Mahendragarh.

Chief Minister, Sh. Manohar Lal today accorded administrative approval for these projects to be implemented by the Public Health Engineering Department here today.

Giving more information in this regard, an official spokesperson said that new works under Urban Water, Sewerage and Storm Water-State Plan include laying of balance distribution pipe line, replacement of existing AC damaged pipe line and repair of existing Connections, in various streets of Jhajjar Town at an estimated cost of

Rs. 2.91 crore, Laying of DI Pipe line in Balance area of Narnaul Town Distt. Mahendragarh at an estimated cost of Rs. 24.37 lakh, Laying of sewer line in balance approved area of bawal town, District Rewari at an estimated cost of Rs. 16.53 crore, Supply of Power Bucket Type Sewer cleaning machine, & Supply of Metal Detector machine for searching of unseen manhole cover on Highways and Town areas sewer line in Meham Town Distt. Rohtak at an estimated cost of Rs. 20.69 lakh, Supply of combined high-pressure jetting cum suction (Vacuum) type Hydraulically Operated Sewer Cleaning Machine (10000 Ltrs.) for Meham Town Distt. Rohtak at an estimated cost of Rs. 46.48 lakh, Supply of Power Bucket Type Sewer cleaning machine in Sampla Town Distt. Rohtak at an estimated cost of Rs. 18.08 lakh, Estimate for 1 supply of combined high pressure jetting cum suction (Vacuum) type Hydraulically Operated Sewer Cleaning Machine (10000 Ltrs.) for Sampla Town Distt. Rohtak at an estimated cost of Rs. 46.48 lakh, Construction of new sewage treatment plant of 6 MLD capacity based on SBR Technology at the site of old existing STP in Sohna Town under PHED Sohna, Distt. Gurugram at an estimated cost of Rs. 6.94 crore, Estimate for Special Repair/ Strengthening using CIPP liner of Storm Water line on Gohana Road near Radha Soami Ashram, Rohtak Town at an estimated cost of Rs. 4.79 crore.

The spokesperson further informed regarding the works which were given administrative sanction under Rural Augmentation Water Supply Programme which include Renovation and upgradation of independent water works for 2 villages Ashrafpur Matindu and Chhinoli, construction of new booster at Chhinoli, replacement of old damaged .

No Karnal stoppage of Vande Bharat is injustice: Tarlochan

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, JANUARY 2

Once again the people of Karnal district have been cheated. Chief Minister Manohar Lal's district remains deprived of the facility of Vande Bharat train. Karnal MP Sanjay Bhatia has failed to protect the interests of the people of Karnal. Karnal District Congress Conve-nor Trilochan Singh has said that the Central and State Governments are giving step-motherly treatment to Karnal. He said that he will soon submit a memorandum to the President. Vande Bharat should be given a stop-page in Karnal. Describing MP Sanjay Bhatia and MLA Manohar Lal as failed public representatives who failed to protect the interests of Karnal, he said that Karnal station is being deprived of facilities. Neither lift



nor accelerator staircase has been installed at Karnal station. But such facilities are available at Sonipat and Panipat stations. He said that the stoppage of Vande Bharat Express going to Amritsar and Vaishno Devi has been given at Kurukshetra. Whereas most people from Karnal go to Vaishno Devi and Amritsar.

He said that Karnal is most important from a commercial historical point of view. But the government is giving more importance to Panipat and Kurukshetra. He said that the airport has not yet been completed in Karnal district. While Ambala was completed in Hisar. At the same time, the medical university is not ready. He said that Karnal

district has been facing injustice in the matter of railway facilities for ten years. There are no ramps for disabled and elderly passengers to move from one platform to another.

Senior Young Club seeks Cricket Stadium in Neelokheri

NILOKHERI (DARSHAN SHARMA): Today, players from the Senior Young Club Neelokheri, established for 35 years, gathered for a discussion and expressed their need for a cricket stadium in Neelokheri. They mentioned that there used to be only one ground in Neelokheri, which was situated in place of the Neelokheri Polytechnic for many years where all the players used to play. However, due to the construction of a hostel for the college, the ground has become smaller. The members of all the clubs contribute from their own pockets for the maintenance of this ground.



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Excellent performance in Haryana State Youth Festival by MHU students

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, JANUARY 2

Students of Maharana Pratap Udyan University Karnal, under the able leadership of Vice Chancellor Sudhir Rajpal and Director of Student Welfare (DSW) Prof. displayed expertise in the Haryana State Youth Mahotsav organised in Panchkula under the guidance of Ranjan Gupta. A programme was organised on Tuesday to welcome the students who performed well in the competition to the college. Director of Student Welfare Prof. Ranjan Gupta said that students should participate in every competition, this brings out the talent of the students and increases the self-confidence of the students. MHU students brought glory to the name of MHU in the entire state by performing well in the competition. He said that the students continued to leave their mark by perform-

ing excellently in every competition. A highlight of the university's participation was in the cookery competition, the theme of which was "Improving millet production through science. The students showcased their culinary skills, blending scientific knowledge

showcase his eloquence and knowledge in the extempore competition and showcased the intellectual strength of the university on a public platform. The efforts of Dr. Uma Prajapat were credited for the seamless coordination and facilitation of student participation, which en-



with culinary artistry, earning them the coveted third prize. The group was led by Kanishka, who acted as the team leader. Jyoti, Priyanshi, Chesta and Arvind collectively and gave an impressive performance. Furthermore, Narul, representing MHU, availed the opportunity to

successful representation and successful participation of the University in various competitions throughout the event. The achievements of the students not only reflect their dedication and efficiency, but also underline the institution's commitment towards holistic education.

Haryana moving ahead in terms of development under Manohar Lal: Chandra

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, JANUARY 2

On the auspicious occasion of New Year,

Havan Yagya was performed by Haryana Vidyut Prasaran Nigam Limited 220 kv Power House in village Unispur in which Subhash Chandra, Executive Vice Chairman of Swachh Bharat Mission Haryana arrived as the chief guest. In this programme organised for the happiness, prosperity and peace of the area, Subhash Chandra said that the coming 2024 should bring happiness for all the residents of Nilokheri Assembly. Subhash Chandra said that I pray to God that special blessings be bestowed upon everyone. He said that Bharatiya Janata Party is the only party which is fully committed to the health,

education, development as well as interests of the people of the country and the state.

Chief Minister Manohar Lal is de-



veloping the entire state without discrimination, following the basic mantra of Haryana One-Haryanvi One. Under the leadership of Chief Minister Manohar Lal, the vision of Haryana develop-

ment is continuously moving forward. Due to development works, Haryana is now being counted among the developed states. Subhash Chandra said that by realising the slogan of Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas and Sabka Vishwas given by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Chief Minister Manohar Lal has worked to change the fate and picture of Haryana. He said that the BJP fulfils whatever promise it makes in every situation. On this occasion, Gaurav Sharma, Assistant Executive Engineer, Sher Singh Rana Amour, Pawan Pradhan, former Sarpanch Baisral Gurnam, Krishna Bakipur Sachin, Amrik Baisral, Hari Singh were present with him. Unispur Kewal Baisral, Ran Singh, Jai Kumar, Sombir Aheria, Balbir Former Sarpanch Unispur, Rajendra

Gulia Accountant, Dheeraj Kamboj JE, Rajesh Sharma JE, Vijender Dahiya JE, Manish Sharma GJE, Dushyant Sharma JE, Jeetendra Singh JE, Shravan JE and others were present.

People getting benefits from Vikas Bharat Yatra: Mehar Singh

MAINPAL KASHYAP INDRI, JANUARY 2

BJP state executive member and former district general secretary Mehar Singh Kalampura, while addressing the villagers in the programme organised under the Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra in Fazilpur and Shahpur villages of Indri block, said that under the Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra, People are getting benefits of various schemes and services provided by the government sitting at their homes. Bharat Sankalp Yatra, developed with the aim of providing benefits to the people deprived of government schemes, will prove to be a milestone. In the program he also administered oath to the villagers to make the country a developed nation.

Mehar Singh Kalampura said that the purpose of this yatra is to reach the government schemes only to the last person of the society so that the people who have been deprived of the government schemes can get

the benefits of the government schemes. This yatra will be conducted in every village of the state. He said that the Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra is yielding very good results. In the Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra programmes, all the departments of the govern-



ment are reaching the doorsteps of the villagers in every village and solving the problems of the people. He said that we all will have to work together to complete the efforts of Prime Minister Narendra Modi to include the country in the category of developed nations by the year 2047.

Yagya' performed by DAV Public School for New Year's wishes

RAHUL KOHLI

JAGADHRI: The first morning of the New Year was greeted with the blessings of God by a Havan in the courtyard of DAV Public School Yamunanagar to wish for a prosperous year. Vijay Kapoor (Chairman DAV Institutions Yamunanagar) thanked all the teachers present with his blessings and prayed to God to brighten the future of the students.

He also said that Yagya is the best karma of the Vedas. India is the world guru, mythological source of knowledge and culture and Upanishads and Vedas. It is the responsibility of teachers to remember the policies and sacrifices of Mahatma Hansraj to make the students become good human beings. Along with this, he also highlighted the achievements of Late JN Kapoor, who took the DAV organisation to this stage, whose sacrifice is remembered even today. Throwing light on the 200th birth anniversary of Maharishi Dayanand being celebrated across the country, the school principal Vijay Kumar Kashiv asked to take inspiration from the personality of social reformer Maharshi Dayanand ji. On this auspicious occasion, he expressed his gratitude to. Asha Kapoor and Vijay Kapoor. Asha Kapoor also wished for the New Year and said that everyone should remain physically and mentally healthy.



Meeting organised on gender-based violence

DALBIR MALIK KURUKSHETRA, JAN 2

A meeting was organised on the topic of gender-based violence under the chairmanship of Zilla Parishad President Kanwaljit Kaur. In this meeting, the awareness campaign regarding gender-based violence in Kurukshetra district was discussed. District Council President Kanwaljit Kaur said that we all have to work together on a war footing to stop gender violence and if any person gets information about this then inform the district administration as soon as possible, so that Gender-based violence can be stopped in the district and people can be made aware by running programmes related to it. In this meeting, Dis-



trict Child Welfare Committee Chairman Krishna Panchal, while giving detailed information about the awareness programmes, said that the department is Many programs on feticide are organised through schools and Anganwadi centres. Manager of

One Stop Center Shelja also informed women about protection and prevention work from domestic violence. On this occasion, Protection and Child Marriage Prohibition Officer Kanta and other concerned officers were present.

Diabetic patients will have to take care of their health in winter: Dr. Sharma

GOLDY CHUGH

SHAHAHABAD: Dr. Divanshi Sharma, diabetes specialist of Adesh Hospital, has advised diabetic patients to take special care of their health during the winter season. Dr. Divanshi Sharma said that exercise and walking stop during winter and there is a habit of eating dishes made from ghee in this season due to which the sugar level increases. Therefore, it is important for diabetic patients to do as much walking and exercise as possible while staying at home, instead of giving up walking during winter. Apart from this, keep distance from ghee-based, junk food and sweets and keep checking the sugar level from time to time so that the sugar level can be prevented from increasing. Dr. Diwanshi said that ignoring diabetes can be costly, hence if a person has diabetes and is not getting it treated, it can affect the kidneys and other parts of the body as well. Therefore, if you have symptoms of diabetes, consult a doctor. Dr. Divanshi Sharma said that a special department and team is working in Adesh Hospital regarding the disease of diabetes. He said that when diabetes starts, if it is treated at the right time, its progression can be stopped. Dr. Divanshi said that there should not be any need to keep any kind of tension in the mind regarding diabetes because with proper eating habits and proper treatment, there is no danger of any kind from sugar.



Bakarpur Sarkar honours Shandilya for fighting against terrorism

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA AMBALA, JANUARY 2

Organiser Karthik Ahuja, Gaurav Bansal, welcomed International Head of Vishwa Hindu Takht and National President of Anti Terrorist Front India Viresh Shandilya, on reaching the ninth Shirdi Sai Baba programme 'Ek Sham Sai Ke Naam' organised by 'Sai Ba Ke Deewane' organisation. Devansh Arora, Rohan Kaushal, Vishal Sachdeva, Harmanpreet Singh, Sanki Kumar, Ankush Chawla, Abhishek Dhingra, Abhay Mehta, Jagdish Ahuja, Sanjay Sethi welcomed Vishwa Hindu Takht chief Veeresh Shandilya on arrival and on this occasion Vishwa Hindu Takht chief Veeresh Shandilya was welcomed by the Sai Baba of Bakarpur Govern-

ment. In the presence of thousands of devotees, Surendra Shah honoured him for fighting against terrorism and running a campaign to strengthen the nation and brotherhood. Viresh Shandilya, International Head of Vishwa Hindu Takht and National President of Anti Terrorist Front India, congratulated thousands of Sai devotees for the New Year and gave the message that there is no religion greater than serving parents because the first Guru is the mother and the second Guru is the father, the third Guru is the teacher and the fourth Guru is God. In the house where parents are served, the places of pilgrimage and Gods and Goddesses reside there.



Shandilya said that the new year should bring happiness and prosperity for Ambala and the country, every hand should get work, every stomach should get food and every head should have a roof, no one should die due to lack of treatment and mutual

brotherhood should be strong and at the same time Vishwa Hindu Takht Chief Veeresh Shandilya said that the country is moving forward under the leadership of Modi and Amit Shah and Ram Raj is coming to the country. He congratulated the people of Ambala on the first day of Ram Lala's Pran Pratishtha program in Ayodhya on 22 January and said that today in the new year 2024, the land of Ambala which is the land of saints and sages, the land of Gods and Goddesses, this is the land where the tenth Guru Gobind Ji fought with the birds. Today, the feet of Bakarpur government lay on that land; surely there cannot be a greater gift than this in the New Year.

Robinhood Army a social organization distributes food and blankets to needy on New Year

PARI BAJAJ

KARNAL: The youth of social organization Robinhood Army provided food to the needy and distributed warm blankets to them on the occasion of New Year celebrations. On this occasion, District President of the organization Raj Yadav said that they should always be ready to serve the needy. If someone needed help, it was the duty of every person to help them. Robinhood Army first provided food to more than 150 needy people near Railway Station, Old Bus Stand, Civil Hospital, Kalpana Chawla Hospital, Nirmal Kutiya, Namaste Chowk, Mahabir Dal Mandir and then distributed warm blankets to them. District President of the organization Raj Yadav said that his organization also educated the needy children of slums and also motivated them towards education by distributing educational materials to them. He said that his organization would always continue to serve the needy. On this occasion, Balram Pal, Lalit Mishra, Prachi Gupta, Rajat Sharma, Tanishk, Harshit, Garvit, Aman, Nikhil, Dev, Shiv and other members of the organization were present.



NEWS AT A GLANCE

DC holds meeting with oil companies' depot heads, civil and police officers



SUKH NAHAR
JAGRAON: Deputy Commissioner Surabhi Malik today said that there was no need to worry about fuel supply in the district as the district administration was keeping a close eye on the situation. She also said that supply of fuel will be ensured and people should not go for panic buying. While chairing the meeting with depot heads of oil companies including Indian Oil Corporation, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited and Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited in her office, DC Surabhi Malik said that these companies had been asked to ensure supply of fuel and LPG remain unaffected due to the strike of transporters through internal arrangements.

Mata's praise echoed in Geeta Bhawan Katra on occasion of New Year



KULWINDER KARWAL
MANS: Sri Durga Kirtan Mandal Shakti Bhawan organized a grand celebration to welcome the new year under the leadership of in-charge Parveen Tony Sharma like every year at Mata Bhuvaneshwari Devi's ashram Geeta Bhawan at Sri Ban Ganga Katra. Giving this information, Sanjeev Pinka said that every year Shri Amarnath Yatra Seva Samiti Mansa organizes Bhandara for four days under the leadership of Advocate Sunil Bansal and Shri Durga Kirtan Mandal is taken to Shakti Bhawan to sing the praises of Mata Ji. This Bhandara and Chowki, established with great devotion and hard work, is enjoyed by thousands of people came from Punjab and other states. Sunil Bansal told that from next year this Bhandara, which runs only from 6 am to 8 pm, will continue for four consecutive days and nights. Mukesh Bansal said that along with the members of the Mandal, a bus is being arranged to transport other devotees of Mata from the city.

Change in timings of group service centers of the district: DC

DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHIAARPUR: Deputy Commissioner Komal Mittal said that in view of the weather, the timings of all the service centers in the district have been changed. Giving



information, she said that in view of the winter weather and fog, the timings of the group service centers of the district have been changed from 03 January to 15 January from 9.30 am to 5 pm. Therefore, people getting work done in the service centers are appealed to come to the service centers for their work during this time only.

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NAWANSHAHR, JAN 2

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Police arrest 24 criminal elements during statewide special checking

SHASHI PAL JAIN
CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

Amidst the ongoing drive to make Punjab a safe and secure state as per the vision of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, Punjab Police on Tuesday conducted a special Cordon and Search Operation (CASO) under the name of "OPS Eagle-III" at and around all the Bus Stands and Railway Stations across the state. The operation was conducted on the directions of Director General of Police (DGP) Punjab Gaurav Yadav.

The CASO was conducted from 12noon to 3pm simultaneously in all the 28 Police districts under which Police teams with the assistance of sniffer dogs frisked people arriving and departing at Railway Stations and Bus Stands. Special Director General of Police (Special DGP) Law and Order Arpit Shukla, who was personally supervising this state-level operation, said that all the CPs/SSPs were asked to deploy at least two strong teams under SP/DSP rank officers per Railway Station/Bus Stand to carry out this operation. Range Officers were asked to monitor this operation, he said. He said police personnel were directed to check all suspicious persons and verify their antecedents. "We had strictly instructed all the



Police Personnel to deal with every person in a friendly and polite manner while frisking them during this operation," he added. The Spl DGP said that around 500 Police Teams, involving over 4000 Police Personnel, were deputed across the state to look for suspicious persons at different railway stations and bus stands in the state, while ensuring minimum inconvenience to them. As many as 917 suspicious per-

sons were rounded up for questioning during the operation conducted at 134 bus stands and 181 railway stations in the state, he said, while adding that the Police teams have also arrested 24 criminal elements after registering 21 first information reports (FIRs) during the operation. Meanwhile, such operations will also help in showing the police presence in the field and boost confidence among common people.

Jimpa holds high-level meeting to review works of Water Supply and Sanitation Department

GAGAN JAIN
CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

Water Supply and Sanitation Minister Bram Shanker Jimpa on Tuesday held a review meeting with top officials of the department at his office. He directed that all ongoing projects aimed at supplying clean and pure water to villages should be completed on time.

Jimpa said that the government, led by Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, is dedicatedly working towards making the state "Rangla Punjab". For this purpose, all necessary facilities should be prioritized for villages. He urged the swift progress of ongoing canal water projects across various areas of Punjab. Jimpa highlighted that the groundwater in many state villages is non-potable, and some are situated in the Kandi area. Consequently, water supply will be facilitated by purifying canal water through treatment plants in these villages. Jimpa said that he will personally inspect the under constructed projects to assess the ground situation. Chief Minister Bhagwant



Singh Mann is set to dedicate the nearing completion projects to the people of Punjab. Furthermore, Jimpa inquired about the status of water testing labs, water sampling and other issues affecting the public. The Minister also reviewed the status of No Objection Certificates (NOCs), which are required for the ongoing projects. The meeting was attended by HoD Harpreet Sudan, J.I. Goyal, Chief Engineer (PDQA), R. K. Khosla, Chief Engineer (Central), J.S. Chahal, Chief Engineer (South), Jasbir Singh, Chief Engineer (North) and other department officers.

MC Jagraon conducts meeting to sort out traffic, sanitation issues



JAGRAON (SUKH NAHAR): Municipal Council Jagraon under the guidance of MC President Amarjeet Singh Malwa conducted a meeting with the representatives of various shopkeepers associations, Rehri-farhi unions, trade association representatives. The meeting was conducted in the presence of EO Sukhdev Singh Randhawa, DSP Traffic Jagraon Gurwinder Singh, traffic incharge inspector Kulwinder Singh in order to discuss crucial matters like traffic and sanitation related problems in the city. The participants shared their opinion on these matters and put forward their suggestions as well. Giving more information about this, MC President Malwa said that after deliberation it was decided that a yellow belt should be installed in the city soon and the shopkeepers should be informed about picking up their goods lying on the streets outside their shops by making a public notice in the city today. "Moreover, street lights should be installed on the main roads of the city and without license rehri should be removed.

People's problems to be solved soon: Harbhajan Singh

KULJEET SINGH
JANDIALA GURU, JAN 2

Let us tell you that in Khuh Guru Arjan Dev area of Ward No. 7 of Jandiala Guru, the canal department had stopped the dirty water of about 300 houses because this water was hampering the reconstruction of their Rajbaha. Apart from this, the canal department had stopped the sewage treatment of about 300 houses for about 2 months. Earlier also notices were sent to people not to pour water in Rajbaha.

According to the people, no permanent solution was made by the city council to solve the problem of drainage of their dirty water. Due to which they were forced to pour water into the Rajbaha. Whereas every year when it was time for paddy irrigation, the city council used to drain



this Rajbaha. Cleaning was also done. In this matter, while talking to the Cabinet Minister Harbhajan Singh ETO Nar in the Municipal Council office today, he said that if he wants to see the city developed and beautiful, then he should be patient for some time. He said that there is a temporary solution for the drainage of dirty water.

A tanker will be arranged which will carry dirty water

No need to panic about swine flu: CS

SANGRUR (SUMER GARG): Civil surgeon(CS), Sangrur, Dr. Kirpal Singh while issuing instructions to all senior medical officers of the district in order to make the general public aware and to make adequate arrangements in the health institutions to avoid swine flu said that though no case of swine flu is reported in district even yet if any case of swine flu is reported in the district, but the field staff and ASHA workers of the department should go door to door and give information to the common people to prevent swine flu. "Swine flu comes should be established in each health institutions and if there is any case of swine flu comes to light then make appropriate arrangements in advance for his treatment. It should be ensured that stock of necessary drugs used for treatment of swine flu cases is maintained at the health institutions"CS, added. He further said that the health institutions where the medicines are not available, should take the medicines from the district level, as there is no shortage of medicines.



It is only AAP's political ideology to strengthen public sectors, facilitate common people: Kang



GAURAV GOEL
CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

The Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) Punjab unit applauded and thanked the chief minister Bhagwant Mann for turning Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL) into a profit making unit. Coal from Pachhwar mine, clearing of pending arrears and buying a power plant helped PSPCL a great deal. Addressing a press conference along with spokespersons Govinder Mittal and Vikram Passi, AAP Punjab chief spokesperson Malvinder Singh Kang said that on the occasion of New Year CM Bhagwant Mann gave a good

news to the people of Punjab by buying Goindwal Sahib power plant. For the last 25 years, it has become a trend in our country to sell government companies to private players and corporates. Political parties and politicians take some under the table benefits and in exchange they hand over a public department to a private company. The Aam Aadmi Party is changing the politics of this country and this trend, we strengthen the public sectors and institutions. This, not only brings income to the government, but also provides facilities to common people without extra financial burden and generates jobs for our youth.

Boots, warm coats distributed to needy children at Darves Kutia Moom



BARNALA DEHATI (BALWINDER AZAD): A religious ceremony dedicated to the martyrdom of four Sahibzades was organized under the leadership of Sant Baba Gurcharan Singh Momm, the chief servant of Darves Kutia village. On this occasion, boots were distributed to the needy children and warm coats were distributed to the needy mothers. On this occasion, considering the martyrdom of the four Sahibzades and family separation, Baba Gurcharan Singh Mumm said that although the age of the Sahibzades was young, they gave priority to martyrdom without accepting anyone's sin. By following their footsteps, let us mature in our religion and do good to the society by living a life dedicated to service.

On this occasion, Baba Jang Singh Dewana, chief servant of Dera Baba Bhajan Singh Village Dewana, Feroze Khan, Vice President of People's Welfare Society, Pali Wajidke, President of Social Welfare Club Punjab, Head Granthi Bhai Surjit Singh, Bhai Gurveer Singh, Bhai Jarnail Singh attended the gathering.

Long queues at petrol pumps at Bajakhana, people struggling to get fuel



JAITU (JAGDEEP SINGH GILL): Due to long queues at petrol pumps in town Bajakhana, people were seen scrambling to get petrol, diesel and gas and people needed 10 liters of oil for each person. he was seen in the process of collecting 100 liters of oil. Similarly, some persons were seen coming and going with two liter and half liter cans and empty bottles. In this regard, according to the information received on the spot, there was an atmosphere of complacency among the petrol owners as none of the pumps had a stock of more than 10-12 thousand liters of petrol or diesel.

It was seen that the empty plastic cans or bottles on the nearby general stores were also out of stock and some people were seen carrying oil in water caps as well. The people demanded from the Center and the Punjab Government that the said new law which has been brought against the driver community should be reconsidered and no one should suffer any financial or mental loss.

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Oil tanker operators call off strike, fuel supply resumes in Jalandhar



JALANDHAR (PARAMJIT SINGH): With the persistent efforts of the civil and police administration, the oil tanker operators on Tuesday evening have called off their strike thus leading to the resumption of the fuel supply in the district.

The Civil and Police officials led by Deputy Commissioner Vishesh Sarangal, Senior Superintendent of Police Mukhwinder Singh Bhullar, Joint Commissioner of Police Sandeep Kumar Sharma, with battery of officials held many meetings with the striking operators in the depot of the Indian Oil Corporation at Suchi Pind. The senior officials assured them that their demands are being raised before the top officials of the state government and appropriate solution will be provided at the earliest. They emphasized that the government was very much concerned to regulate the supply of the essential items. They said that the operators were also a key part of the supply chain and all their issues will be resolved.

Rathore honours winning children of APS in Maharana Pratap National Open Taekwondo Championship

VERMA
GURDASPUR, JAN 2

Recently Rajasthan Taekwondo Asso. The students of Army Public School, Mamun Cantt, Pathankot had proved their talent by participating in the Maharana Pratap National Open Taekwondo Championship organized by Sawai Mansingh Stadium, Jaipur Rajasthan.

The children who won the competition were honored by Colonel Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore, Olympic medalist, Rajasthan Legislative Assembly member. This information was given by former Havildar Black Belt Shakeel Ahmed I Dan Kukkiwon South Korea. He told that in the competition, Akanksha, Ayushmaan, Karanveer, Rahim, Rabia, Aditya Kotch



won gold medal, Krutika, Sophia, Armaan, Tanveer, Japindra, Vanshual won silver medal and Christy, Maanvi, Mannat and Priyansh won bronze medal, bringing great joy to the school and their families.

Has made the name of India proud. Shakeel Ahmed said that seeing the way the children participated in the Maharana Pratap National

Open Taekwondo Championship and gave their 100 per cent and got the medals, all the children should learn from them and participate in the field of sports because children are the backbone of the country. They are the future and when these children prove their talent in the field of sports and other activities, they will bring glory to our India.

Center responsible
for uproar over
petrol and diesel:
Chandan Rana



RAJNEESH SHARMA
HAMIRPUR: Dr. Chandan Rana, Chairman of the Media Department of Pradesh Youth Congress, has stated that the ongoing strike due to the amendments in the Hit and Run law by the central government has impacted the common public in the country and the state. The law that imposes a seven-year sentence and a ten lakh rupees fine on drivers in hit and run cases has been protested against by truck unions and operators across the country. The Oil Tanker Union has also gone on strike. He mentioned that there is a shortage of petrol and diesel in the market, causing distress to the general public. In several districts of the state, private bus unions have also decided to strike and halt operations. Dr. Chandan Rana questioned the BJP, asking why the leaders, including former Chief Ministers, and ministers, who made a lot of noise when cement factories in Himachal were on strike last year, are now sitting silently and hiding when it comes to this issue.

HIMACHAL

YUGMARG, CHANDIGARH, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2024

CM inaugurates Winter Carnival, Manali

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, JAN 2

Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu inaugurated the five-day long National Level Winter Carnival at Manali today. He also offered prayers at the historic Hidimba Temple and flagged off the Carnival Parade from Circuit House, Manali. The Parade featured the involvement of more than 250 Mahila Mandals and cultural troupes from Himachal Pradesh and other States, presenting a vibrant display of traditions, cultures along with messages supporting social cause. He also inaugurated the cultural program at Manu Rangshala, the stage for the five day festivity. The carnival will witness performance from as many as 25 cultural groups from various States, including star-studded nights. He also expressed keen interest in the tableaux brought out by Mahila Mandals, departments and other institutions. While addressing a public meeting on the occasion,



the Chief Minister announced an increase in the 'Protsahan Rashi' for Mahila Mandals from Rs. 20 thousand to Rs. 25 thousand. Additionally, a provision of Rs. 10 crore would be made for a new bridge near Pandrah (fifteen) Mile in Manali. The Rohtang Manalsu, Tourism Hotel at Manali would be renovated besides a study will be conducted to explore the possibility of creating parking on the land of electricity board. Furthermore, he announced to organize skiing events in Manali

in the near future. He reiterated that that Kullu district had suffered huge loss during the last year's disaster. Even I could not reach Kullu to preside over the State Level function of Independence Day due to the massive devastation caused in Shimla by the monsoon fury where 51 people lost their lives in a single day, said Sh. Sukhu. Counting the loss, the Chief Minister said that 16,000 houses were damaged in the State, with 4,000 being completely destroyed. The Chief Minister

condemned the State BJP leaders for making unhealthy statements during the crisis when the State was reeling under the catastrophe of the decade. However, during the session, the BJP leaders did not support the State Government resolution to declare the calamity in Himachal Pradesh, a 'National Disaster'. He said that despite his willingness to collaborate for the state's benefit, no MP from BJP approached the Prime Minister for financial assistance. "Despite financial constraints, the State Government announced Rs. 4500 crore special relief package for disaster-affected families, remarked Sh. Sukhu. The State Government revised the relief package to the disaster affected families with manifold increase in the existing provision. The Chief Minister said that the State Government has initiated the distribution of compensation from district Kullu. As of now, a total of Rs 34 crore has been disbursed to the disaster affected families in the region, he added.

HP HC directs DGP be posted as Principal Secy Ayush

AGENCY
SHIMLA, JAN 2

Himachal Pradesh Government on Tuesday posted Director General of Himachal Pradesh Police Sanjay Kundu as Principal Secretary Ayush after December 26 order of Himachal Pradesh High court to move him from his incumbent post. In a notification issued here on Tuesday the chief secretary Prabodh Saxena said decision to post DGP was also taken on the recommendations of the Civil Services Board. Notification said posting of Sanjay Kundu, IPS (HP:1989), whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Department of Personnel, was posted as Principal Secretary (Ayush) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla, relieving Dr. Amandeep Garg, IAS (HP:1999) of this additional charge, with immediate effect, in the public interest. Himachal Pradesh High court had ordered on December 26 that on the allegations of influencing the probe of a criminals intimidation of a businessman, Director General of



police Himachal Pradesh Sanjay Kundu and Superintendent of police Shalini Agnihotri should be posted on other posts in the interest of justice. In a significant order passed by the division bench of Chief Justice MS Ramachandran Rao and Justice Jyotsna Rewal Dua on Tuesday directed the state secretary home or the respondent No.1 to take steps at the earliest to move the present incumbents holding posts of both the Director General of Police, HP and respondent no.2 (SP Kangra) to other posts. Court posted the matter to January 4, 2024 directing the state that duo should be posted where they would not have any opportunity to influence the investigation in the FIRs referred to in this order.

Transporters on road against hit and run law

SANJAY AGGARWAL
DHARAMSHALA, JAN 2

Transporters and truck drivers have gone on strike against the new hit and run law implemented in the country. Transport unions across the country are protesting against the new Indian Civil Code Act. He has demanded Prime Minister Narendra Modi to withdraw the law. Transporters and truck drivers across the country are on strike and people from various unions are continuously appealing for chakka jam. In fact, the Central Government has made a provision of 10 years' imprisonment and a fine of Rs 7 lakh in the hit and run case. Petrol has run out at all the petrol pumps around Dharamshala. Petrol is available at only one petrol pump. Two wheelers are getting petrol at Rs 200 and four wheelers are getting petrol at Rs 1000. Due to this there has been a long traffic jam. Seeing the seriousness of the situation, the local administration has deployed the police. In view of the shortage of petrol and diesel, private bus drivers have also parked their buses like this. It has become a cause of trouble for daily commuters. In view of this matter, Deputy Commissioner of Kangra District, Dr. Nipun Jindal has also issued orders to Maan Filling Station that petrol and diesel should be reserved for government vehicles. So that the officials coming and going for government work do not have to face trouble. On this occasion, local citizens said that the Central Government should think about the public interest before taking any decision. Local people said that the amendments made by the Central Government in the hit and run case are not right and the Central Government should withdraw this decision.

Interview for 22 posts of Shastri teachers on January 10

KISHORI LAL BAINS

UNA: Giving information, Deputy Director Elementary Education Devendra Chandel said that counseling for 22 posts of Shastri teachers will be held on January 10 at 11 am in the office of Deputy Director Elementary Education, Una. He told that earlier this counseling was scheduled on November 17 and 18, 2023, which was stopped due to some administrative reasons. He told that the candidates who have participated in counseling on November 17, 2023, are not required to come for counselling. He said that complete information including the list of candidates and biodata form is available on the office's website www.ddeena.in. Apart from this, call letters have also been sent to the candidates. He told that out of 22 posts of Shastri teachers, 8 posts are of unreserved category, 3 posts of EWS, 3 posts of OBC, 1 post of OBC BPL, 1 post of OBC WFF, 4 posts of SC, 1 post of SC BPL and 1 post of ST.

220 posts of Operator will be filled by TDC Placements and Services Private Limited, Chandigarh

UNA: 220 posts of Operator have been notified for girls by M/s Indusfinix Parwanoo, ITC Kapurthala, TDC Placements and Services Private Limited, Chandigarh. Giving information in this regard, District Employment Officer Akshay Sharma said that the interviews for these posts will be held on January 3 at District Employment Office Una, on January 4 at Sub Employment Office Bangana, on January 5 at Sub Employment Office Haroli and on January 6 at Sub Employment Office Amb. Campus interviews are being conducted in. He said that for the post of operator for Indusfinix Parwanoo, it is mandatory to have educational qualification of 12th and ITI in Fitter, Turner, Mechanical.

Voter registration for SGPC elections till February 29: DC

KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA, JAN 2

The work of preparing the electoral roll for the Shiromani Gurdwara Management Committee elections has been started which will continue till February 29. Giving information in this regard, Deputy Commissioner Raghav Sharma said that according to the schedule received from Director Panchayati Raj and Commissioner Gurdwara Elections, Himachal Pradesh, the initial publication of the handwritten manual will be prepared and its printing and maintenance will be done from March 1 to 20. He informed that the initial publication of the rules will be done by the Deputy Commissioner on March 21.



He said that the claims and objections related to the name, post and address published by the Deputy Commissioner in the preliminary publication list or in the case of an employee, his post and address can be submitted to the concerned revision authority by March 21. He said that the last date

for receiving claims and objections will be April 11. He informed that all the claims and objections received by Deputy Commissioner under Rule 10(3) of the Sikh Gurdwara Board Election Rules, 1959 will be settled on April 21. He said that the abbreviated rolls will be prepared for printing by May 2 and the final publication of voter lists will be done on May 3. He said that Sikh voters who have completed 21 years of age by 18.12.2023 can get their names registered in the voter list. He said that the interested person can get the form to enroll his name in the voter list from SDM office or Patwari or municipal body office. Raghav Sharma told that only form provided by SDM office should be filled and submitted. In rural areas the

forms will be submitted to the Patwari and in urban areas the forms will be submitted to Secretaries/Executive Officers of the urban bodies. Voter's name, parents/husband's name should be verified from Aadhaar Card issued by Government or Voter Identity Card issued by Election Commission of India and number should be mentioned (Form should be attached with Aadhaar Card and self-attested copy of Voter Card). Raghav Sharma said that the voter's latest self-attested passport size color photograph should be affixed on the form and the voter's signature/thumb impression should be there in the space provided on the form. The affidavit included in the form must have signatures/thumb impressions.

Protest lodged against proposed tourism village

SANJAY AGGARWAL
DHARAMSHALA, JAN 2

The voluntary organizations of Palampur have submitted a protest letter to the Governor regarding the proposal of tourism village on 100 acres of land of Agricultural University by the state government. Institutes say that India is an agricultural country. In such a situation, this university is a holy and sacred temple of propagation, dissemination and study of education in the field of agriculture for the sons and daughters of those farmers. The educational environment here should not be spoiled by making the proposed tourist city in this campus. He said that in view of the popularity of this



university across the country, Mehta and the high level of quality of education in the field of agriculture, three former vice chancellors of the same university have assessed and sent a draft to the service of the Government of India. The creator of this university and former Chief Minister Shri Shanta Kumar ji has also strongly advocated for this. In this way, there are strong possibilities of this

university becoming a Central Agricultural University in the near future. She requests that being a responsible head of the university, we should convey our voice to the government in public interest and under no circumstances should the Agricultural University issue a no objection certificate in this regard. Otherwise there will be massive opposition to this proposal of the government.

State govt should stop grabbing university land: Akash Negi

SANJAY AGGARWAL
DHARAMSHALA, JAN 2

Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad, State Minister of Himachal Pradesh, Akash Negi has issued a statement saying that from the tourism point of view, Vidyarthi Parishad welcomes the decision of the state government to make Kangra the tourism capital, due to which one or two places in Himachal The coming tourists will get other options and the whole of Himachal will progress from the point of view of tourism, but in lieu of this, the decision to shift the wild animals from Gopalpur Zoo in Palampur to the proposed Zoo in Vankhandi will sometimes be taken as a tourism village. A decision is being taken to acquire one acre i.e. 2600 Kanal land from *Agricultural



University, Palampur*. Vidyarthi Parishad strongly opposes this decision. We see that within Himachal, whether it is the Central University Dharamshala or whether it is the second state university of Himachal, Sardar Patel University Mandi, ever since the new government has come in Himachal. Since the Sardar Patel University, what is the scope of the incident, the state

government not giving the amount of Rs. 30 crores for the Central University, somewhere the negative attitude of the state government towards the educational institutions of Himachal is visible. Whether it is about passing a bill for Agricultural University, Palampur, Horticulture and Forestry University, Nauni, every decision of the state government is going to destroy the autonomy of educational institutions. We all know that a decision is being taken to take 100 acres of land of the University from the Agricultural University in the name of Tourism Village, the Student Council wants to tell the State Government that this land will be given to the students studying in the University for the research of scientists and researchers.

Prohibiting cart-pullers in name of beautification not acceptable: CITU

RAJNEESH SHARMA

HAMIRPUR: The Cart-Pullers and Workers Union (CITU) staged a rally and held a meeting with the executive officer of the municipal council in Hamirpur city. They informed the executive officer that for quite some time, those earning their livelihood by operating carts in Hamirpur city were being troubled. They were being uprooted from where they had been doing business for years and relocated elsewhere. Recently, the government and executive officers have planned a beautification drive for the city, intending to remove those working with carts from their current spots and establish them in other places. In opposition to this, under the banner of the Cart-Pullers and Workers Union, all workers associated with this field gathered and presented their case before the executive officer. They stated that no one would be removed from their original places until an agreement was reached. They asserted that they would continue to contribute to the city's beautification, lighting, and all necessary arrangements. Until there is consensus among the people, no decision should be made without a meeting of the Town Vending Committee. Over 100 workers participated in the demonstration.



Players get grand welcome in school after better performance



JOGINDER DEV ARYA

BANGANA: The 31st Sub Junior and 46th Senior National Throw Ball Championship was concluded by Jharkhand Throw Ball Association under auspices of Throw Ball Federation of India in Chandil, Jharkhand. In 31st Sub Junior Throw Ball National Championship, Adarsh, Akshit, Class X students of Arya Public School, Bangana and Aditya, class 9, demonstrated their talent better and won the Man of the Match award. National Throw Ball National Championship Federation officials congratulated Adarsh, Akshit and Aditya was honored with a trophy. Adarsh, Akshit and Aditya was given a grand welcome on reaching school. Let us tell you that recently the 31st National Throw Ball Sub Junior Championship was organized in Chandil, Jharkhand. Players from about 26 states of the country participated.

DM issues orders to maintain minimum reserve capacity of petroleum products at petrol and diesel pumps

KISHORI LAL BAINS

UNA: Due to the strike of truck operators, the supply of petroleum products has been disrupted in Una district for the last two days, due to which the availability of petroleum products is not as per requirement. For this reason, there may be a possibility of shortage of petroleum products at various petrol pumps in the district. In this regard, District Magistrate Raghav Sharma has issued orders keeping in mind the Himachal Pradesh Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Order 1977. He has asked all petrol pump operators in the district to ensure availability of minimum reserve petroleum products for emergency situations. He said that petrol and diesel pumps with capacity of 25 thousand or more have been asked to keep a minimum reserve of 3 thousand diesel and 2 thousand petrol for emergency situations. Apart from this, orders have been issued to keep minimum reserve of 2 thousand diesel and 1 thousand petrol capacity for emergency on diesel and petrol pumps with capacity less than 25000. District Magistrate has ordered the pump operators to fill only 10 liters of oil at a time. If any vehicle owner asks to fill more oil than this, he will have to take permission from the concerned SDM. He said that no person will be given oil in any container other than the tank of vehicle. Raghav Sharma said that emergency vehicles like ambulance, fire brigade or vehicles supplying other essential commodities, public transport vehicles will be given priority in filling oil.



Himanchal Taxi Union Manali presented a cheque of Rs 2.21 lakh to Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu towards the CM relief fund at Manali today.

Ram Temple: 'Akshat Nivandan Maha Abhiyan' starts



SURINDER DAMDAMI KOTKAPURA: The program for the holy light of Lord Shri Ram is scheduled to take place on January 22. The invitation campaign for this program has been started today. The campaign will be run across the country until January 15. Expressing the said words and giving information, Anil Singla said that under this campaign, RSS workers and People who have faith in Lord Ram will go from house to house to invite and deliver Akshat and also convey the message sent by Shri Ram Janmabhoomi Tirtha Kshetra Trust to the people. This campaign has been started in Kotkapura. Manish Bansal, District Convener of Sri Ram Janmabhoomi Tirtha Kshetra Trust, Faridkot, offered Havan in the temple in the morning and took the message sent by the Trust and Akshit invitation to the people. Meanwhile, Shri Jai Shakti Durga Temple, Gaushtala Temple Shikhawala Road with Ram devotees of Kotkapura, Sri Shiva Cave Temple, Sri Shiva Temple Govind Puri, Sri Santoshi Mata Temple, Sri Shyam Temple, Sri Radha Krishna Temple, Sri Guga Madi Temple, Maharishi Valmiki Temple and Govind Estate Shiva Mandir, with the help of Om Nursery Group/Women's Group members, Chanting.

Religious event organised at GGSPS Jogewala



ISHWER GARG TALWANDI SABO: Guru Gobind Singh Public Senior secondary School Jogewala, At Shri Sahaj Path was celebrated like every year, keeping in mind the New Year and the birth anniversary of Shri Guru Gobind Singh Ji. After the feast, SGPC. From preacher Bhai Jagtar Singh Khalsa discussed the story of Gurbani. The students were informed about the life of the tenth Patsah Shri Guru Gobind Singh Ji, the students listened to the Gurbani and Katha views with great interest. School Principal Gurpreet Singh Jogewala, who reached the school on the first day of the new year, talked about the importance of time apart from wishing the students and teachers a happy new year.

Truck operators strike against new 'hit and run' law leads to queues at petrol pumps



BALWINDER AZAD BARNALA DEHATI: The news of shortage of petrol/diesel after the strike by truck operators against the new 'hit and run' law of the central government has created an atmosphere of panic among the people. After which, long queues of people started to get fuel in their vehicles at the petrol pumps and people had to face a lot of hardships. Similarly, crowds of people gathered at all the petrol pumps in Dhanula area within a short period of time. The common people started getting the answer to the non-availability of oil from the city petrol pump located near the government hospital here very early in the morning. Apart from this, the petrol pumps outside the city were crowded all day.

Panchayat's income boosted with ponds: DC



SUMER GARG SANGRUR: Following the guidelines of the Punjab government led by Chief Minister, Bhagwant Singh Mann, the Sangrur district administration(SDA) has continuously been making positive efforts to increase the income resources of the panchayats to ensure the all-round development of the villages. While visiting the pond of Punawal village near Dhuri and giving more information in this regard Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur Jitendra Jorwal said that village ponds, which became a source of dirty water were being renovated and made suitable for fish farming under MGNREGA scheme. He added that after renovation, these ponds were being given on lease with the assistance of the fisheries department.

YUGMARG, CHANDIGARH, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2024

SAS Nagar gets 14 New Patwaris, total number rises to 111

SHASHI PAL JAIN MOHALI, JAN 2

In order to expedite the revenue related works in the district, today, 14 Revenue Patwaris joined the district thus the total number rose to 111. Divulging the details, the Deputy Commissioner Mrs Aashika Jain while inducting the new entrants in the district's revenue services, welcomed them formally and asserted to work diligently.

She said that the district has a total sanction of 136 Revenue Patwaris on field and 5 at District Head Quarter. With the insertion of 14 New Patwaris the figure has increased to 111 which is sufficient to operate the revenue department services in the district. Earlier, the district had 85 regular and 12 re-employed (contractual) Revenue Patwaris.

The Deputy Commissioner said that the new entrants have been entrusted with the task of two revenue patwar circles each. She expressed hope that the induction of new entrants would definitely facilitate the common people besides



strengthening the revenue offices in the district by helping to clear the pending works too.

The Deputy Commissioner further said that as the Revenue records help in all works related to sub registrar and tehsil offices so the new Patwaris would lesser the pain of common people by delivering their works in time. Directing the new Patwaris to work with utmost dedication and

PAU student bags second position in international poster presentation



CHANDIGARH (AVTAR SINGH BHANWARA): Ms Charanjeet Kaur, a Ph.D. student in the Department of Biochemistry, Punjab Agricultural University (PAU), secured second position in poster presentation during the VIIIth International Conference on "Global Research Initiatives for Sustainable Agriculture and Allied Sciences (GRISAAS-2023)," held from December 18-20, 2023. She was awarded for her poster presentation on the topic "Valorization of agricultural by-product to bio-product: A comparative methodology for Leaf Protein Concentrate production" authored jointly by Charanjeet Kaur.

Guv releases MC Annual Report-2023, Swacchta themed New Year Calendar



RN KHERA CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

Banwarilal Purohit, the Governor of Punjab & Administrator, U.T. Chandigarh, today unveiled Municipal Corporation's Annual Report-2023 and Swacchta themed Calendar for 2024 in the presence of city Mayor Anup Gupta and Municipal Commissioner Ms. Anindita Mitra, Joint Commissioner Sh Gurinder Sodhi and Chief Engineer N P Sharma. The Annual Report 2023 highlights the exceptional accomplishments and innova-

tions in various municipal domains. The report showcases the Corporation's commitment to efficient solid waste and sewage treatment management, the establishment of state-of-the-art infrastructure, fostering a commendable interface between corporations and citizens, and the promotion of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). MC Chandigarh's Calendar for the year 2024 has also been dedicated to Sustainability, Inclusivity, Empowerment of Communities, and Swacchhata.

EC of India conducts training on election seizure management system in Chandigarh

CHANDIGARH (CS JOLLY): Election Commission of India conducted training on Election Seizure Management System (ESMS) in Chandigarh today. Election Commission of India has developed ESMS for reporting seizures on real time basis made by various enforcement agencies such as State Police Department, State Excise Department, Income Tax Department, Narcotics Control Bureau, State Commercial Department, SGST, CGST, DRI, ED, RPF, CISF, BSF, ITBP, Department of Post, FSs, SSTs etc.

The Commission has implemented ESMS successfully during General Elections to Legislative Assemblies of Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Mizoram, Rajasthan and Telangana concluded in December, 2023 and is going to be implemented in forthcoming General Election to Lok Sabha to be held in 2024. Through this module, data of intercepted/seized items like cash, liquor, drugs, precious metals, freebies etc. will be digitized from the field directly.

The experts of ECI imparted training on ESMS to CEOs, DEOs, SLMTs/ NLMTs, Nodal Officers of enforcement agencies of Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Delhi, Jammu and Kashmir, Ladakh and Chandigarh. The training was held in physical as well as virtual mode. Trainees of Chandigarh attended the training physically and trainees of Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Delhi, Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh attended virtually.

Sri Akhand Path Sahib held by mini bus operator union



KULJIT SINGH DHINGRA RAMPURA PHUL, JAN 2

Sri Akhand Path Sahib Ji at the office of the union located at the local bus stand on the occasion of Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji's Avtar Day and the arrival of New Year by Mini Bus Operators Union Rampura Phul. indulgences were found. On this occasion, the Granthi Singhs encouraged the devotees to follow the path shown by the Gurus and connected the devotees with Gurbani. The President of Mini Bus Operators Union, Paramjit Singh Mann said that like every year, this time to, lessons were published and they

were enjoyed today. He said that apart from the transporters, this religious event has been organized thanks to the efforts of the bus station in-charge and all the staff. After the feast, the president of the union presented Saropao to the Granthi Singhs. Guru's langar was served in abundance. On this occasion Tirth Singh Sidhu, Harmail Singh Jatana, Roop Singh Jatana, Harinder Singh Jatana, Jasveer Singh Khalsa, Dilbagh Singh Bhullar, Kamalveer Singh Roop Kamal, Rupinder Singh Kauloke, Hardev Singh Akkia, Balwinder Singh Kotra, Hardeep Singh Dostil, Harjap Singh Tapa etc.

2 arrested in connection with shooting at student of Chandigarh University Ghauran

SHASHI PAL JAIN KHARAR, JAN 2

Kharar City Police have booked Ayus Rao, Aryan Basant, Akush Hooda, Matim Yadav, Ronak Choudhary, Sahil Yadav, Ujwal Tyagi, Monty and 5-6 unknown persons on the charge of firing a student of Chandigarh University Ghauran Gaurav Alis Ram who is residing at Modern Valley Kharar.

A case under has been registered against him under Sections 307, 148, 149, 427, 458, 506 and Arms Act. In this regard, this young man Gorav alias Ram told the police that he is studying MBA at Chandigarh University Ghauran and is stay-

ing on rent at Modern Valley Kharar. His two other companions also live in the same flat with him. His friend Dilpreet Singh, who is staying with him, has his own car which he parks outside the flat. At around 12 o'clock in the night, when they were asleep, they heard the sound of cars breaking outside. He stood in the kitchen and saw that all the accused were outside and they had severely vandalized Dilpreet's car and another car parked next to it. These persons were calling the name of the complainant and asking him to come out, to terminate him and continued to abuse him. After that, they opened the outer gate

of the flat and entered inside and started firing indiscriminately. After firing, they broke the outside glass. He said that while they were firing, one of their comrades was shot in the stomach and when the injured cried, they went away taking care of him. He said that if they had opened the lock of the flat, they would have been killed. He alleged that all the perpetrators used to study at Chandigarh University Ghauran and now they have left their studies because they had broken the complainant's car earlier in April 2022 as well. Meanwhile, Kharar City Police has arrested Mantiv Chaudhary and Monty.

Meeting held with officers of Kotakpura police station



JAITU (JAGDEEP SINGH GILL): Speaker of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha. Kultar Singh Sandhawan held a meeting with the officers/employees of Thana City Kotakpura today. He said that violence will not be allowed to rise in his constituency. For which adequate and strict security arrangements are being made. Describing the incidents related to crime in the last few months as unfortunate, Speaker Sandhawan said that the Punjab government is committed to eradicating all types of crime.

While collecting information about the law and order of the city of Kotakpura, he strictly instructed the police officers/employees that apart from streamlining the traffic system of the city, their main responsibility is to curb the incidents of robbery, theft and theft. He assured the policemen of all possible assistance from the government and said that they have laid the foundation stone of 5.25 crore development projects in their constituency yesterday.

Truck operators hold, resident cry for petrol-diesel

VICKY BHABAT ZIRAKPUR, JAN 2

The strike of truck operators against the anti-drivers law passed by the central government has had the biggest impact on the arrival of petrol diesel due to which a huge rush of petrol pumps and petrol-diesel refillers was seen from this morning. People were seen standing in lines to fill petrol in their cars, motorcycles and other vehicles.

According to people, the strike of truck operators is not known for how many days, due to which there is a shortage of petrol, diesel and other daily items.

Almost all the petrol pumps in Zirakpur have lines for kilometers. People are also reaching the petrol pumps with cannies and storing petrol. The petrol pump employees said that most of



the people are filling up the tanks. It is worth mentioning that the central government has passed a new law for the drivers that if an accident occurs with the driver's vehicle, the driver will be responsible for it and he will be liable for it.

10 years sentence and heavy fine will have to be paid. In the conversation with the drivers, they said that the main reason for the accident

is not the driver but broken roads, workload, pressure on the mind due to the bullying of government officials, increase in traffic, long queues of tolls etc. is Apart from this, many people come in front of trucks to commit suicide, so what is the truck driver's fault in that? He said that until this black law is withdrawn, they will remain on strike regardless of the outcome.

BJP distributes invitations from Sri Ayodhya Dham door to door in Zirakpur



ZIRAKPUR (VICKY BHABAT): The work of distribution of holy invitations from Sri Ayodhya Dham to be distributed door-to-door under the Shri Ram Mandir Pran Pratishtha Samag Abhiyan in Zirakpur city is slowly gaining momentum. Today, President of New Ganesh Vihar of Dhakoli area, Reshma Makhloga, former president of Motia Heights Society under the leadership of Kavita Chaudhary, Satish Mehta, Senior Vice President of Lokhit Seva Samiti, Satish Duggal, General Secretary Balveer Rajput, Alka Sharma in New Ganesh Vihar, Dr. Ramdoot groups of Shakti Enclave area, Seema Mathur, Kiran Malhotra, Satish Bhardwaj, Vinod Jhamb, Ashok Sharda, Kanchan Bhargava, Anju Rajput, Sarika Tiwari, Mandeep, Aman Singh, Ritu, Pooja and Neelam went door to door to visit the people. Invited Packets distributed at Ayodhya temple as well as holy places. Ramdoot Jathas were given a warm welcome in the entire area and the whole area resounded with the slogans of Jai Sri Ram. In the evening under the leadership of Narendra Aggarwal, Balveer Rajput and Namonrayan Sharma in Wadhwa Nagar of Baltana area Kirtan Jatha with Mahesh Singla, Sandeep Sharma, Meen, Santosh Kanwar, Kanchan, Praveen, Sheela Devi and Santosh Manchanda.

Lions Club Pathankot organises program under Swachh Bharat campaign



PATHANKOT (SHARANJEET): A special program was organized today at Dr. Attri Hospital Manwal by Senior Vice President of Lions Club Pathankot. In which Manpreet Sharma and Rajini, officials associated with Swachh Bharat Campaign from Municipal Corporation Pathankot, were present. During the program conducted under the guidelines of Project Chairperson Lions Savita Attri, Corporation Officer Manpreet Sharma and Rajni jointly explained about the disposal of wet and dry waste and the compost prepared from it. By recycling wet and dry waste, you can reap many benefits. He explained how we can make compost and use it in our plants by separating wet and dry waste. This will make our environment clean and beneficial for plants and we can use the waste in our homes properly.

On this occasion, Vijay Passi and Dr. M.L. Attri jointly said that our city will not only be clean but will also be beneficial for the environment due to the proper use of our household waste. Finally Project Chairperson Shavita Attri thanked the Lions members and other city dwellers present.

Distribution of invitations regarding opening of Ram Mandir Ayodhya starts in Kharar



KHARAR (SHASHI PAL JAIN): Dr. Pratibha Mishra, Convener of Shri Ram Mandir Pran Pratishtha Samiti, Ward No. 6, Kharar, said that today the first invitation was given to Pandit Vinod ji of Shri Shiv Mandir in New Swaraj Nagar, Kharar.

She said that the campaign to send invitations and worshiped akshats from house to house will continue till January 15 and on January 22, the day of Shree Ram Mandir Pran Pratishtha, Diwali-like celebrations will be celebrated in all the houses and temples. Apart from this, Hema Rawat, Rajinder Arora, Tirath Ram, Sardari Lal Tiwari, Rajesh Gupta, Indu Dogra, Raj Sharma, Alka Bhatia, Archana Gupta and members of the committee were present.

Those accused should look within themselves first: Ashwani Sharma

SHARANJEET PATHANKOT, JAN 2

Amidst the political controversy over the Vande Bharat train not getting a stoppage in Pathankot, former BJP President and MLA Ashwani Sharma has hit back at the allegations of the Aam Aadmi Party. Ashwani Sharma said during the press conference that how Aam Aadmi Party leaders are making registrations on Shamlat lands and accusing us of failure by occupying the drains.

Ashwani Sharma also targeted former Aam Aadmi Party and Congress MLA Amit Vij. He said that those who accuse us should look within themselves first. Those Aam Aadmi Party leaders are accusing us while the cards of the poor in the minister's own constituency have also been cut. The Punjab government talks about dispossessing panchayat and shamlat lands,



while in the city registries of shamlat lands were conducted openly and canals were also encroached upon. If a small hall is made bigger, then the minister is inaugurating it and not even calling the M.L.A. If you mess with us, it will be difficult for you to respond. We have built district, corporation, government college, stadium, auditorium, mini secretariat and trying to bring satellite center of PDI, Aam Aadmi Party tell how many grants it has brought in last 2 years. Lakshmi Garden Colony, 4 Marle Quarter of

the city has a sewage jam. On former Congress MLA Amit Vij, he said that what right do they have to point fingers at us, the former MLA is speaking the language of DC because the sword of 29-29 thousand rupees scam is hanging on them, due to which they You have to save your life. Build a welcome gate, get it checked, corruption will be revealed. Trust shopping complex was built at Balmiki Chowk during our time, in five years the former MLA could not sell the shops to the shopkeepers. Ashwani Sharma said that he is going to meet the Railway Minister tomorrow regarding the Pathankot stoppage of Vande Bharat and Vande Bharat at Pathankot. All possible efforts will be made to stop the train. Apart from this, he will also meet the Civil Aviation Minister to start flights here. BJP councilors were also present on this occasion.

Thieves commit heist,
captured in CCTV

SNEH CHOPRA
KARNAL: Thieves wrapped in blankets made away with cash worth lakhs kept in a basket in the factory. This act of thieves was captured in the CCTV camera installed in the factory. The thieves also tried to find the DVR but failed. The thieves had brought a big iron rod with which they completely broke the shutter leading inside the factory and then took the rod inside. The thieves also took away Chillar's galla along with lakhs of rupees. It is noteworthy that last night, 4/5 thieves together made away with cash worth lakhs in the factory manufacturing biscuits, chips etc. located on Janki Gaushala Road. Police reached the spot and registered the case by doing Panchnama. The search for the thieves continues. Let us tell you that last year there was a theft at a ply factory for which the police had registered a case but the thief is still missing.

Two sisters contribute
to social work



MANISH KUMAR
AMBALA: Two sisters from Ambala Barara, Tanu and Himani Sabharwal of class 11 and 9 have been doing social work for the last 10 years, motivating people and running various campaigns like starting road safety, campaign against dengue malaria, cleanliness campaign and many other campaigns. These two girls attracted to social works from their schooling. When they saw a number of children were sick Tanu and Himani encouraged them to take Ambrodazole tablets later on encouraged their friends to take the tablets. Initially, they spread awareness through banners and took their activities to campaigns. Every year, both the sisters encourage people to adopt cleanliness in front of the world's tallest Ravana in Barara and became allies against dengue malaria and saved many people from dengue malaria. Recently social activities like encouraging people to take the vaccine with the help of video conference encouraged people to take the vaccine and stay safe and healthy Tanu says that they face some difficulties in this work but they will continue their social activities like this.

SP Upasana honours 32 police
employees who did excellent
work during the year 2023 by
giving them appreciation letters



RANVIR PARASHAR
KAITHAL: On the New Year, SP Upasana has honored 32 police employees who did excellent work during the year 2023 by presenting them a letter of appreciation in the office of the Superintendent of Police for their commendable work, and congratulated them and wished them a bright future. SP Upasana said that after being honoured, more responsibilities have increased, hence present a unique example of social service by discharging your duty in a better way with more hard work and dedication. On this occasion, he said that while on duty, cooperation should be sought by behaving friendly with the common man while those doing illegal business should be dealt with strictly. He said that police job is an excellent medium of social service, therefore considering service, security and cooperation as their ultimate responsibility, the police should do commendable work and work for a better image in the society. Police spokesperson said that those honored

PIL in SC seeking to include CJJ in selection
committee for CEC, EC appointment

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, DEC 2

A Public Interest Litigation (PIL) was filed in the Supreme Court seeking direction to the Union of India to implement an independent and transparent system of selection constituting a neutral and independent selection committee for the appointment of the Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) and other Election Commissioners (ECs). The PIL seeks direction to set aside Gazette issued by the Centre on December 28, 2023, for the appointment of CEC and ECs. It seeks direction to the Centre to include the Chief Justice of India in the selection committee for the appointment of the CEC and ECs which currently comprises of the Prime Minister, the Leader of the Opposition in Lok Sabha and a Union Cabinet Minister nominated by the Prime Minister. The PIL filed by advocate Gopal Singh



stated, "The pivotal legal question placed for the court's consideration in the present writ petition revolves around the constitutional inquiry of whether the Parliament or any legislative assembly possesses the authority to promulgate a gazette notification or ordinance to nullify or amend a judgment previously rendered by this Court, particularly when the judgment emanates from a Constitution bench." Earlier, on December 28, the President gave

assent to the Chief Election Commissioner and Other Election Commissioners (Appointment, Conditions of Service and Term of Office) Bill 2023. Notably, on December 21, the Lok Sabha passed a bill to regulate the appointment and service terms of the Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) and election commissioners, with Law Minister Arjun Meghwal stating that legislation has been brought following a judgement of the

Supreme Court. The Chief Election Commissioner and other Election Commissioners (Appointment, Conditions of Service and Term of Office) Bill, 2023, was passed by the Lok Sabha after a brief debate. It was passed by the Rajya Sabha on December 12. The bill provides for the appointment, qualifications, search committee, Selection Committee, term of office, salary, resignation and removal, leave, and pension of the Chief Election Commissioner and other election commissioners. Meghwal said that the Election Commission (Conditions of Service of Election Commissioners and Transaction of Business) Act, 1991 does not contain provisions regarding the qualifications, search committee for preparing a panel of persons for consideration and recommendation by the Selection Committee for appointment as CEC and election commissioners.

'Police is committed to
make Punjab safe state'

VERMA
GURDASPUR, JAN 2

During the ongoing campaign to make Punjab a safe state as per the visionary thinking of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, the Punjab Police today busted a cross-border drug and arms smuggling racket run by US-based smuggler Manpreet alias Mannu Mahawa and arrested two persons from Amritsar. Has been arrested Director General of Police (DGP) Punjab Gaurav Yadav said that the arrested persons have been identified as Sandeep Singh alias Ladi resident of Guru Ki Wadali, Amritsar and Roshan resident of Heer, Amritsar. He said that the police teams recovered 19 kg of heroin, drug money worth Rs. 23 lakh, 7 pistols including a 9 mm ultra-modern Glock pistol, three .30 bore pistols and three .32 bore pistols from the possession of the accused. Apart from these, a bullet-coin with the stamp of Pakistan, a note counting machine and a remote controller of a drone



and spare fans have also been recovered. Along with this, the police have seized their Hyundai Verma car (PB06BB4064), in which they were going to supply the consignment of heroin. DGP Gaurav Yadav said that the preliminary investigation revealed that the said accused was in direct contact with US based trafficker Mannu Mahawa and was smuggling heroin from Pakistan and supplying it across the state. He further said that apart from finding out the previous relations of the accused, the teams of Amritsar Commissionerate Police are also investigating the matter from the financial point of view so that they can be frozen by finding out the reference links and property details.

Building bright futures: Good times, great
books, and supportive friends foster
healthy habits in children's free time



VERMA
GURDASPUR: Good times and great books as well as great mix of friends, entertainment and reading always support children in their free times. Reading is a good habit that not only enhances knowledge but also keep us away from evils. Keeping this in mind a library got opened in Preliminary education study centre running at Slum Area Maan kaur where 68 under privileged children are getting free education. This library add one more wing to their school. Besides this the valuable books written by eminent authors were given to students who have shown interest in them for reading in their own hamlets. Some of the books were donated by Gouri Mahajan, Raj departmental store Gurdaspur.

Students of Guru Nanak Khalsa College
win second place in state level quiz



RAHUL KOHLI
JAGADHRI: On the occasion of National Mathematics Day, a state level quiz competition was organized by Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra. A total of 19 teams from different colleges participated in the quiz competition, in which three MSc Mathematics students of Guru Nanak Khalsa College, Yamunanagar, Vanshika, Diya and Aarti, stood second. Registrar of Kurukshetra University, Prof. Sanjeev Sharma honored the girl students with a certificate of appreciation and a cash prize of Rs. 2100. On this occasion, Principal Dr. Harinder Singh Kang and Managing Committee President Randeep Singh Jauhar congratulated the winning students. Head of Mathematics Department, Prof. Gurvinder Kaur motivated the students to participate in such competitions from time to time and congratulated the winning students.

Taking care of your health during winter
season is priority: Municipal Commissioner

RAMAN GUPTA
KAITHAL, JAN 2

Under the able guidance of District Red Cross Society President and DC Prashant Panwar, as per the instructions of Mukesh Aggarwal, General Secretary, Indian Red Cross Society State Branch, Haryana, the poor, helpless and needy were camping on the road late at night to save themselves from the cold wave outbreak. Municipal Magistrate Gurvinder Singh distributed blankets to the people with the help of District Red Cross Society. The Municipal Commissioner said that during the winter season we should take care of our health first. To avoid cold, we should leave the house only if necessary, otherwise do not leave the house. In extreme cold/fog, we should drive slowly, so that we can save ourselves and other people from accidents. To prevent cold, drink hot water regularly to keep the body warm. Wear thick layered clothes instead of thin layered clothes. Wear a hat and mufflers, which help keep the body warm. People whose immunity is weak are prone to diseases, hence there is a need to take special care of children and the elderly. To protect yourself from cold and cold wave, take care of hygiene,



eat nutritious food. District Red Cross Society Secretary Ramji Lal said that at various places in Kaithal, people living in slums near the bus stand, around the railway station, on the roadsides at the main intersections of the city, in Kabutar Chowk, Pehwa Chowk, Blankets were distributed to poor persons at Hanuman Vatika, Civil Hospital, Labor Chowk. As soon as the needy people who were shivering with cold at night received blankets, the faces of the poor people lit up and said that blankets would be their only support in this cold, so that they would be able to protect themselves from this dreadful cold.

Dalit Unity Conference will be
held in Karnal on January 6

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL, JAN 2

Senior Congress leader and former member of Haryana State Staff Selection Commission, Ram Sharan Bhola, will organize Dalit Unity Conference of Congress at Jat Dharamshala Sector 12, Karnal on January 6. Rajya Sabha member Deependra Singh Hooda will be the keynote speaker on this occasion. On this occasion, the program will be presided over by Congress National Secretary Pradeep Narwal. Former speaker Kuldeep Sharma will be present as a special guest. Former MLAs Sumita Singh, Narendra Sangwan, Rakesh Kamboj, District Ram Sharma, Bhim Sain Mehta will be made special guests in the program. This information was given by the organizer of the program Ramsharan Bhola. He told that the program would start at 12 noon. He told that he had organized Dalit Unity Conference for the first time in 2001 in New Anaj Mandi.



After that it was held in Karnal in 2007. The main objective of this program was to make the Dalit community aware of their rights. He said that Congress has done a lot for the Dalits. They have to make people aware of what Congress has done for Dalits. He said that Dalits and backward classes have been traditional supporters of Congress. Efforts were being made to bring this community closer to Congress. He said that Congress turned 138 years old. He told that thousands of people from across the state would be participating in this conference. Preparations were being made for this.

Reflector tapes installed on vehicles by traffic
police to curb road accidents during foggy season



RAMAN GUPTA
KAITHAL: It is often seen that the foggy season is going on, which leads to road accidents due to lack of visibility of vehicles in the foggy season. On Monday, as per the orders of SP Upasana, the police station traffic police team has installed reflector tapes on the front and back of the vehicles moving on the roads, so that road accidents can be curbed. Police spokesperson Praveen Sheokand said that under the direction of SP Upasana, on Monday morning, DSP Lalit Kumar, Police Station Manager Traffic Sub-Inspector Ramesh Kumar and other police personnel of the traffic police, at Mihirbhaj Chowk, Pehwa Chowk, Jakhauli Adda, Jind Bypass, Chandana Gate. Red, yellow and white reflector tape was installed on vehicles including three wheelers, tractor-trolleys, trucks and cars. Apart from this, the drivers were motivated to follow the traffic rules by giving them flowers by the police. All the drivers were told that foggy weather is going on. During this time, apart from making people aware to take precautions and drive their vehicles at slow speed during the foggy season, guidelines were given to follow traffic rules properly and use fog lights and dippers.

Drivers hold protest against hit and
run laws at Kishanpura Chowk

RAJNI SONI

YAMUNANAGAR: In protest against the new law implemented by the Central Government (Hit and Run) Motor Vehicle Act, drivers went on strike at Kishanpura Chowk in Pratap Nagar Khizrabad on Tuesday, demanding withdrawal of the new law against the government. In this protest, local leader of Aam Aadmi Party and Lok Sabha Speaker Adarsh Pal Singh also participated enthusiastically and supported the protest on behalf of Aam Aadmi Party. Adarsh Pal Singh said that the laws made by the government were absolutely wrong as no driver intentionally caused an accident but if an accident occurred and the driver ran away from the spot due to fear of being beaten by the local people, then the driver would be punished with a jail term of 10 years and a fine of Rs 10 lakh. He said that instead of serving 10 years of imprisonment and paying of a fine of Rs 7 lakh, the driver would now ready to work as a laborer but he was not ready to do the job of a driver at any cost in such a way. There would be a huge shortage of items needed in daily life because the entire structure of the country depended on transport. Adarsh Pal Singh warned the BJP government and said that the anti-people laws should be immediately withdrawn, otherwise the public would teach a lesson to the BJP in the coming Lok Sabha and Assembly elections and would work to oust the BJP from the Center and the State.



Jasbir Panjeta listens
to people's problems



NARESH GARG

LADWA: Jasbir Panjeta, the district councilor, listened to the problems of the elderly and villagers in the village of Khairi and assured that the issues facing the rural populace would be addressed promptly. The villagers brought forth their concerns to Jasbir Panjeta, the Ward Seven member of the district council, and the JJP (Jannayak Janta Party) Laadwa constituency head on Tuesday. Elderly residents like Ramkaran, Pala Ram, Gurcharan, Sohan Lal, Trilochan, among others, expressed their grievances to Jasbir Panjeta. They highlighted the inconvenience faced by hundreds of elderly individuals in their village who had to visit the bank in Laadwa to claim their old age pensions. They mentioned enduring long waits at the bank, appealing for a system that could facilitate pension disbursement directly in the village. Additionally, they raised concerns about some individuals whose Below Poverty Line (BPL) cards had been canceled and faced difficulties in their family IDs.

Gondar, Kabirpanthi welcome
Vikas Bharat Yatra

DR ASHOK KUMAR
KARNAL, JAN 2

On the arrival of Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra in village Bohla Khalsa and Bohli of Nilokheri area, MLA Dharampal Gondar and former MLA Bhagwandass Kabirpanthi along with the villagers welcomed it. On this occasion, an oath was also administered to the villagers to make India a developed nation by the year 2047. Both the guests visited the stalls set up by various departments. On this occasion, Prime Minister Narendra Modi's message was read and a short film made on the development of Haryana was watched. Dharampal Gondar said that Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra is going to the villages only to ensure that every section of



the society gets the benefits of government schemes. Villagers should take advantage of these schemes. He appealed to the people present that those who are capable should come forward to help the poor and helpless in getting the benefits of the schemes and help them in completing the paperwork so that they can also get the benefits of the schemes, this is a virtuous act. He said that

through the yatra, feedback is also being taken from the people about the schemes so that if any deficiency is noticed, it can be rectified. He said that before 2014, plans were made but were not implemented on the ground. During the survey conducted in the year 2010-11, many people were deprived of BPL cards. Due to this, they could not even get free treatment in hospitals.

Last year, 4670 criminals involved in drug
trade were sent behind bars: Dr. Verma

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KAITHAL: Addiction makes life miserable. If you were intoxicated, mother would have told you to eat, my child. Father says, drink a little, why worry and live your life. All the things which our parents did not give us to eat are not edible for us. Dr. Ashok Kumar Verma, Sub Inspector in charge of Awareness Program and Rehabilitation of Haryana State Narcotics Control Bureau, said these words to the volunteers present in the 7-day camp of National Service Scheme. On the second day of the camp at Government Senior Secondary School, Pabnawa, Dr. Ashok Kumar Verma, in-charge of awareness programs and rehabilitation of the Bureau, was present as the chief guest and speaker. Today he came from Pipli to Kaithal



district on a bicycle. National Service Scheme coordinators Ram Niwas, Vikram and Suresh welcomed him in the school. Addressing the volunteers, Dr. Verma said that in addition to the Bureau, Additional Director General of Police, Mr. O.P. As per the guidelines of Singh Saheb and the orders of Superintendent of Police Mr. Shashank Kumar Sawan Saheb, he is making the young generation aware against drugs every day. He further said that one person

is dying every 4 seconds due to tobacco related diseases alone. According to World Health Organization data, 70 lakh people die every year while 17 lakh people are dying in India. He said that Haryana State Narcotics Control Bureau has been constituted by the Haryana Government to prevent drug addiction. Last year 2023, 3471 cases were filed by the Bureau in 11 months in which 4670 criminals were sent behind the bars.

Editorial

All work, no play

MR. Narayana Murthy's recent endorsement of a 70-hour work week opens up space to engage with it critically. It is imperative to delve into the profound implications it holds for class dynamics, gender disparities, and the psychological well-being of the workforce. Murthy's exhortation echoes a perspective deeply rooted in privilege. The luxury to choose to work extended hours is a prerogative that not everyone possesses. For individuals from economically weaker backgrounds and lower castes, the concept of choice is eclipsed by the stark reality of necessity. Working 70 hours a week becomes less about personal ambition and more about the fundamental need to make ends meet. How ethical is it to put the burden of productivity on those who are already at the receiving end? The International Labour Organization has consistently highlighted the disproportionate impact of long working hours on vulnerable groups. Their reports shed light on how such labour dynamics perpetuate an economic hierarchy that disproportionately affects those with fewer resources, reinforcing systemic inequalities.

Murthy's vision of a 70-hour work week also seems to be framed within the context of traditional male privilege. Men, historically shielded from the domestic responsibilities that women shoulder, can afford to dedicate extensive hours to their professional lives. On the contrary, women find themselves navigating a double burden, juggling not only their professional commitments but also the extensive responsibilities of household management. World Bank data make it evident that the gender disparities in the workforce contribute to an uneven distribution of labour responsibilities. Advocating a 70-hour work week without addressing inherent gender inequities would perpetuate male privilege and do a disservice to the principles of equality and inclusion in a democratic country.

This debate is not confined merely to economic and gender disparities; it transcends into the realm of mental well-being. Research from the World Health Organization and mental health institutions underscore the negative impact of overworking on mental health. Employees subjected to prolonged working hours often find themselves trapped in a cycle where the boundaries between professional and personal life blur, leaving little room for creative endeavours and rejuvenation. Such conditions foster an environment ripe for burnout, eroding not only mental health but also overall productivity.

Pakistan electoral body rejects over 3000 nominations

The Pakistan Election Commission (ECP) rejected the nomination papers of 3,240 candidates aspiring to contest elections at national and provincial levels to be held on February 8, 2024, ARY News reported on Monday.

It reported that the official data released by the Pakistan electoral body revealed that 1024 candidates were denied eligibility to contest national assembly elections and 2,216 individuals, failed to secure approval for the provincial assembly race.

A total of 25,951 nominations were filed by the candidates from which the Returning Officers (ROs) accepted 22,711 candidates. For the National Assembly, 6,449 candidates received approval and 1024 faced rejection. The ROs accepted 16,262 nominations for various provincial assembly seats. Punjab witnessed the highest number of rejections (521) for National Assembly nominations, followed by Sindh (166), Khyber-Pakhtunkhwa (152), Balochistan (92), and Islamabad Capital Territory (93).

For provincial assembly seats, the ROs rejected the nomination papers of 943 candidates in Punjab; 520 in Sindh; 386 in Balochistan and 367 in the K-P, for a total of 2,216. The total number of people who filed nomination papers to contest provincial assembly elections was 18,478.

Following the completion of two phases of the election process, in the third phase, appeals against the acceptance or rejection of nomination papers can be submitted by Wednesday and decisions on these appeals will be made by the 10th of this month, ARY News reported.

The preliminary list of candidates will be displayed on the 11th and candidates can withdraw their nomination papers by the 12th of this month. The electoral symbols will be allotted on the 13th of this month, while polling for the general elections will



be held on the 8th of next month. Moreover, ECP rejected the nomination papers for Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) founder Imran Khanb, dealing a major blow to the former Prime Minister ahead of the upcoming elections slated for February 8, 2024, The News International reported on Saturday.

Despite being disqualified from contesting the upcoming general elections in Pakistan, jailed ex-PM Imran Khan submitted his nomination papers from his home constituency in Mianwali on Friday, as reported by Geo News.

Meanwhile, in a development that has led to heavy criticism for Islamabad, the Pakistan Markazi Muslim League (PMML), a political entity of Hafiz Saeed, has fielded candidates for each and every national and provincial assembly constituency across Pakistan for the upcoming general elections slated to be held on February 8, 2024.

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Assembly's constituency NA-127, Lahore, while PMML's central president Khalid Masood Sindhu is taking part from NA-130, against Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz supreme and former PM Nawaz Sharif.

Saeed, who has been in jail since July 17, 2019, for other charges, was sentenced in April 2022 by a special anti-terrorism court in Lahore, Pakistan, to a jail term of 33 years for "financing terrorism." Despite being designated a terrorist by the UN and

EU in the 2000s, Saeed was neither charged nor extradited over nearly two decades. Saeed was designated as a terrorist by the United Nations Security Council in December 2008. Meanwhile, India has also conveyed a request to the Pakistani government regarding the extradition of 26/11 attack mastermind Hafiz Saeed to India for facing trial in a particular case.MEA said that New Delhi has conveyed the request with all relevant supporting

Literature & Health

Light exercise can be key to reducing childhood obesity linked to inactivity

Childhood obesity is directly connected to increased sedentary time as a youngster through puberty, but new research has discovered that mild physical activity can totally reverse the negative trend.

The study, published in Nature Communications, was conducted in collaboration with the Universities of Exeter, Eastern Finland, Bristol, and Colorado, and is the largest and longest follow-up to objectively measure physical activity and fat mass using data from the University of Bristol's Children of the 90s (also known as the Avon Longitudinal Study of Parents and Children). The study comprised 6,059 11-year-old children (53 percent of whom were female) who were followed up on until the age of 24.

Recent reports concluded that more than 80 percent of adolescents across the globe do not meet the World Health Organization's (WHO) recommended average of 60 minutes a day of moderate-to-vigorous physical activity. It is estimated that physical inactivity will have caused 500 million new cases of heart disease, obesity, diabetes, or other noncommunicable diseases by 2030, costing £21-million annually. This alarming forecast regarding the morbid danger of physical inactivity necessitates urgent research on the most effective preventive approach. Yet results from this new study shows that moderate-to-vigorous physical activity is



up to ten times less effective than light physical activity in decreasing overall gain in fat mass. Dr Andrew Agbaje of the University of Exeter led the study and said: "These new findings strongly emphasise that light physical activity may be an unsung hero in preventing fat mass obesity from early life. It is about time the world replaced the mantra of 'an average of 60 minutes a day of moderate-to-vigorous physical activity' with 'at least 3 hours a day of light physical activity'. Light physical activity appears to be the antidote to the catastrophic effect of sedentary time in the young population." During the study, a waist-worn accelerometer measured sedentary time, light physical activity, and moderate-to-vigorous physical activity among participants at ages 11, 15, and 24 years.

Excessive coal consumption leads to rise in respiratory diseases

Concerns have been raised by certain locals and specialists in the central Bamyan province regarding the rise in respiratory illnesses brought on by the excessive handling, loading, and burning of coal, as reported by Pajhwok News.

The method of loading coal in residential areas is against environmental and urban rules, according to Qudratullah Raha, the founder of the Bamika Higher Education Institute in Bamyan.

This practice has potentially resulted in hazardous effects on the environment.

Speaking about the spike in patients, Dr. Faroghudin Amini, the chairman of the provincial facility's Antani Department, mentioned that patients with heart issues, respiratory issues, allergies, the flu, sore throats, and other conditions frequently visited the facility. He thought that rising air pollution from burning coal and cars was the primary cause of the rise in respiratory issues.

According to Provincial EPD Head Muhammad Ibrahim Dadfar, one of the serious problems of this season is the rise in environmental pollution. He also stated that all citizens and businesses must abide by local and environmental rules.

He said that the majority of the coal loading and unloading facilities in the



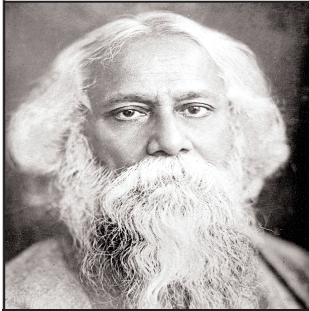
Qarghna Tou area had been relocated outside of residential areas in order to reduce environmental pollution, as reported by Pajhwok News.

In addition, he emphasised that all owners of hamams and heating centres were instructed to install filters on their heating facilities in order to decrease and regulate environmental pollution. In the event that these owners failed to comply, their licences would be cancelled.

POEM

Lost Time

On many an idle day have I grieved over lost time. But it is never lost, my lord. Thou hast taken every moment of



Rabindranath Tagore

my life in thine own hands. Hidden in the heart of things thou art nourishing seeds into sprouts, buds into blossoms, and ripening flowers into fruitfulness. I was tired and sleeping on my idle bed and imagined all work had ceased. In the morning I woke up and found my garden full with wonders of flowers.

Rabindranath Tagore

Technology, economics might help save endangered species

In the 50 years after the Endangered Species Act (ESA) was passed in December 1973, the world has changed drastically. Two Ohio State University academics were among a group of experts invited by the journal Science to explore how the ESA has evolved and what its future may hold. Tanya Berger-Wolf, faculty director of Ohio State's Translational Data Analytics Institute, led a group that wrote on "Sustainable, trustworthy, human-technology partnership." Amy Ando, professor and chair of the university's Department of Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics, wrote on "Harnessing economics for effective implementation." Berger-Wolf and her colleagues wrote, "We are in the middle of a mass extinction without even knowing all that we are losing and how fast." But technology can help address that. For example, they note the value of tools like camera traps that survey animal species and smartphone apps that allow citizen scientists to count insects, identify bird songs and report plant observations.

New tech has allowed scientists to monitor animal and plant populations at scale for the first time, said Berger-Wolf, who is also a professor of computer science and engineering, evolution, ecology and organismal biology, and electrical and computer engineering. One challenge is to find new ways to extract all the information from these new sources of data. "But



even with all this data, we are still monitoring only a tiny fraction of the biodiversity out in the world," she said. "Without that

information, we don't know what we have, how different species are doing and whether our policies to protect endangered species are working."

Most important, Berger-Wolf said, is the need to make sure to keep humans in the process. Technology needs to connect data, connect different regions of the world, connect people to nature and connect people to people.

"We don't want to sever the connection between people and nature, we want to strengthen it," she said.

"We cannot rely on technology to save the world's biodiversity. It has to be an intentional partnership between humans and technology and AI."

Economics should be another partner in the fight to save endangered species, Ando said.

"There's this tendency to think that protecting endangered species is all about biology and ecology," Ando said. "But various tools in economics are very helpful in making sure the work we do to implement the Endangered Species Act is successful. That is not always obvious to people."

For example, bioeconomic research is a multidisciplinary effort between economists and biologists to work together to see how human behaviour interacts with ecological processes and systems.

"We have to take into account feedback effects. People take an action, and that changes the ecosystem and that changes what people do," she said. "We need to capture those feedback effects."

The result can be novel ways to protect endangered species, such as "pop-up" habitat modification. For example, ranchers can take down fences temporarily while elk are migrating to allow them to move freely. Rice fields can be temporarily flooded during shorebird migration to give them a place to rest and feed on their travels.

We can "draw upon economics to optimize the timing, location and extent of temporary actions to maximize their net benefits to society," Ando wrote in Science.

Another way economics can help is to develop policies that protect species before they become so threatened that they need ESA protection.

A common issue is that multiple landowners will all need to work together to protect the habitat of threatened species. But often, if some landowners take actions to protect a species, other landowners will think they don't have to. "Economists have been working to understand how we can coordinate landowners where we don't have to implement draconian land use regulations, but still protect habitat," Ando said.

Chandigarh, UT Cricket Association (UTCA) has announced the Chandigarh team for the Ranji trophy match against Railways which is commencing from January 5. The team will be led by Manan Vohra as the side will start its campaign at its own home ground Sector 16 Cricket Ground. The league matches which last for almost one and a half months will have Chandigarh, Goa, Gujarat, Tamil Nadu, Punjab, Tripura and Karnataka in the same pool. UT's second match is against the host team in Goa on January 12 followed by Gujarat at Sector 16 Cricket Stadium from January 19. UT lads and host Tamil Nadu will face each other in the fourth match to be played in Coimbatore from January 26. Cricket Stadium, Sector 16 will be witnessing another clash between Punjab and host will take place at Sector 16 Cricket Stadium from Feb 2. Host will lock horns against Tripura at the same venue from February 9. The team will play its last league match from February 16 against hosts Karnataka at Hubli. The team is as follows: Manan Vohra (captain), Arsalan Khan, Arijit Singh, Haroor Singh, Mayank Sidhu, Gaurav Puri, Abhijeet Garg, Kunal Mahajan, Murugan Ashwin, Vishu Kashyap, Arpit Pannu, Sandeep Sharma, Nipun Pandita, Rohit Danda,

NSE operationalizes Common Investors Service Centre in Amritsar, Bhavnagar and Nashik

AMRITSAR: In order to cater to the needs of investors of securities markets in the states of Punjab, Gujarat and Maharashtra SEBI along with stock exchanges NSE and BSE has established an "Investor Service Centre" at Amritsar, Bhavnagar and Nashik. These Investor Service Centres managed by NSE were operationalized on December 31, 2023. With a view to enhance access and reach to investors, Exchange has setup new Investor Service Centres. The centre services query resolution, complaint resolution and necessary assistance in filing complaints in SEBI Scores Portal and the Smart ODR Portal. Shri Ashishkumar Chauhan, NSE MD & CEO, said: "The Investor Service Centre will facilitate resolution of complaints of investors against listed corporate entities and other registered intermediaries in the securities market and will also facilitate conducting of investor awareness programs in the states." ISC centres in Amritsar, Bhavnagar and Nashik will be centres of learning, interaction and knowledge sessions around all the investment related products and queries like Mutual Funds, Exchange Traded Funds, Sovereign Gold Bonds, Real Estate Investment Trust (REITs), Infrastructure Investment Trust (InvITs), etc. These centres will be open to all the students who are keen to learn, understand and invest in securities market. Investors may make use of the services of Investor Service Centre located at Amritsar, Bhavnagar and Nashik at following address: Investor Service Centre, Amritsar- Unit No. 307, 3rd Floor, Plot No. 3,

Hampton Sky Realty Ltd Launches High Street Commercial Project

CHANDIGARH: Hampton Sky Realty Ltd. is launching commercial project with a projected investment of Rs. 120 Cr by 2024-25. This project is within Municipal Limits of Ludhiana on NH-5 connecting Ludhiana with Chandigarh. The project will have all the famous retail Brands in the country. The project is on 12 Acres of land which has already been acquired by the company. The company estimates to make good profits from the project depending upon market Forces. The project will have constructed area of around half a million square foot and will be high street shopping with large lake and Children Park. Hampton Sky Realty Ltd formerly known as Ritesh Properties and Industries Ltd is growing at a steady pace in revenue every year. It has crossed last year's revenue in first 3 quarters of this FY. Also in Forthcoming projects of the company is a hospital with joint collaboration of Dr Devi Shetty's chain of Hospitals and also an Industrial Park is planned soon. Hampton Sky Realty Ltd., incorporated in 1987 has prospered because of good "Old Yankee" virtues – hard work, dependability, trustworthiness and professional competency.

IDMA and ICEXPO to host India's Premier Pharma Exhibition & Summit

Chandigarh : The Indian Pharma has taken giant strides in the global market in the last four decades. It has enabled to gain the distinction of "Pharmacy of the world". The Second Edition of Pharma Live Expo & Summit, organized by the Indian Drug Manufacturers' Association (IDMA) and ICEXPO is scheduled to take place from January 17-19, 2024 at the Bombay Exhibition Centre, Mumbai. It will help to catalyse to the tremendous growth of the Indian Pharma industry. Organised under the aegis of Department of Pharmaceuticals, Govt. of India, the event is also supported by industry stakeholders like Pharmexcil, IPEC, FPIE, FOPE, BDMAI and others. The Indian Pharma industry has experienced unprecedented rise owing to a perfect blend of a strong domestic manufacturing base, increasing innovation and robust Government support, in 2023. Propelled by the new Government initiatives like Current Good Manufacturing Practices (CGMP) and the Revised Schedule M policies are taking the industry to greater heights. The event is expected to attract 20,000 Pharma professionals across the globe from profiles like procurement, R&D, plant engineering and maintenance, production, QA, QC, supply chain and many among others. The expo and summit will be having exhibitors from diversified profiles including Pharma, Nutra and Herbal formulations, Pharma packaging machineries, contract manufacturing, Active Pharma Ingredients, lab and analytical instruments, drug intermediates, Excipients and ancillary industries to Pharma.

Auspicious Message from Namdhari Mukhi Thakur Dalip Singh Ji on the 'Ram Mandir Pran Pratistha Ceremony'

Jalandhar, (J.S. Sodhi) – Namdhari Mukhi Thakur Dalip Singh Ji extends a heartfelt message to all individuals of Indian origin across the globe. It is recommended that on 22nd January, a celebration akin to Diwali be observed by illuminating lamps and lights in homes. This joyous occasion marks the reestablishment of Indian culture in the form of the "Ram Mandir" after a span of 500 years. Lord Shri Ramchandra Ji transcends the confines of any particular religion; he stands as a symbol of the great hero of Indian culture. Therefore, people of Indian origin from all walks of life, regardless of their religious or philosophical beliefs, residing anywhere in the world, are encouraged to express their happiness on this auspicious day by lighting lamps in their homes, reminiscent of the Diwali tradition.

How will Nayan help Devansh? Watch 'Nayan Jo Vekhe Unvekha' Mon-Sat at 8:30 PM on Zee Punjabi

Chandigarh: As per the ongoing story of the show "Nayan Jo Vekhe Unvekha", Nayan finds Swami Ji before Pompey can give him a second injection dose. As we all know, Nayan finds Swami Ji on time, but the doctor says he can't speak now. On the one hand, Jasmine and Rita execute their Plan to trap Devansh. On the other hand, Shagun knows all the Jasmine's Vashikaran things, so she tries to inform Nayan about Jasmine's evil plan. How will Nayan uncover Rita and Jasmine's conspiracy? Are Rita and Jasmine planning to kill Devansh? Watch today's exciting episode of Nayan-Jo Vekhe Unvekha at 8:30 PM only on Zee Punjabi.

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How to treat athlete's foot at home

Athlete's foot is a common fungal infection that targets the skin. It is caused by the tinea fungus and is contagious—you can get infected while walking barefoot on damp floors in public showers, locker rooms, etc. If you have been infected by

Salt soak
Epsom salt helps absorb sweat and kills the odour causing foot bacteria. Besides, it also helps heal sores by reducing the inflammation caused due to athlete's foot. Add four teaspoons of this salt to a tub of warm water. Soak your feet in it for 5 to 10 minutes. Keep repeating this at frequent intervals until your feet are completely healed.
Tea bath
The tannic acid in tea acts as a natural astringent that helps dry out sweaty feet. Dip four to five tea bags in one litre of boiling water for about five minutes. Once it gets to room temperature, soak your feet in it for about 30

minutes.
Unsweetened yoghurt
Fresh yoghurt is an instant remedy for athlete's foot. It contains acidophilus bacteria, a friendly microorganism that helps keep a check on the fungus. Apply the yoghurt directly on the infected areas, let it dry and then rinse off. Mustard magic
Mustard has anti-fungal and anti-bacterial properties that could keep the fungus on your feet at bay. It also helps reduce inflammation. Add a few drops of mustard oil or a little mustard powder to a footbath. Soak your feet in the bath for at least half-an-hour.

Infosys Donates 50 Wheelchairs to PGIMER, Chandigarh

Infosys, a global leader in consulting and information technology services & ARPAN, Chandigarh has generously donated fifty wheelchairs to the PGIMER, Chandigarh. The donation was officially received by Dr Vipin Koushal, Medical Superintendent, PGI along with Dr Pankaj Arora, Incharge. New OPD. Dr Vipin Koushal, expressed his gratitude to Infosys for the valuable contribution, emphasizing the positive impact it will have on patients' overall experience. The generous contribution of fifty wheelchairs by Infosys aims to enhance the accessibility and comfort for patients visiting PGIMER's OPD, ensuring that individuals with mobility challenges receive the necessary support during their time at the hospital. This donation aligns with Infosys' commitment to making a positive impact in healthcare and fostering inclusivity. The donation reflects Infosys' dedication to supporting the well-being and welfare of individuals in the communities where it operates. The handover ceremony took place at the New OPD facility of PGIMER, where representatives from Infosys and hospital authorities gathered to mark this special occasion.

the fungus, try these home remedies to get rid of it:
Baking soda paste
Baking soda helps absorb unpleasant foot odours and relieves the itchiness and burning sensation between your toes or on your feet. Add one tablespoon of baking soda to some water and make a paste. Rub in the paste at the affected places, rinse it and thoroughly dry your feet. Dust with corn starch powder.

Devotees gathered to seek blessings of Satguru on New Year

Chandigarh/Panchkula/Mohali, January 2, 2024:- "Love is a matter of acceptance, not of getting others to accept it, when we realize this then we are freed from all kinds of bondages and are able to move forward on the path of devotion" is the statement of Nirankari Satguru. Mata Sudiksha Ji Maharaj expressed this while addressing thousands of devotees present in the special satsang ceremony organized at ground number 8 of Burari on the auspicious occasion of New Year. To get the benefit of this satsang organized on the beginning of the year 2024, Chandigarh/Panchkula/Mohali, Delhi and N.C.R. Thousands of devotees from other places also participated and were overwhelmed by the divine darshan and holy discourses of Satguru. On this occasion, Nirankari Rajpita Ramit Ji, while addressing the Sadh Sangat, said that our faith and reverence on Nirankar should be based on our personal spiritual experience and not merely inspired by someone else's words. From the point of view of Brahmagyan received from Satguru, it is best to do devotion while having darshan of God with His body. Satguru is providing the path to liberation in life by providing Brahmagyan equally to everyone and we can achieve this only through our experience and our true love.

Gurpreet Kaur, Leading Actress of Zee Punjabi's "Geet Dholi," Triumphs with Two Awards for 'A Silent Escape'

Chandigarh: Gurpreet Kaur, renowned for her captivating portrayal of Geet in Zee Punjabi's hit series "Geet Dholi," has added another feather to her cap. The esteemed actress secured two prestigious awards for her exceptional performance in the short film "A Silent Escape." In an expression of heartfelt gratitude,



Gurpreet Kaur shared her elation and appreciation for the platform provided by Zee Punjabi. She emphasized how the channel has played a pivotal role in her growth as an artist, allowing her to explore diverse characters and narratives. "Zee Punjabi allows me to introduce and develop myself, which helps me take on more challenging characters and stories," shared the jubilant actress.

Gurpreet Kaur's remarkable talent and dedication to her craft have not only elevated her status in the industry but have also garnered widespread acclaim from audiences and critics alike. Her ability to immerse herself in roles and breathe life into characters continues to captivate audiences across various projects. With this latest achievement, Gurpreet Kaur stands as a testament to the thriving talent pool within the Zee Punjabi fraternity, setting new benchmarks for excellence in the realm of entertainment.

Winners of the Iconic Sec 22D 'Shopping Fest' 2023 announced

Chandigarh: The renowned Sector 22D 'Shopping Fest' 2023 - an iconic festival of the tricity has concluded with the announcement of lucky draw winners. The festival that was held at the Sector 22 D heritage market was supported by the Chandigarh Administration. The fest had kicked off on

Association (MWA-Sec 22D) President Arvind Jain said, "I want to congratulate all the lucky draw winners who won this festive season. Indeed, it was an overwhelming response from the shoppers, who enthusiastically participated in the mega shopping carnival. This year 2024, we will try to bring more enticing offers for the shoppers with a vibrant and festive atmosphere, featuring entertainment, cultural events, and interactive experiences, making the fiesta a perfect shopper's paradise." In the lucky draws, Nikhil Chopra, won the Kia Sonet GL2MT HTK Petrol, in the first prize, while Razia Malik, and Sumitra Sharma, were declared second and third respectively and won the Kia Sonet GL2MT HTE, Petrol. Anita, and Ravi Kumar, were declared fourth and fifth respectively and won the Hyundai Exter 1.2 MT Kappa S. While Naseb Singh Saini and Ankush who were announced sixth and seventh won the Hyundai Exter 1.2 Mt Kappa EX. The other winners received 8 Mi TVs, 8 LG ACs and 8 LG refrigerators.

Ring in the New Year with fresh groceries from "Super Value Days" on Amazon Fresh

CHANDIGARH/ LUDHIANA : Welcome the New Year with stocked pantry by shopping during 'Super Value Days' on Amazon Fresh until 7th January. Explore a diverse range of fresh produce, pantry staples, and culinary delights with up to 45% off on a wide range of products from the comfort of your home. From vibrant fruits and vegetables to gourmet ingredients, Amazon Fresh provides a selection that caters to all your culinary preferences. Customers can shop from popular brands such as Nivea, Dal Motei, Ariel, ITC and Saffola among others, across categories including groceries, daily essentials, packaged foods, snacks, beverages, and staples. Say goodbye to the chaos of traditional grocery shopping and ring in the New Year with the ease and efficiency of Amazon Fresh, where your celebration starts with the click of a button. So, enjoy the chilly winters at home with convenient doorstep deliveries, quality ingredients and value offers from a single online destination. In addition, customers can avail an instant discount of 10% by using ICICI Bank Debit and Credit Card from 1st – 4th January with a minimum transaction of INR 2,500, and discounts up to INR 300. New customers can enjoy a cashback offer of INR 400 on their first four orders. Prime repeat customers can enjoy mega savings with cashback rewards of up to INR 150.

Up for winter essentials and ring in the New Year from the specially curated Winter Store & New Year Store on Amazon Fresh, so you remain cozy and comfortable at your home throughout the month.

Bank of India brings attractive FD rate for 175 days

CHANDIGARH: As a New Year gift to its customers, Bank of India, one of the leading public sector banks in India, has introduced a Super Special Fixed Deposit at a very attractive rate of interest of 7.50 per cent per annum for its customers & general public (for Rs 2 Crs & above to less than Rs.50 Crs) under specific maturity period of 175 days with effect from 1st January, 2024. This special fixed deposit is offering one of the most attractive rates for short term (175 days) deployment/ placement while comparing with other fixed deposit of similar tenure. The special fixed deposit is for domestic rupee term deposit only.

American Oncology Institute (AOI) in Hisar Achieves Successful Treatment of 56-Year-Old Patient with Cervical Cancer Post NACT

Hisar: American Oncology Institute (AOI) in Hisar proudly announces the successful treatment of a 56-year-old patient diagnosed with Cervical Cancer Post Neo-Adjuvant Chemotherapy (NACT). The patient underwent a comprehensive treatment regimen that included advanced Radiotherapy (IGRT) delivered by a Varian Rapid Arc Linear Accelerator. She was immobilized using an Orfit pelvic cast to ensure precise and effective treatment. The patient's treatment involved rigorous Radiotherapy sessions using state-of-the-art technology to target and manage the cervical cancer post NACT. The utilization of IGRT facilitated precise and accurate radiation delivery, ensuring maximum efficacy while minimizing the impact on surrounding healthy tissues. Dr Mohan Lal, Radiation Oncologist at American Oncology Institute, Hisar, commented, "Cervical cancer demands a strategic approach, especially post Neo-Adjuvant Chemotherapy. Our focus was on delivering targeted and effective treatment using advanced technology like Image-Guided Radiation Therapy (IGRT) via the Varian Rapid Arc Linear Accelerator. The patient's response to the treatment has been promising, showcasing the efficacy of our

personalized treatment plans." Dr Amit Dhawan, Regional Chief Operating Officer (RCOO) at American Oncology Institute, Hisar expressed, "This successful case highlights AOI's commitment to providing cutting-edge cancer care. Our team, led by experts like Dr Mohan Lal, remains dedicated to utilizing advanced technologies and personalized treatment strategies to ensure optimal outcomes for our patients." Cervical cancer is a significant health concern, and post Neo-Adjuvant Chemotherapy, the importance of precise and effective treatment becomes paramount. The utilization of advanced Radiotherapy techniques, coupled with personalized care, underscores the commitment of AOI in providing comprehensive and innovative cancer care. American Oncology Institute (AOI) at Sarvodaya Multi Speciality Hospital in Hisar is one of the best cancer hospitals in Haryana, offering a wide range of cancer treatment services in the region. As a proud member of the elite global network of the International Tumor Board, AOI in Hisar collaborates closely with leading medical professionals worldwide, ensuring that our patients receive the most advanced and informed treatment options available at the best hospital in Haryana. AOI Hisar specializes in a range of dedicated services, making it the best hospital in Haryana.



Budo Kai Do Mixed Martial Arts Federation of India students won medals in 5th National Sikh Games



Chandigarh: Budo Kai Do Mixed Martial Arts Federation of India, President, Sharanjit Singh said that his federation participated in the 5th National Sikh Games 2023, where his students brought glory to the federation by winning gold, silver and bronze medals.

Due to this, the medal ceremony was organized. He told that many of his students participated in these games and won medals. He said that Davinder Singh Dhalwal received the best fighter award. He said that from his federation Arshdeep Singh, Dilbag Singh, Rohit

Sharma, Harjot Singh, Prabhjot Singh, Sachin Sarao, Gurveer Singh Mann, Gurjant Singh, Kulwinder Singh, Dilpreet Singh, Davinder Singh Dhalwal, Lavjot Singh, Pritam Das participated and Won medals. Team coach Balram Hakla, team manager Ravinder Pal Sharma, general secretary Manish Kumar and joint secretary Harpreet Kaur were also present with him.

On this occasion, President of Budo Kai Do Mixed Martial Arts Federation of India, Sharanjit Singh wished the students.

Truck Drivers hold protest against hit-and-run law



SARDULGARH:(KULWINDER KARWAL) Members of the All Punjab Truck Operators' School Van, & Private vehicle operator Union blocked Ghaggar Bridge situated on Sirsa Mansa highway and raised slogans against the Central Government here today. Talking with Reporters Truck Union Sardulgarh president Jaswinder Singh Bhau said they were protesting against the "harsh law" made for truck operators and drivers as per which they would have to face imprisonment of five to seven years and penalty of Rs 7 lakh to 10 lakh in case they were involved in an accident. The union members during the protest handed over copies of memorandum to tehsildar sardulgarh demanding that the "draconian law" be withdrawn.

Union leaders gathered on this occasion said that if this "harsh law" is not withdrawn soon, then a big struggle will be waged by them. Truck union President Jaswinder Singh bhau, Sanjeev Kumar Singla, School Van Union President Ajai Singh, Major Singh, Satnam Singh, Jaswant Singh, Virsa Singh Bhinder, Balwinder Singh Soni were present on this occasion.

Oil Tanker Operators Halt Strike, Normalcy Restored in Jalandhar



Jalandhar, January 2 (J S SODHI) Following negotiations led by Deputy Commissioner Vishesh Sarangal and Senior Superintendent of Police Mukhinder Singh Bhullar, the oil tanker operators have called off their strike on Tuesday evening, leading to the swift resumption of fuel supply in the district. The civil and police officials, including Joint Commissioner of Police Sandeep Kumar Sharma, conducted multiple meetings with the operators at the Indian Oil Corporation depot in Suchi Pind. The officials assured the operators that their demands were being conveyed to the state government's top officials, ensuring a prompt resolution. Emphasizing the government's commitment to regulating essential item supply, they acknowledged the operators' vital role in the supply chain. Subsequently, Deputy Commissioner Vishesh Sarangal, SSP Mukhinder Singh Bhullar, and Joint Commissioner of Police Sandeep Kumar Sharma collected memorandums from the operators.

Samosa Reigns as the Top Snack on Swiggy: How India Swiggy'd 2023 Report

CHANDIGARH: Swiggy, India's leading on-demand convenience platform, shared Chandigarh's top trends in food delivery in 2023 with the How India Swiggy'd report. The report delves into Chandigarh's diverse culinary landscape and its growing penchant for convenience. With a strong foothold in the city's food delivery market, Swiggy has observed that dinner-time orders are the most prevalent, featuring dishes like Masala Dosa as the most popular choice. Notably, a single order worth Rs. 13,991.25 stands as the highest bill placed by an enthusiastic foodie in the city. Chandigarh residents favour an eclectic mix, with Masala Dosa, Dal Makhani, Chicken Briyani, Aloo Parantha, and Egg Roll becoming the city's most loved dishes. North Indian cuisine emerged triumphant as the most preferred category, aligning with the city's rich culinary heritage. For quick bites, Chandigarh residents turned to: Samosa, Pav Bhaji, Hot Chicken Wings, Tandoori Chicken and Chicken Popcorn. For those with a sweet tooth, the dessert choices were dominated by Jalebi (Desi Chees), Angoori Rasmalai, Sponge Rasmalai, Kullfi Faluda, and Rabri. Bhena Da Dhaba, Amrit Sweets, Katar's Sweets Bakery & Fast Food, McDonald's, and Burger King emerged as the go-to spots in Chandigarh, resolving the lion's share of orders. Speaking on these order trends, Siddharth Brakoo, VP National Business Head at Swiggy, stated that Chandigarh has once again proved that it is a food lover's paradise and Swiggy is proud to be the leading convenience platform for the city's food enthusiasts, reflecting our commitment to delivering exceptional culinary experiences. With our focus on convenience and delight, we are dedicated to serving Chandigarh's vibrant culinary landscape and quick commerce needs.

learning, and NLP. The final year centers on entrepreneurship- building start-ups, leading teams, and comprehensive understanding of the start-up environment, preparing students as future tech leaders.

NEWS AT A GLANCE

Blankets distributed by Red Cross team to needy people at various places



DAVINDER SHARMA RUPNAGAR: On Tuesday, in Rupnagar, as per the instructions given by Deputy Commissioner Rupnagar Dr. Preeti Yadav and under the leadership of Red Cross Secretary Sardar Gursohan Singh, her team went to the railway station, bus stand, Dana Mandi and slums in this biting cold blankets were distributed to needy people at different places. He told that in this biting cold especially for the elderly and children, staying in very low temperature for a long time could cause serious diseases like heart problems, cold, tonsils, asthma and pneumonia. He said that staying in low temperature for a long time resident may suffer from hypothermia. On this occasion, Red Cross's Pattern Mrs. Gagan Saini Kiranpreet Gill Executive Committee Member Advocate CDS Deol Mrs. Surendra Dardi Rajendra Kaur and Mrs. Seema Thapar participated.

DSP Manjeet Singh Aulakh honored for his meritorious services



RADHEY SHYAM SHARMA MORINDA: SSP Ropar, Gulneet Singh Khurana awarded DSP Manjeet Singh Aulakh for his good services and dedication towards his work at all times. SP Head Quarter Rajpal Singh Hundal (former captain of Indian Hockey) said that DSP Manjeet Singh Aulakh has rendered excellent services to the people since assuming his post in Morinda. He has also rendered excellent services during the Shaheed Jod Melas held at Morinda, Saheri and Sri Chamkaur Sahib. As part of the campaign launched by Punjab DGP Gorav Yadav to eliminate drug addiction from the state, DSP Aulakh visited various villages and schools to create awareness among the general public and school students against drug addiction.

Gol should solve problems of the people by talking to the truck unions: Mahajan

VERMA GURDASPUR: Principal Lion Jagatpal Mahajan said that truck operators all over India will protest against the new 'Hit and Run Law' by blocking the wheels of trucks on January 1, 2024, against the laws passed by the Government of India which are against truck operators. Have gone on strike all over India.

Due to which emergency ambulances and people doing daily work are troubling the petrol pumps to get petrol and diesel. Due to non-availability of petrol and diesel, health services are being adversely affected as well as agriculture and allied industries are being badly affected. Prin. Lion Jagatpal Mahajan said that black marketing will increase in the market due to the truck strike. Inflation will directly hit the poor people. Keeping all this in mind, the Government of India should find a meaningful solution by talking to the truck operators so that the common people.

Gurnam Singh Chaduni participates in Mahapanchayat of farmers

MANISH KUMAR AMBALA: Farmers held a Mahapanchayat in Narayangarh, Ambala and cursed the state and central government. Farmers said that they have not received the due payment for sugarcane for a long time whereas crores of rupees were outstanding towards the mill management. But the government has not yet taken any appropriate action in this matter. They said that in the past also the government has been alerted about their demands but the government did not take any appropriate decision. Farmers have also been protesting at the SDM office Narayangarh for the last several days. But there was no one in the government to listen to them. Even the farmers had started a hunger strike yesterday. But even after this, new orders have been issued by the government or administration. The Bharatiya Kisan Union President Gurnam Singh Chaduni also reached here on Tuesday to participate in the Mahapanchayat. He said that farmers should be given their rights. He said that the attachment orders have come in the case of the mill. That was completely unfair. He said that if they had not known then they would have even auctioned it online because nowadays most of the work was being done online. He said that the auctioneer would not even know that farmers owed crores of rupees to the mill. Chadhani said that the mill would not be allowed to be closed. They did not have enough water for paddy crop. That's why farmers were growing sugarcane here. But due to the government's delay crores of rupees were owed to the farmers.

Hisar resident accuses DSP of misconduct, Vij orders transfer to another district

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
CHANDIGARH, JAN 2

Haryana Home and Health Minister, Anil Vij taking serious note of allegations of misconduct against the DSP of Hisar by a resident, directed the transfer of the DSP from Hisar to another district. He also instructed the IG, Hisar to form an SIT and submit a report within ten days for the investigation of this case. Sh. Vij was redressing the grievances of people from various districts of the state at his residence in Ambala today. A woman from Hisar informed Home Minister that she had filed a case of misconduct against a person, but due to the lax working system of the Hisar police, the accused got bail from the high court. She alleged that facts were not brought to light in the case and the DSP misbehaved with her. The Home Minister ordered the transfer of the DSP to another district and the formation of an SIT for the case. Meanwhile,



Home Minister Anil Vij, taking strict note of the murder case of a BJP booth chief in Ambala Cantonment last night, directed the SP of Ambala for stringent action. He said that all involved suspects should be arrested soon in this case. Indeed, the murder occurred after a dispute in the area last night. In this case, the relatives of the deceased

demanding stringent action by Home Minister Anil Vij. Home Minister Anil Vij listened to various problems at his residence and instructed officials to take action. A woman from Kaithal alleged assault in a land dispute, on which Minister Vij directed the SP of Kaithal for action. Similarly, a person from Panipat deceived in monetary

transactions, a complainant from Nuh had no arrest of the accused in a dispute case, a resident of Nuh faced inaction in a rape case, a woman from Karnal faced harassment by a person, and other cases were brought to the notice of the Home Minister, in which directed the concerned officials for action. Chairman of Haryana Valmiki Mahapanchayat, Hari Kishan Tank along with media incharge Suresh Sauda, Sanjay Nambradar, and others, expressing gratitude to the Modi government for naming Ayodhya Airport as Maharishi Valmiki Airport and met Haryana's Home Minister Anil Vij today. They said that the society is happy and enthusiastic about the government renaming the airport after Maharishi Valmiki. Home Minister Anil Vij said that the BJP government is welfare-oriented for every section, and naming the airport after Maharishi Valmiki is a historic act by the government.

Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra reaches Kulvehri and Chhapra Kheda villages



SNEH CHOPRA

GHARAUNDA: Vikas Bharat Sankalp Yatra reached villages Kulvehri and Chhapra Kheda on Tuesday. MLA Harvindra Kalyan participated in the program as chief guest. On this occasion, He said that the villagers were getting full benefit of this yatra. On an average, more than 50 people were working on site in every village and he urged the villagers to take advantage of various schemes through the vehicle guaranteed by Modi that reached their village. Sarpanch Amrit Bala in Kulvehri and Sudesh Rani in village Chhapra Kheda welcomed the MLA by giving him a bunch of flowers. Yatra Coordinator Sunil Goyal in Kulvehri and Praveen Lather in Chhapra Kheda administered the oath to make

India a developed nation by 2047. Before this, PM Narendra Modi's message was read and a short film on the development of Haryana was shown. Developmental songs were presented by folk artists. MLA Harvindra Kalyan gave detailed information about the objectives of the visit as well as about Dayalu Yojana, Ujjwala Yojana, Ayushman Bharat Yojana etc. He said that there was a time in Haryana when BPL cards were made on recommendation or estimate. After the change of power, many people came to him and told that BPL cards were made for the rich people but the real poor were left out. He and some other MLAs put this matter before the Chief Minister. CM launched Parivar Pehchan Patra to solve the problem.

GM reviews performance of Northern Railway

NEW DELHI: Shobhan Chaudhri, General Manager Northern Railway held a performance review meeting with the departmental heads of Northern Railway at headquarters office and DRMs through video conferencing. The GM emphasized that Safety is the main concern over Railways, for which all out efforts should be directed towards maintaining the tracks, rolling stock, signaling and electric overhead wires are working in top order. He directed the departments to regularly conduct training and refresher courses for the staff to keep them motivated and informed of the working of the system to minimize human error. Heavy fog during the winter season poses a great difficulty in train operations across northern region. He advised all divisions to take all necessary remedial actions to proper & efficient working of signaling system. He shows his concern on rail fractures and instructed that monitoring of signals, rail fractures and rail welds should be done extensively and no error should be left.



Meeting held on problems of Numberdars



PREETI RANI

SADHAURA: Apart from the problems, the strategy to get these complete was discussed in the meeting of Numberdars held in the sub-tehsil office complex, Sadhaura on Tuesday. The meeting began with a two-minute silence in respect of the souls of the departed Nambardars. Block head Pando's Jasbir Singh wished everyone a happy New Year. He said that the Nambardars have been struggling for a long time to solve their problems but the government was not implementing these despite agreeing to some demands. Former vice president of JIP Anil Sandhu, Pawan Bhasin, Deen Mohammad, Premchand Gurnam Singh, Gurmej Singh and Kanwarpal were also present in this meeting.

Mayor inaugurates the Citizen Facilitation Center in Ward 21

RAJNI SONI

YAMUNANAGAR: The people of the city will no longer have to visit the Municipal Corporation office for every work. Citizen Facilitation Centers (CFC) will be opened in every ward by the Municipal Corporation. With the construction of a Citizen Facilitation Centre, ward residents will be able to get municipal corporation related work done near their homes. On Tuesday, Mayor Madan Chauhan cut the ribbon and inaugurated the Citizen Facilitation Center opened in Kansapur Community Center of Ward No. 21. Now the people of Ward 21 will not have to run to the Municipal Corporation office for corporation related works. They will be able to get



their work done only in the CFC. Mayor Madan Chauhan said that Citizen Facilitation Centers have been opened in Kansapur of Ward No. 21, Ambedkar Bhawan of Kirti Nagar in Ward No. 9 and Old Hamida Library in Ward No. 14. Staffs have been put on duty in all the three centres and MC related work was started. Soon this facility will be made available in other wards also. After

inaugurating the Citizen Facilitation Centre, Mayor Madan Chauhan, Joint Corporation Commissioner Neelam Mehra, Councilor Abhishek Moudgil and others took stock of the centre. Checked the computer system and other equipment kept there. After talking to the staff appointed at the centre, he instructed them to ensure timely delivery of work to every citizen.

State Youth Festival-2023 organised

PREETI RANI

SADHAURA: Under the direction of the Department of Youth Empowerment and Entrepreneurship, Haryana, the Directorate of Skill Development and Industrial Training, Haryana, Panchkula, successfully organized the State Youth Festival-2023 under the supervision of Sanjeev Sharma, Additional Director (Youth Affairs) at the Indradhanush Auditorium, Sector-5, Panchkula for three days. The main guests at the award distribution and closing ceremony program were Jnan Chand Gupta, Honorable President, Haryana Vidhan Sabha, and the special guest was Kulbhushan Goyal, Mayor, Municipal Corporation, Panchkula. Young artists from Yamunanagar district also participated in this grand event of the State Youth Festival, and the following participants from Yamunanagar district secured positions in this state-level Youth Festival: Sahil secured the first position in the Poster Making competition, Tanika and Kirti's team secured the first position in the Cookery (Group) competition, Jannat secured the second position in Solo Folk Singing competition, and Ridhima



Babbar secured the third position in the Speech competition. Winners who secured the first position were awarded a cash prize of Rs. 11,000 each, a certificate of merit, and a trophy. Those securing the second position received a cash prize of Rs. 7,500 each, a certificate of merit, and a trophy. The participants securing the third position were awarded a cash prize of Rs. 5,000 each, a certificate of merit, and a trophy.

Felicitatation ceremony of Randeep Surjewala will be held in Kalsana village on Jan 12



DALBIR MALIK

KURUKSHETRA: Preparations are in full swing for the felicitatation ceremony of Congress Party's National General Secretary and MP Chaudhary Randeep Singh Surjewala. Congress leader Sweete Ranga Nalvi was visiting from village to village and propagating the policies of the Congress Party. Sweete Ranga was inviting more and more people for the felicitatation ceremony to be held on January 12 in village Kalsana. For the felicitatation ceremony, Sweete Ranga along with her entire team was invited to the villages Rawal Khedi, Chanarthal, Chuduni, Sharifgarh of Shahabad area. She said that there was a wave of enthusiasm among all the workers regarding the felicitatation ceremony and added that every person has a voice that this time Congress government would be formed in the country and the state. On this occasion, Gaurav Aman, Manish, Rekha Shubham and workers were present.

People are receiving all govt facilities at home: Dharampal Gondar



DARSHAN SHARMA

NEELOKHHERI: MLA Dharampal Gondar stated that the 'Vikshit Bharat Yatra' has become a strong medium to reach the government's welfare policies to the people. Through these programs, people can present their problems before representatives and find solutions with the assistance of officials and employees. He mentioned that in the previous governments, common people had to visit government offices to get their work done, but now, under guidance and leadership of Chief Minister Manohar Lal, people are benefiting from government schemes from their homes. Former MLA Bhagwandass Kabirpanthi stated that Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visionary goal to make India 'self-reliant and developed' by the year 2047 is commendable. This accomplishment will establish India as a strong and influential nation on the global stage. He said that in the government formed under Chief Minister Manohar Lal's leadership, corruption and nepotism prevalent in administration and governance during the past nine and a half years have been eradicated.

Burning fire in closed room can be harmful to life: Civil Surgeon Barnala

KULDEEP SOOD

BARNALA: Cold waves have started due to winter weather, in which the elderly and young children are more affected. If they do not get treatment on time, they can be dangerous at times. These words were expressed by Civil Surgeon Barnala Dr. Harinder Sharma. Therefore, the elderly and heart disease patients should refrain from walking or going out of the house when there is more cold and fog in the morning and late evening. He said that fire should never be lit in a closed room in the house during the winter season, because burning of fire produces carbon monoxide gas and due to which there is a lack of oxygen in the closed room, which is also dangerous for health. The health department has issued instructions to the senior medical officers of the hospitals under the district to make necessary arrangements in the hospitals for the treatment of patients suffering from colds. Kuldeep Singh Mann District Mass Media and Information Officer and Harjit Singh District BCC Coordinator said that small children are more sick in this season, so children should wear warm clothes and boots-socks and head and hat. Asthma and respiratory disease patients should refrain from going out of the house when it is very cold and also eat hot things in the diet like soup, tea, coffee, balanced diet. To complete the lack of water in the body, after a short period or as needed, drink lukewarm or warm quality water.



44th tournament of Shaheed Udhm Singh Sports Club Sanghera inaugurated by Bhola Virk



KARANPREET KARAN

BARNALA: 44th tournament organized by Shaheed Udhm Singh Sports Club Sanghera. Inaugural State Awardee S. Bhola Singh Virk Pradhan Guru Gobind Singh College was organized from Sanghera. S. Bhola Singh Virk inaugurated the Teen Roja Sports Meet by performing the flag hoisting ceremony. On this occasion S. Bhola Singh, Martyr of Virk, Udhm Singh, President of Sports Club Sanghera, Baldev Singh Mahant and comment members Mr. Gurmeet Singh Treasurer, Mr. Darshan Singh, Mr. Naib Singh Sanghza, Mr. Bhagat Singh Akali, Sh. Master Darshan Singh Sanghera welcomed him with a sign of honor and a headscarf and said that the progress of the college is due to the well-known personality of the area, Mr. Bhola Singh Virk has reached the top in a timely manner and made everyone proud by inaugurating the tournament today, due to which the enthusiasm among the players has also increased.

SYDNEY: In order to bid farewell to their star batter, David Warner, Australia will look to finish the series on a high with a clean sweep to the Test series against Pakistan played at the Sydney Cricket Ground starting Wednesday. So far in the Test matches, the left-hand batter has scored a total of 8,695 runs at an average of 44.58 in 111 Test matches, including 26 centuries with the highest score of unbeaten 335 runs which came against Pakistan in 2019. In the ongoing series, Warner scored 208 runs in the two matches at an average of 52 and he is also the second-highest scorer in the series as he is just behind his counterpart, Mitchell Marsh who has scored 290 runs at an average of 96.67 in the two matches. Ahead of the final test the spotlight took to social media and informed everyone that he had lost his "baggy green" cap and urged everyone that whosoever has taken his cap should return him as soon as possible.

India skipper Rohit Sharma gives his take on South Africa sending inexperienced squad for New Zealand Test tour

CAPE TOWN: India skipper Rohit Sharma gave his take on South Africa sending an inexperienced squad for their New Zealand Test series in February. Last week, the Proteas named a 14-player squad for their two-match Test series against New Zealand next month. Uncapped batter Neil Brand has been named as the skipper along with six uncapped players in the squad. The changes have been imposed due to the SA20 and the Test series being held simultaneously where most of the contracted Test players will feature. Ahead of the second Test, Rohit stated that Test cricket is the "ultimate challenge" and he feels that the red ball cricket is where one wants to see top-quality play with the best players involved in it. "I mean honestly for me Test cricket is the ultimate challenge and you would want to see the best players playing in that format. Everyone has their own problems to deal with. I am pretty sure there is a reason behind it I don't know what the reason is. Definitely, Test cricket is something where you want to see the best cricket being played. Best and top players being available. I don't know what the internal talks or what the discussions are in Cricket South Africa. But in my perspective a lot of though should be given to Test cricket because it is the ultimate challenge you face in this sport.



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GLAMOUR

Love and romance in Vicky Kaushal, Katrina Kaif's New Year celebration

One of the most adorable lovebirds in B-town, Vicky Kaushal and Katrina Kaif, never miss a chance to set couple goals. VickKat celebrated their New Year in a romantic way in an undisclosed destination.

Taking to Instagram, Katrina treated fans with a glimpse of her New Year celebrations. <https://www.instagram.com/p/C1j4SI-Bvr3p/>

In one of the photos, Katrina can be seen resting her head on her hubby's shoulder and both can be seen enjoying their time together. Katrina also shared pictures where the couple can be seen smiling and posing for the camera.

She wore a beautiful white floral dress which Vicky opted for a casual look. Along with the images, Katrina extended warm wishes to fans and wrote, "Wishing Peace of mind , health , happiness and love for everyone in 2024"

As soon as the pictures were shared, VickKat fans and followers chimed in the comment section.

One of the users wrote, "Beautiful couple."

Another user wrote, "Cutieess."

Ahead of New Year, couple made their fans' Sunday morning extremely special with their appearance at the Mumbai Airport.

Vicky and Katrina were spotted heading out of the city at an undisclosed destination.

In the videos captured by paps, the couple can be seen walking hand-in-hand as they make their way to the air-

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port's entry gate.

Interestingly, the two did not leave to impart fashion goals besides couple goals. For the airport look, Katrina wore a white shirt and black pants. She completed her look by wearing a long black-coloured blazer and sunglasses.

On the other hand, Vicky donned a grey jacket that he paired with a black T-shirt and jeans.

The duo happily posed for the shutterbugs stationed outside the airport.

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Sharing the details of her relationship with Vicky, Katrina shared how Vicky was never on her 'radar'.

She said, "I did not even know much about him. He was just a name I had heard of but had never associated with. But then, when I met him, I was won over!"

Calling her relationship 'unexpected and out of the blue', Katrina added, "It was my destiny and it was really meant to be. There were so many coincidences that at one point all of it just felt so unreal."

Meanwhile, on the work front, Katrina will be seen in Sriram Raghavan's film 'Merry Christmas' opposite south actor Vijay Sethupathi and Farhan Akhtar's upcoming film 'Jee Le Zara' along with Alia Bhatt and Priyanka Chopra.

Vicky will be next seen in an upcoming untitled romantic drama film. Helmed by Anand Tiwari and produced by Karan Johar the film also stars Tripti Dimri and Ammy Vrik in the lead roles.

TV actors tackle winters in style with these fashionable tricks!



CHANDIGARH: As the winter's cold weather arrives, fashion transforms and merges warmth with style. Artists from &TV, known for their on-screen charm, embark on a fashion journey to revamp their wardrobes without sacrificing on style. Embracing the change in weather, actors share their best-kept secrets and unique winter fashion styles to inspire and guide fashion enthusiasts seeking trendy yet cosy outfits for the winters. These include Rahul Jethwa (Avadh Bihari Vajpayee, Atal), Geetanjali Mishra (Rajesh, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan), and Vidisha Srivastava (Anita Bhabhi, Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai). Rahul Jethwa, es-

saying Avadh Bihari Vajpayee in &TV's show Atal, says, "Winter is the season I find most inspiring for experimenting with my style. I opt for a loose-fitting light blue denim jacket, or a grey hood layered over a printed white t-shirt. Pair it with ankle-length light blue jeans and sleek black high-heeled boots. Another favourite winter look of mine involves donning turtleneck t-shirts matched with slim-fit pants and formal shoes, which always make me feel sophisticated. Recently, my mother surprised me with a stylish grey cashmere crewneck sweater. I was amazed that she didn't buy it for me. She had crafted it by hand, especially for me. This cardigan sweater fits perfectly on my shoulders and is incredibly versatile. It effortlessly complements any plain t-shirt, button-down shirt, blazer, or jeans. I often accessorize it with a checkered print scarf to add a touch of flair to my outfit."

Geetanjali Mishra, aka Rajesh from Happu Ki Ultan Paltan, shares, "I have recently observed a significant fall in nighttime temperatures, prompting me to switch my wardrobe for the upcoming months. Throughout the day, I opt for lightweight cotton Kurtis. However, as the sun sets, I embrace my recently purchased woollen jacket from Lucknow's renowned Aminabad market. Watch your favourite artists in Atal at 8:00 pm, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan at 10:00 pm, and Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai at 10:30 pm, airing every Monday to Friday only on &TV!"

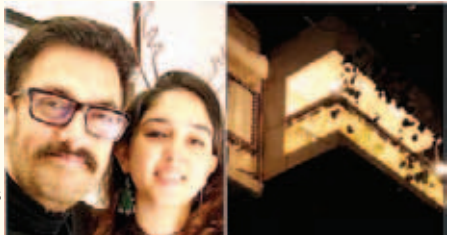
Aamir, Reena's residence lit up ahead of daughter Ira Khan wedding

Wedding preparations have begun at the Khan household!

Actor Aamir Khan's daughter Ira Khan is all set to tie the knot with her long-time boyfriend Nupur Shikhar on January 3. As the wedding festivities begin, glimpses of the preparations at Aamir and Reena's Mumbai residences have surfaced online.

On Monday evening, Aamir's household was all lit up with lights and glitters. His first wife Reena's house was also decked up with flowers and lights. Recently, Ira shared glimpses of her wedding festivities on her Instagram stories. In the first video, the guests can be seen having dinner in Maharashtrian style. Aamir's ex-wife Kiran Rao was also seen having the meal.

The other picture showcased Ira with Nupur, actor Mithila Palkar and others. Ira captioned the story, "The wedding festivities have begun." Ira wore a red colour saree and she opted for a no makeup look. Nupur, on the other hand, opted for a red kurta that he teamed with a golden jacket and black pyjamas.



Arjun Kapoor gets new tattoo, takes inspiration from phoenix

Actor Arjun Kapoor has started the New Year off on a hopeful note.

He took to Instagram and shared a video of getting a brand new tattoo. The 'Ki & Ka' actor wrote, "For only from the ashes of who we were, can we rise to become who we are to be. #RisingFromTheAshes #Inked #2024" In the video, he can be seen sporting his inked calf, which reads 'RISE', an inspiration from a phoenix.

He was also seen in conversation with the tattoo artists.

Soon after he dropped the video, fans swamped the

comment section with red hearts and fire emoticons. Actor Abhishek Bachchan dropped a raising hands emoji.

"Wow that is beautiful!!! That is so you!" a fan commented. Another user wrote, "Love that Phoenix @arjunkapoor." Meanwhile, on the professional front, Arjun was last seen in director Aasmaan Bhardwaj's dark comedy film 'Kutney' alongside actors Tabu, Radhika Madaan, and Konkona Sen Sharma.

He will be next seen in an untitled romantic comedy film opposite Bhumi Pednekar and Rakul Preet Singh.

Naya saal, naye sangharsh!

New Year will bring with it the biggest dose of entertainment on &TV. Here we reveal the intriguing details of what awaits viewers in &TV's 'Atal', 'Happu Ki Ultan', and 'Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai'. These popular shows promise exciting new developments and surprises for fans to look forward to.

About &TV's Atal track, Krishna Devi Vajpayee shares, "Krishan Bihari Vajpayee (Ashutosh Kulkarni) and Krishna Devi Vajpayee (Neha Joshi) inspire Atal (Vyom Thakkar) to embrace Sanskrit fully and stay away from mixing different ideologies. On his way to school with his father, Atal encounters a group of Krantikaris protesting the British Government again. This time, instead of reacting, Atal decides to strike a balance, saying, 'Santulan se kaam lunga'.

Krishan Bihari is happy to see this transformation in Atal. However, upon reaching school, Krishan Bihari discovers that Atal has been transferred from English to Hindi medium class by Stephen (Ray-

mond) without any prior notice. While Krishan Bihari is upset by this unexpected change, Atal sees it as a challenge to excel as a diligent student even in the Hindi medium. Later, upon returning home, father in-

gesh Tripathi) to attend a New Year's party. He tactfully diverts their enthusiasm towards a home celebration, and everyone agrees. Preparations for the celebration at home begin, but a twist arises when Beni (Vishwanath Chatterjee) shows Happu passes to a New Year's party featuring a Russian dancer. Excited, Happu and Beni attend the event, leaving the family upset. The following day, photographs from the party surface in the newspaper, much to Happu and Beni's dismay. Their attempts to conceal the news from the family are thwarted by Gabbar (Saheb Das Manikpuri), who shows the news to Rajesh (Geetanjali Mishra) and Katori Amma (Himani Shivpuri). Katori Amma punishes Happu by decreeing that he cannot refuse anyone's request for the next two weeks. Everyone takes advantage of this opportunity and bombards Happu with their demands.



forms the family about Atal's sudden transfer. Despite Krishna Devi's efforts to calm Krishan Bihari, he remains upset."

About &TV's Happu Ki Ultan Paltan track, Daroga Happu Singh shares, "Children request Happu Singh (Yo-

Paras Kalnawat delights Kundali Bhagya cast and crew with a 'kadak' Chai treat?



CHANDIGARH: Zee TV's popular primetime show - Kundali Bhagya - has been keeping its audiences hooked on to their television screens ever since its inception. Produced by Balaji Telefilms, the show features popular actors like Shradha Arya (as Preeta), Shakti Anand (as Karan), Manit Joura (as Rishabh), Paras Kalnawat (as Rajveer), Sana Sayyad (as Palki), Baseer Ali (as Shaurya), Shalini Mahal (as Shanaya). This family drama explores and brings to life a whole range of emotions as well as the deepest intricacies of human relationships. In the recent episodes, viewers witnessed that since Shaurya has started to develop feelings for Palki who is engaged to Rajveer, Shaurya plans to get him arrested by planting drugs in Rajveer's cabin but while he is on it, he gets arrested by police with drugs in his hands.

Actors often engage in numerous readings and rehearsals before delivering their performances, yet this doesn't hinder them from enjoying themselves on set. While in the midst of shooting, actors maintain their energy with preferred beverages such as juice, coffee, or tea. However, some actors, like Paras Kalnawat, find joy in taking on additional responsibilities. Recently, Paras decided to step in and save the day by surprising everyone with a self-made cup of 'Chai.' During an evening break, he took charge of the set's kitchen, treating the cast and crew to his special Masa-Chai, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.