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PM launches Rs 5,000 crore project for Jammu and Kashmir's Agri-Economy

AGENCY
SRINAGAR, MAR 7



Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Thursday inaugurated initiatives worth nearly Rs 5,000 crore for boosting the agri-economy in Jammu and Kashmir, during his maiden visit to the Valley since the abrogation of Article 370 by his government.

The Centre-led by Prime Minister Modi abrogated the provisions of Article 370 on August 5, 2019 and bifurcated the erstwhile state into the Union territories of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh.

PM Modi attended the "Viksit Bharat Viksit Jammu Kashmir" programme at Srinagar's Bakshi Stadium where he announced multiple projects related to agriculture and tourism. He dedicated to the nation the about Rs 5000 crore worth 'Holistic Agriculture Development Programme'.

lished and robust value chains will be put in place for the welfare of the farming community. The programme will lead to employment generation benefiting lakhs of marginal families in Jammu and Kashmir. He also launched nationwide projects worth more than Rs 1,400 crore related to the tourism sector under the "Swadesh Darshan" and "PRA-SHAD" (Pilgrimage rejuvenation And Spiritual, Heritage Augmentation Drive) schemes. These include a project for the integrated development of the Hazratbal shrine in Srinagar. In an effort to create world-class infrastructure and amenities for pilgrims and tourists visiting the Hazratbal Shrine, and to enhance their holistic spiritual experience, the project 'Integrated Development of Hazratbal Shrine' has been executed.

Kashmir's Beekeeper clicks selfie with PM

SRINAGAR: Prime Minister Narendra Modi clicked a selfie with an entrepreneur of Kashmir valley during his public rally at Srinagar on Thursday. Nazim, a beekeeping entrepreneur from south Kashmir's Pulwama district requested the Prime Minister for a selfie during the public rally at Bakshi stadium Srinagar. "A memorable selfie with my friend Nazim", Prime Minister posted the selfie on his personal account on X (formerly twitter).

CM Mann hands over job letters to 2487 youth

SUMER GARG
SANGRUR, MARCH 7:



Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann on Thursday handed over job letters to 2487 youth in the biggest ever such function thereby ensuring government jobs to around 43000 youth in nearly the last two years. The Chief Minister, while addressing the gathering in a function to hand over job letters to 2487 youth, said that out of these 1750 youth have been recruited in Home department, 265 in Social security women and child development, 39 in Revenue, 60 in Excise department, 421 in Local

Government department, four in cooperation and eight in Technical education department adding that a government job means a qualitative change in the lifestyle of the entire family. Bhagwant Singh Mann said that his government had assumed the charge of office on March 16, 2022 and

since then a spree has been started to give government jobs to the youth. He said that though earlier the jobs were given through corruption or nepotism but now they are given completely on the basis of merit. The Chief Minister said that this has helped in shunning the negativity in minds of youth due to which they have now shelved the idea of going abroad and the process of reverse migration has started in Punjab. He said that if in two years around 43000 jobs can be given then the question arises why it was not done in the last 75 years for the well being of the youth.

Yugmarg family condoles demise of Dr Vipul Trikha



CHANDIGARH: Dr Vipul Trikha, son of veteran journalist and editor Yugmarg Dr Chander Trikha has left for his heavenly abode on Thursday morning. He was suffering from prolonged illness. He was 56. His last rituals were performed at sector 25, Chandigarh this afternoon in presence of large number of people. Several political big wigs, bureaucrats and prominent personalities from different walks of life have paid their last respect to departed soul. Yugmarg family expresses its condolence on sad demise of Dr Vipul and pray that god may give peace to departed soul.

Punjab police arrest two BKL members

JALANDHAR: In an intelligence-based operation, Punjab police averted possible target killings with the arrest of two members of the Babbar Khalsa International (BKI)-backed terror module on Thursday. DGP Gaurav Yadav said that the module was operated by USA-based Harpreet Singh alias Happy Passion, a close aide of Pakistan-based terrorist Harwinder Singh alias Rinda, along with his associate identified as Shamsheer Singh alias Shera, presently based in Armenia. He said, "As per preliminary investigations, Happy Passion was working in connivance with Rinda and Shamsheer to radicalise the youth by motivating them to carry out anti-national activities in the state. The police recovered two pistols, four magazines, and 30 live cartridges from them." FIR has been registered under the UAPA and Arms Act at the State Special Operation Cell (SSOC), Amritsar.

HC orders judicial probe into farmer Shubhkaran Singh's death

CHANDIGARH: The Punjab and Haryana High Court on Thursday ordered a judicial inquiry into the death of Shubhkar Singh during the farmers' Delhi Chalo (march to Delhi) protest last month.

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The bench of Acting Chief Justice (ACJ) GS Sandhwal and Justice Lajpat Banerji, said that the investigation cannot be handed over to Punjab or Haryana "for obvious reasons" and constituted a three-member committee comprising a retired High Court judge and two officers of Additional Director General of Police (ADGP) rank from Haryana and Punjab.

The court has asked the committee to submit its report within a month. The court pulled up the agitating farmers for putting children in the frontlines of their protest and criticised Punjab and Haryana governments for failing to fulfil their responsibility properly.

Panchkula to soon get Metro : CM

BUREAU
CHANDIGARH, MAR 7



Haryana Chief Minister, Sh. Manohar Lal said that residents of Panchkula will soon enjoy the convenience of the Metro rail. The Metro project is underway to serve the Tricity area, encompassing Panchkula, Chandigarh, and Mohali. Panchkula is making continuous progress and is also benefiting from the airport infrastructure in Chandigarh.

The Chief Minister was virtually addressing the people of the state after dedicating projects worth more than Rs 4223 crore to the people of the state during a state level function organized in Panchkula today.

On this occasion, the Chief Minister also extended his congratulations to all the people of the state on Mahashivratri and International Women's Day. He mentioned that such programs, inaugurating and laying the foundation stone of projects for all the districts simultaneously through virtual means, have already been conducted eight times. In these programs, a total of 1612 projects have been dedicated to the public with a cumulative cost of Rs. 17,203 crore. This marks today's ninth program.

He mentioned that over the past decade, there has been an unprecedented surge in the laying of foundation stones and inauguration of new infrastructure projects both nationally and within the state. Notably, our government has taken the initiative to inaugurate projects for which foundation stones were laid during previous regimes. Highlighting India's growth trajectory, he said that the country's growth rate reached 6.7 percent, a significant increase from the 5.5 percent during previous governments. Similarly, Haryana's growth rate stood at 8 percent, indicative of the state's remarkable progress in terms of prosperity, development, and economy.



Bhagwant Singh Mann
Chief Minister, Punjab
*greet*s one and all
on the sacred occasion of

Maha Shivratri

Department of Information and Public Relations, Punjab



Bhagwant Singh Mann
Chief Minister, Punjab

I, Narinder Singh S/O Prem Singh R/O Vill & P.O. Mukandpur, Tehsil Banga, Distt. SBS Nagar, Punjab, have changed the name of my minor son from Gaurav to Gaurav Bhangu. Please note.

900022

LOST & FOUND

I- I, Manpreet Kaur, Wife Of Veender Singh, Daughter Of Dilip Singh, Resident Of Mata Rani Mohalla Khanna, District Ludhiana, Punjab, My 10th Class School Certificate, Which Was Issued By Allahabad District, From The School Of Lucknow, Has Fallen On 11 January 2024 In Mata Rani Mohalla, Khanna. Its Report Has Been Given To The Police.

PUBLIC NOTICE

ਮੇਂ ਬੇਰਜ਼ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਬਰਤਾਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਵਾਸੀ ਪਿੰਡ ਲਖਣਾ ਤਹਿਸੀਲ ਪਟੀ ਜਿਲਾ ਤਰਨ ਤਾਰਨ ਦਾ ਰਹਿਣ ਵਾਲਾ ਹਾਂ ਮੇਰਾ ਲਫ਼ਤਾ ਲਵਧੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਤੇ ਉਸ ਦੀ ਪਤਨੀ ਪਾਰਿਵਰ ਕੋ ਪਤਨੀ ਲਵਧੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਮੇਰੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਹਰ ਹਨ ਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਚੱਲ ਅਚਰ ਸੰਪਤੀ ਤੋਂ ਬੇਦਖਲ ਕਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ। ਅਜਿਹੇ ਹਾਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਮੇਰਾ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਕੋਈ ਸੰਬੰਧ ਨਹੀਂ, ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਖੁਦ ਜ਼ਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ ਮੈਂ ਨਹੀਂ।

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PUBLIC NOTICES

I Harbhajan Singh S/O Dalip Singh R/O VPO Nadala Tehsil Bholath district Kapurthala declare that my son Amritpal Singh is out of my control. I disown him my moveable immovable property.If anybody contact him , his/her , responsibility own risk.

98748

I, Sukhdev Singh, s/o Natha Singh, village Raia Tehsil and District Ludhiana, evict my son Lovepreet Singh and his wife Kulwinder Kaur, who are beyond my authority, from my movable-immovable property.

63372

I, Azad Dass S/o Hari Dass R/o Ward No 22, House No 70, P Block Ganganagar (Rajasthan) Now At Vill Khai Tehsil Nihal Singh Wala Distt Moga Declare That My Daughter Nirmala Rani (36) Is Out Of My Control. I Evict Her From All My Movable And Immoveable Property. Anyone Who Keeps Any Type of Relation Or Deals With Her Will Be Responsible Himself/Herself. I And My Family Has No Objection With Her.

63372

Parveen Goyal S/o sh. Krishan Dass R/o H.No 61, Near Al Haveli,VPO Baddowal, district Ludhiana declare that my son Rahul Goyal and his wife Vishali are out of my control, I disown them from my movable/immovable property. If anybody dealing with them at his/her own risk. We will not be responsible.

63372

I Satinderjit Kaur W/o Nidhan Singh R/o Vill Pallian Kalan, Distt SBS Nagar, declare that I have changed my minor daughter's name from Navleen Kaur to Kaur Navleen and Kaur is her surname. All the Concerns Please be Noted.

63372

I, Kewal Krishan S/o Ram Gopal Chopra R/o H.No. 1 St.No. 6 Basti Tanka Wali Ferozepur City (Ferozepur) Punjab, my wife's name on my Passport is Kamani Chopra whereas her actual name is Kamini Chopra.

63372

I, Hitherto Known As Hari Singh son of Nagaiya Singh Residence of Village Daun Majra, Tehsil and Distt SAS Nagar Mohali, Punjab, 140301. Have Changed My Name and Shall Hereafter Be Known As Labh Singh. It is Certified That I have Complied with Other Legal Requirements in this Connection.

63372

I hitherto known as Kanwarjit Singh Brar S/o Iqbal Singh residing at VPO Kaoni Teh. Giddarbaha Dist. Sri Muktsar Sahib Pin Code 152031 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Kanwarjit Singh. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection.

63372

I, Subash Kumar Ghai (Aadhar No. 2390 9581 6491) Son of Sohan Lal Resident of House No. W.G 419 Nakodar Road Suraj Ganj, Jalandhar declare that my Son Amit Ghai is out of my control Therefore I disinherit him from my movable and immovable properties.I or my Family Members Shell Not Be Heald Responsible for any of his act deeds and things. All please note.

42778

I, Gagan S/O Makhhan Singh residing at Village Dhamam Singh Diyan Chhanna,P.O. Umarwal Billa, Tehsil Nakodar, District Jalandhar, Pin : 144041, Punjab, India, I have changed my name Gagan to Gagandeep Singh and shall hereafter be known as Gagandeep Singh.

100066

I, Subash S/o Shri Chand R/o VPO Deoban Tehsil & Distt Kaithal (Haryana) have changed my name From Taranveer Singh Brar To Taranveer (Given Name) Singh (Surname). Concerned Please Note.

84451

I, Taranveer Singh Brar S/o Baljinder Singh R/o VPO Lander Keema Sub.Tehsil Siwan Distt Kaithal (Haryana) have changed my name From Taranveer Singh Brar To Taranveer (Given Name) Singh (Surname). Concerned Please Note.

84451

I, Balbir Singh son of Didar Singh, r/o Village Singhpura, Tehsil Safidon, Distt. Jind have changed my name from Balbir Singh Virk to Balbir Singh. Balbir Singh Virk entered in old Passport No.U615273 be corrected as Balbir Singh.

98732

I Urmal Devi M/o (No. 13698573P) NK Sanjeev Kumar(Retd.) S/o Sh. Balwant Singh R/o Village & P.O. Amin, Tehsil-Thanesar, District Kurukshetra(Haryana) have changed my name & D.O.B. from Urmal Devi (01 JULY 1956) to Urmila Devi (01 January 1951) vide affidavit before notary, District Court Kurukshetra.

100074

I hitherto known as VAISHALI AWAL W/o RAJAN KUMAR Residing at House No. 5277/1, Street No. 5, Anand Nagar, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana, Punjab-141001, India, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as VISHALI It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection

90002

I hitherto known as RADHA KAPOOR D/o VIJAY KAPOOR and W/o RAJESH KHOSLA Residing at House No. 955 D, Model Town Ext., Ludhiana, District Ludhiana, Punjab-141002, India, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as SHALU KHOSLA. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection

90002

I hitherto known as RAZIA D/o JAGTAR SINGH and W/o SANDEEP KUMAR Residing at Village and Post Office Mandi, Tehsil Phillaur, District Jalandhar, Punjab-144416, India, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as RAZIA KALER. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection

90002

I, Harjit Kaur W/O Baljinder singh R/O kutbe wala, Ferozepur (Rural) have changed my name from HARJIT Kaur to HARJEET KAUR concerned note.

900011

I, Jspreet Kaur W/o Mukhwinder Singh R/o.H.No.356, Near Dharmshala, Block Verka, Vallah, Amritsar have Changed my name to Jaspreet Kaur

72737

I, BASANT S/o BAKSHISH SINGH R/O VPO. SOHIAN KALAN, BLOCK MAJITHA , DISTRICT AMRITSAR HAVE CHANGED MY NAME TO BASANT SINGH. ALL CONCERNED PLEASE NOTE.

72737

I, Sarabjit kaur w/o Avtar Singh r/o vill bhaini massa Singh po algon kothi district Tam Taran have Changed my name to Sarbjit kaur

72737

I, Rajesh Mahendru S/o Sh. Vishwa Nath R/o H. No. 40-A, Sant Avenue, Mata Kaulan Marg, Amritsar, Punjab 143001 have changed my name to Rajesh Mahendroo

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I, Rishab Mahendru S/o Sh. Rajesh Mahendroo R/o H. No. 40-A, Sant Avenue, Mata Kaulan Marg, Amritsar, Punjab 143001 have changed my name to Rishab Mahendroo

72737

Kailash Chander s/o Bua Ditta R/O 34 Gokal Nagar Near Gopal Mandir Majitha road Amritsar have Change my name to Kailash Chander Kalhan Concerned Please Note

72737

I, Prabhjot Singh S/o Divan Singh R/o.VPO Rahal Chahal Distt TamTaran Punjab Have Changed my name from Prabhjot Singh to my given name is Prabhjot and my surname is singh

72737

I, Rajnish Saggi W/o Harpreet Singh R/o Chaudhriwala Distt TamTaran Have Changed my name to Rajnish Kaur

72737

I, Aditi Talwar W/o Saurabh Talwar R/o.H.No.5, Celebration Enclave Phase 2, Rattan Singh Chowk, F.G.C Road Amritsar have Changed my name from Aditi To Aditi Talwar

72737

I, Jyoti W/o Gagandeep Magoo R/o.29 Smile Enclave Vrindavan Garden FGC Road Amritsar have Changed my name to Jyoti Magoo

72737

I hitherto known as VEERPAL KAUR SANDHU W/o PARTAP SINGH GILL residing V.P.O. DARAPUR, TEHSIL & DISTRICT MOGAPIN-142054 PUNJAB INDIA have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as VEERPAL KAUR.

72737

I,Nirmal Kaur W/o Hardeep Singh Sandhu, Resident of village Chichrewal Teh/Dist Tam Taran, have changed my name from Nirmal Kaur to Nirmal Kaur Sandhu.

72737

I Ranjit Kaur W/o Nishan Singh R/o Village Kotli Wasawa Singh Post Office Rathoke Patti Distt. Tam Taran Pin. 143401 Pb. India Have Change My Name Ranjit Kaur To Ranjeet Kaur.

72737

I, Hitherto Known As I Gurpreet Singh Sidhar S/o Hardev Singh Residing At Shah Wala Road, ward No-10,zira, The-zira, Ferozepur-142047,punjab Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Gurpreet Singh

72737

I Hitherto Known As Prayanka Bansal Alias Gauri Aggarwal W/o Manish Bansal R/o Hno. 444, Akash Avenue, Fateh Garh Churian Road, Distt. Amritsar, Punjab, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Prayanka Bansal

72737

I, Hitherto Known As Harjit Singh Bajwa S/o Nirmal Singh R/o Moh. Dharampura Qadian-143516 Distt. Gurdaspur Punjab Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Harjit Singh.

72737

I, Pardeep S/o Gaze Singh Resident of House No. 767, Sector 19-2, Huda Tehsil & District Kaithal, have changed my name From Pardeep to Pardeep Kumar. PLEASENOTE.

100039

i hitherto known as MANJU LATA alias MANJU GUPTA W/O Rajender Kumar R/O House No.2537 A, G/F, New Housing Board Colony, Sector-12 Panipat Haryana-132103 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as MANJU SINGLA.

461257

i hitherto known as ROHTAS KUMAR G.U.P.O S/O MANGERAM R/O H.No.1542 Baljeet Nagar, Gali No. 6, Sanoli Road Panipat, Haryana-132103 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as ROHTASH KUMAR.

461257

I, Rudhar S/o Harbhjan Lal R/o V.Partappur, Po.Lohar Partappura, Distt.Jalandhar have changed my name from Rudhar to Ranveer Singh, All note.

461257

I, Kuldeep Singh S/o. Mangal Singh R/o. Village Jamalpur, P.O. Sudana, District. Jalandhar-144303 Punjab, India have changed my name from Kuldeep Singh to Kuldeep Singh. Please note.

461257

I, Swaran Lal son of Shri Hajara Ram resident of H. No. 89, Purani Colony, Bambianwali, P.O. Kukar Pind, District Jalandhar is hereby known as Sarwan Lal. Both the names of Swaran Lal and Sarwan Lal are of one and the same person. All may note please.

461257

I Abhishek S/o Ayub masih R/o 506, E Block shivalik vihar, naya gaon, Sas Nagar has changed my name from Abhishek Masih to Abhishek

50008

I Kamlesh Kumari W/o Raj Kumar Chauhan R/o #b-1/1466, Mittal Street, Ward No.3, Rajpura District Patiala Declare That Kamlesh Kumari And Kamlesh Rani Both Names Of One And Same Person. I Known With Both Names.

50008

I, Vispal S/o Raghubir Singh R/o village Nigdha, Tehsil Nilokheri, district Kamal, declare that I have changed my name from Vish Pal to Vispal. In future, I should be known and known as Vispal

100070

I Suman Upadhyay Spouse of No 15616169H HAV Sunil Kumar R/o Village Bakauri, District Chandauli (U.P.)Pin 232110.Declare that in My husband and my service Record My Name Mentioned SUMAN which is incorret My Correct Name is SUMAN UPADHYAY.Vide Affidavit RD0024526984.

9000A

I Lellamma Jacob mother of Army no.15622408H Hav. Ninsio Jacob UNIT No. 19 Guards C/o 56 APO R/o Pattupalay House Thondernad waynand kerala 670731 declare that I have changed my name from Lellamma jacob to Leelamma And DOB which is wrongly entered as 12.6.1962 in service record of my son changed to Correct DOB as 1.1.1965. Applying for Correction.

900026

I hitherto known as JASSHEEN KAUR BAKSHI Wife of AMARINDER SINGH PANESAR Residing at House No.3, Hari Garden Colony Sali Road Near Patel Chowk Pathankot Punjab -145001 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as JASSHEEN KAUR.

900026

I VINAY VIKRAM S/o Ashok Kumar R/O H.No.572A Ward No. 29 New Bank colony, Tehsil and District Pathankot Gurdaspur, Punjab-145001 have changed the name of my minor son CHIRAYU aged 13 Years and he shall hereafter be known as CHIRAYU MAHAJAN.

900026

I Tanveera Is Legally wedded spouse of number 15485571N Rank LD Name Farooq Ahmad Khan SM Of Unit 81 Armd Regt c/o 56 APO presently residing at VPO Rakhi Brah Tehsil Shangos Distt -Anantraj (J&K) Declare that I have changed my Name From TANVEERA To TANVEERA AKHTER Vide affidavit No. IN -PB93771545099589W Dated 07-03-2024 before notary Pathankot,Punjab.

900026

I Dalvir Singh S/o Dalip Singh R/o House No 206, Ward No 10, Amritsar Kalan, Near Gurudwara, Ellenabad, Sirsa Changed My Name To Dalbir Singh.

666554

I, Raj Kaur W/o Dalbir Singh R/o House No 206, Ward No 10, Amritsar Kalan, Near Gurudwara, Ellenabad, Sirsa Changed My Name To Raj (Kaur) As A Surname

666554

I Rajinder Singh S/o Prem Singh R/o House No 392/2 Sector 40A Chandigarh Changed My Name To Rajinder (Singh) As A Surname

666554

I Saravdyal S/o Gorakh Singh House No 1630, Phase 5 Mohali Changed My Name To Saravdyal (Singh) As A Surname

666554

I Bhooinder Singh S/o Jagbir Singh R/o Tharaj (Moga) have changed my name as Bhupinder Singh Gondara.

63372

I Sandeep Kumar S/o Parshotam Lal Village Cheema, Teh Sunam Distt Sangrur have changed my name from Sandeep Kumar to Sandeep Kumar Garg.

63372

I, Mohinderjit Singh Sharma S/o Sukhdev Ram R/o Vpo Sukhpura Maur Teh-Tapa Distt Barnala, Punjab, India have changed my name from Mohinderjit Singh Shamato Mohinderjit Singh.

63372

I, Kanta Kumari Sharma W/o Mohinderjit Singh R/o Vpo Sukhpura Maur Teh-Tapa Distt Barnala, Punjab, India have changed my name from Kanta Kumari Shamta to Kanta Kumari.

63372

I, Guresh Kumar S/o Krishan Kumar R/o H.No. B-XI/1074 K.C. Road Barnala (Barnala) have changed my name to Guresh Kumar Jain.

63372

I, Varinder Kumar S/o Krishan Kumar R/o H.No. B-XI/1074 K.C. Road Barnala (Barnala) have changed my name to Varinder Kumar Jain.

63372

I Dimplepreet Singh S/O Karnail Singh Dhindsa Village Chaunda District Malerkotla Have Changed My Name To Dimplepreet Singh Dhindsa.

63372

I, Sandeep Kaur W/o Balwinder Kumar R/o Vill: Hardoshaikh Teh- Phillaur (Jalandhar) have changed my name from Sandeep Kaur to Balwinder Kaur.

63372

I Chhinder Pal Kaur W/O Mithu Singh R/O Vill. Khai Tehsil Lehra Distt. Sangrur (PB) Have Changed My Name From Binder Kaur To Chhinder Pal Kaur.

63372

I Sarabjit Singh S/o Darbarsa Singh R/o Village Palsour Khurd Tehsil & District Tam Taran have changed my name from Sarabjit Singh to Sarbjit Singh.

63372

I, Munish Kumar Nayyar S/o Shri Narinder Kumar Nayyar R/o W.No.1, Back Side Kisan Pipe Store, Railway Road, Garhshankar, Teh Garhshankar, Distt. Hoshiarpur. Have changed my minor daughter name Parishato Parisha Nayyar.

63372

I, Balvir Kaur Alias Paramjit Kaur W/o Davinder Singh R/o VPO Alachaur, Teh Nawanshahr Distt SBS Nagar Punjab, have changed my name Balvir Kaur Alias Paramjit Kaur to Balvir Kaur.

63372

I Ashwari Kumar S/o Mukhtiar Chand R/o Vill Mahunwal Teh Nakodar (Jalandhar) have changed my minor son's name from Tanish to Tanish Sahota.

63372

I, Rajwan Rana S/o Telu Ram R/o Pahlawal, Teh Garhshankar Distt Hoshiarpur Punjab, have changed my name Rajan Rana to Rajan Rana Alias Rajan.

63372

I Amarjit Hem Raj S/o Suresh Hemram R/o VPO Heon, Tehsil Banga, 144505 Distt SBS Nagar, Punjab, India, have change my name from Amarjit Hem Raj to Amarjit Hemram.

63372

I Seema W/o Vinod Kumar R/o H N B-5/383/1, Kulam Road Nawanshahr District SBS Nagar have changed my name from Seema to Seema Rani.

63372

I Jashanpreet S/o Rajinderpal R/o Dharamkot (Moga) have changed my name to Jashanpreet Sharma.

63372

I Balvir Singh S/O Tarsem Singh R/O Village Happaol Tehsil Banga Distt Sbs Nagar Punjab India-144505 Have Changed My Name From Balvir Singh to Balbir Singh.

63372

I, hitherto known as Suneeta Bhatti W/o Rajinder Singh Bhatti R/o Rampur Teh Banga (SBS Nagar) Pin 144510, Punjab, India, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Rashpal Kaur.

63372

I, Manjeet Kaur W/o Najar Singh R/o Vill: Sahouli Teh Nabha (Patiala) have changed my name to Inderjeet Kaur.

63372

I Gurmel Singh S/O Sh. Chand Singh R/O W.No.02, Near Dhirang Road, Phul Distt. Bathinda Have Changed My Name To Gurnail Singh.

63372

I Shamjeet Singh R/O W.No.02, Near Dhirang Road, Phul Distt. Bathinda Have Changed My Minor Daughter Sukhleen Kaur Sidhu To Sukhleen Kaur.

63372

I, Malika D/o Satpal R/o Vill- Bahadurpur Teh Nawanshahr Distt S.B.S Nagar ,144518 Pb Declared That My Given Name Is Malika And Surname Is Kaur.

63372

I, Chetan S/o Boota Singh R/o Vill- Rasulpur Teh Nawanshahr Distt S.B.S Nagar, 144513 Pb Declared That My Given Name Is Chetan And Surname Is Nar.

63372

I, Gurpreet S/o Jai Ram R/o Vill- Mallpur Teh Nawanshahr Distt S.B.S Nagar ,144518 Pb Declared That My Given Name Is Gurpreet And Surname Is Mahey.

63372

I Prabhjot Alias Prabhjot Kaur D/O Avtar Chand R/O Vpo Muzaffarpur District Sbs Nagar Pb Have Changed My Name From Prabhjot Alias Prabhjot Kaur To Prabhjot Kaur.

63372

I Balveer Singh S/o Bhag Singh R/o Vpo Ajitwal, Distt. Moga have changed my name to Balvir Singh.

63372

I Paramjit Kaur W/o Balvir Singh R/o Vpo Ajitwal, Distt. Moga have changed my name to Pamjit Kaur Gadhre.

63372

I, Navdeep Kumar S/o Megh Raj R/o Samrala (Ludhiana) have changed my name to Navdeep Sharma.

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I Wirsia Singh S/o Rashpal Singh R/o VPO Valtoha Tehsil Patti District Tam Taran have changed my name from Wirsia Singh to Virsa Singh.

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I Alamjit Singh S/o Partap Singh R/o VPO Valtoha Tehsil Patti District Tam Taran have changed my name from Alamjit Singh to Alamjit as my Given name and Singh as my Surname.

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I, Nirbhai Singh Bassi S/o Bhupinder Singh R/o Vill-Kalodi Distt Sangrur Have Change My Name To Nirbhai Singh.

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I Gurpreet Singh S/o Nachhattar Singh R/o Vpo Gehal, Distt Barnala Pin Code 148100 have changed my name to Gurpreet Singh Dhalwal.

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I Aslam Mohd S/o Sharif Mohammad R/o Village Burj Baghel Singh Wala, PO Amargarh, Tehsil Malerkotla have changed my Name Aslam Mohammad.

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I Sharif Mohd S/o Mohammad Yousaf R/o Village Burj Baghel Singh Wala, PO Amargarh, Tehsil Malerkotla have changed my Name Sharif Mohammad.

63372

I Chand Singh S/o Bhupinder Singh R/o H.No.140, Ground Floor, KSB Royal Merigold Homes, Part.2, Ssector 127, Kharar, Po. Kharar, Distt.SAS Nagar Mohali have Changed my name Chand Singh to Chander Bhan.

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I Baljinder S/o Harbans Singh R/o Village Majri Kishnewali Tehsil Amloh District Fatehgarh Sahib Changed my name Baljinder Singh.

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I Sukhjitt Kaur W/O Gurtej Singh R/o Village Botian Wala, Tehsil Zira, (Ferozepur), Have Changed My Name Sukhjeet Kaur.

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I Gurtej Singh Dhillon S/O Tarlochan Singh, R/o Village Botian Wala, Tehsil Zira, (Ferozepur), Have Changed My Name Gurtej Singh.

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I Sukhraj Singh Ramgarhia S/O Jaswant Singh, R/o Vpo. Sherkhana Wala, Tehsil Ferozepur, (Ferozepur), Have Changed My name Sukhraj Singh.

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I Hardip Singh S/o Mohinder Singh R/o Vpo. Saranwali, Teh- Ferozepur (Ferozepur), Have Changed My Name Hardeep Singh.

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I Avtar Singh S/O Harmel Singh, R/o Vpo. Markhai, Tehsil Zira (Ferozepur) , Have Changed My Name Avtar Singh Bamrah.

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I Yograj S/O Balwinder Singh R/o Village Saidpur Po Mundh Tahsil Nakodar Distt Jalandhar Have Change My Name From Yograj To Yograj Singh.

63372

I, Jaspal Singh S/o Mahinder Singh R/o Vill: Ucha Bohar Wala Sarai Jattan Teh Sultapur Lodhi (Kapurthala) Pb, India, have changed my name from Jaspal to Jaspal Singh.

63372

I Gurprem Singh Brar S/o Gura Singh R/o Village Chughe Khurd Distt: Bathinda changed my name to Gurpreem Singh.

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I Raj Kumar Chana S/o Banarsi Dass R/o Som Sons Colony Malerkotla Have Changed My Name To Raj Kumar.

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I Jagjiwan Singh Sandhu S/o Kewal Singh R/o Khemuana (Bathinda) have changed my name to Jagjiwan Singh.

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I, Reeta Rani W/o Harbans Singh R/o Patti Bunan Pooaha (Bathinda) have changed my name to Rita Rani.

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I, Gurpreet Singh S/o Jaswinder Singh R/o 31141 St.No. 12/2 Paras Ram Nagar (Bathinda) have changed my name to Gurpreet Singh Goldy.

63372

I Sukhjitt Singh alias Sukhjeet Singh S/o Naib Singh, Vpo Kot Sukhia Teh Kotkapura (Faridkot) I have known by both names Sukhjitt Singh and Sukhjeet Singh.

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I, Inderjit Singh S/o Joginder Singh R/o Near Rasulpur Road Patti Jasso Daudhar Sharki (Moga) Changed Name Inderjit Singh to Inderjit Singh Sidhu.

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I, Kiranjit Kaur Gharu W/o Jagjit Singh Gharu R/o VPO Gajeana (Moga) Changed Name Kiranjeet Kaur Gharu.

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I Jasvinder Kaur W/O Devinder Singh R/O Doburji Ludhiana Changed My Name Jasvinder Kaur To Jasvinder Kaur Jhaaji.

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I Swaranjit Kaur W/O Amarjit Singh R/O. Vpo. Bajakhana Teh. Jaitu Distt. Faridkot (PB) Have Changed My Name Swaranjit Kaur To Swarnjit Kaur.

63372

I Shinderpal Kaur W/O Kulwinder Singh Dhillon R/O.Vpo. Bajakhana Teh. Jaitu Distt. Faridkot (PB) Have Changed My Name Shinderpal Kaur To Shinderpal Kaur Dhillon.

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I Kulwinder Singh S/O Angrej Singh R/O. Vpo. Bajakhana Teh. Jaitu Distt. Faridkot (PB) Have Changed My Name Kulwinder Singh To Kulwinder Singh Dhillon.

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I Sajjan Singh S/O Kehar Singh Village Bhikhi Khattra Tehsil : Payal Ludhiana Have Changed My Name Narinder Singh.

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I Devinder Singh Johal S/O Shamsher Singh Village Baburpur Tehsil : Payal Ludhiana Have Changed My Name Devinder Singh.

63372

I, Sweete Arora W/o Jugesh Kumar R/o Kulam Road Nawanshahr have changed my name to Sweete.

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I, Kiran Bala W/o Sh. Sanjeev Kumar, R/o BIX-49/167, Gali No. 4, Hardayal Nagar, Shekhe Pind, Jalandhar declare That I have changed my minor daughter's name from Chahat to Chahat Aggarwal.

63372

I Ravi Kumar S/o Diwan Chand R/o H. No. 73 Gali No. 02, Kartar Nagar, New Model House, Jalandhar -144003 (Punjab), have changed name of my minor daughter from Deepshikha to Deepshikha Bhagat. (Given name Deepshikha Surname as Bhagat).

63372

I Ravi Kumar S/o Diwan Chand R/o H. No. 73 Gali No. 02, Kartar Nagar, New Model House, Jalandhar -144003 (Punjab), have changed name of my minor daughter from Sanvi to Sanvi Bhagat. (Given name Sanvi Surname as Bhagat).

63372

I, Devinder Kaur D/o Sukhwant Singh W/o Avtar Singh R/o Village Katana, P.O. Apra, Jalandhar, Punjab 144416 changed my name From Devinder Kaur to Davinder Kaur.

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I Jagjit Singh S/O Gursewak Singh R/O Village Gondara PO Bargari (Faridkot) Have Changed My Name Jagjit Singh To Jagjit Singh Gondara.

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I Sukhjitt Kaur W/O Balveer Singh R/O Village Lambwali PO Bajakhana (Faridkot) Have Changed My Name Sukhjitt Kaur To Sukhjeet Kaur.

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I Balvir S/O Surinder Pal Vill Dansiwal Tehsil Garhshankar Distt Hoshiarpur Have Changed My Name Balvir To Balbir Balbir.

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I Kuldeep Rana S/O Balbir R/O Vill Salwan Tehsil Assandh Distt Karnal Have Changed My Name From Kuldeep Rana To Sombir.

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I Malkit Kaur W/O Bakhtour Singh R/O Baghapurana (Moga) Have Changed My Name To Malkiat Kaur.

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I Varinder Kaur D/O Ranjit Singh Dhalwal R/O Kot Kapura (Faridkot) Have Changed My Name Varinder Kaur To Varinder Kaur Dhalwal.

63372

I, Satinderjit Kaur W/o Nidhan Singh R/o Vill: Pallian Kalan (SBS Nagar) declare that i have changed my minor daughter's name from Navjotpreet Kaur to Kaur Navleen and Kaur is her surname.

63372

I, Satinderjit Kaur W/o Nidhan Singh R/o Vill: Pallian Kalan (SBS Nagar) declare that i have changed my minor daughter's name from Navjotpreet Kaur to Kaur Navjotpreet and Kaur is her surname.

63372

I, Gaurav S/o Jaswinder Lal R/o Vill: Nanowal Bet Teh Balachaur (SBS Nagar) have changed my name to Gaurav Kalsi.

63372

I, Harjinder Singh Gill S/O Malkit Singh R/O Gill (Moga) Have Changed My Name To Harjinder Singh.

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I, Malkiat Singh Gill S/O Harchand Singh R/O Gill (Moga) Have Changed My Name To Malkit Singh Singh.

63372

I Navjot Singh Brar S/O Kulwant Singh R/O Bambhira Road, VPO. Sahoke, Distt. Moga, Punjab Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Navjot Singh.

63372

I, Jagtar Singh S/o Raja Singh R/o Vill: Janian Chahal Teh Shahkot (Jalandhar) Punjab, have changed my son name from Sandeep Singh to Sandeep Singh Jhand.

63372

I, Avtar Kumar S/o Ram Lal R/o Mohalla Hamayunpur Near Khalsa School Ground Sirhind (Fatehgarh Sahib) have changed my name to Avtar Singh.

63372

I, Manjit Kaur W/o Avtar Singh R/o Mohalla Hamayunpur Near Khalsa School Ground Sirhind (Fatehgarh Sahib) have changed my name to Manjeet Kaur.

63372

I, Amarjit Kaur W/o Manjinder Singh R/o Kamalke Khurd Teh Dharamkot (Moga) have known by both names Amarjeet Kaur and Amarjit Kaur one and the same person.

63372

I Parminder Singh S/O Tarsem Singh, Post Office Karahe Wala , Village Bal Tehsil -Zira Distt Ferozepur Pb 142043 Have Changed My Name Parminder Singh To Parminder Singh Kang.

63372

I am Akashdeep S/o Prem Pal Village: Dholan Majra Teh: Morinda (Flopak) have changed my name from Akashdeep to Akashdeep Sohi.

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I, Poonam D/o Satnam Singh, R/o House No. W.P.31, Mohalla Jairath, Basti Sheikh, Jalandhar, have changed my name from Poonam to Poonam Kaur. Poonam Kaur as my name/surname in place of my former name Poonam. All concerned please note.

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I hither to known as Harmash Lal Son of Babu Ram resident of H.No. 35 Ward No. 10 Village Rajpur, PO & Tehsil Bholath, Distt. Kapurthala ,Punjab India have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as HARMESH LAL

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I hither to known as Bheem Singh Son of Chainchal Singh resident of VPO Pasla, Tehsil Phillaur, Distt. Jalandhar ,Punjab India have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as GURBINDER SINGH.

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I, Satinderpal Kaur W/o Nagina Singh Adhi R/o H.No 599, 27 Feet Road, Opp. Advance Gym, Green Field, Majitha Road, Amritsar, (Pb.) Have Changed my name Satinderpal Kaur Adhi to Satinderpal Kaur. All Concerned please note.

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Sub yard will be built in Kithana, notification issued: Dhanda

RANVIR PARASHAR KAITHAL: Minister of State Kamlesh Dhanda said that a sub yard will be built in Kithana for the convenience of farmers, the notification of which has been issued. With the creation of all these cards, near-



by farmers, traders and labourers will get direct benefits. Giving information, Minister of State for Women and Child Development Kamlesh Dhanda said that a purchase centre was running in village Kithana. Its form will be changed to become a subyard. This was a very old demand of the farmers from the surrounding areas, which has been fulfilled. The state government is continuously working in the interests of farmers. 14 crops are being purchased at MSP in the state. He said that all the necessary basic facilities will be provided in the subyard and the farmers of the village as well as nearby villages will get more facilities in selling their crops.

Congress takes out padyatra



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, MARCH 7

Under the 'Ghar Ghar Congress, Har Ghar Congress' campaign, Congress leaders took out a padyatra in the Old City area on Thursday. Congress resolution papers were handed over to the people and it was promised that all the resolutions would be fulfilled if the government was formed. Karnal Lok Sabha in-charge Dr. Umesh Pandey participated as the chief guest. Karnal Assembly in-charge Pradeep Mann, District Congress convenor Tarlochan Singh and Ashok Khurana led the workers involved in the campaign. People were contacted at Jundla Gate, Banso Gate, City Police Station, Novelty Road, Dayalpura Gate and Old GT Road. People welcomed the Congress leaders in the yatra by showering flowers and promised their support.

On this occasion, Lok Sabha in-charge Dr. Umesh Pandey said that the day is not far when Congress will rule the country and the state again and the people will be happy. He said that the people have made up their mind to hand over power to Congress. Now just waiting for the elections. There is panic among the people under the rule of the Modi and Manohar government. Every class has become unhappy. Pradeep Mann and Tarlochan Singh said that if the Congress government is formed, a pension of six thousand rupees will be given. 300 units of electricity will be available free. The old pension policy will be restored. Special schemes will be implemented for the safety of women. LPG cylinder will be made available for Rs 500. On this occasion, Trilochan Singh, Ashok Khurana, Anshul Lather, Rani Kamboj, Jeetram Kashyap, Satpal Jani, Rohit, Daya Prakash, Paramjit Bhargava, Mukul Verma, Rajindra Pappi, Gagan Mehta, Advocate Amandeep, Dalbir Chaudhary, Dilip, Gurvindra Kaur, Thousands of people including Ashok Duggal, Rajpal Tanwar, Ramesh Jogi, Jileram Valmiki, Angrez Singh, Suraj Lather, Narendra Joga and Nimmi Salmani, Fakir Chand Fakiriya were present.

MP gives green signal to e-rickshaw for garbage collection

DR ASHOK KUMAR KARNAL: MP Sanjay Bhatia today flagged off 3 e-rickshaws and 3 street vendors for garbage collection in villages. According to the information received, e-rickshaws and street vendors have been purchased under the MP Lad Scheme. At a cost of Rs 2 crore 5 lakh, 138 e-rickshaws and 105 street vendors will be made available in different villages of the district. According to MP Sanjay Bhatia, with the availability of e-rickshaws and street vendors for garbage collection, the cleanliness system in the villages will be further improved. Along with development works, the government is also paying special attention to



cleanliness. Toilets have been constructed in every house. Many types of diseases can be avoided by keeping the house and surrounding environment clean. On this occasion, MLA Harvinder Kalyan, Zilla Parishad CEO Vivek Chaudhary, Indri's SDM Ashok Kumar, Kamal's Anubhav Mehta, besides BDPOs of various development blocks were also present.

Govt forms committee of 4 DCs to consider demands of depot holders

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA TARAORI: A strike took place a few months ago on the call of the Depot Holders Association and the Association had filed a petition in the court regarding its demands. It is now beginning to have its effect and the government has appointed five senior officers to meet the demands of the depot holders. A letter has been issued on March 6 to consider the demands of the depot holders and submit the report in which, apart from the Deputy Commissioner of Hissar, Sonapat, Faridabad, Kurukshetra, the Director of Food Supply Department has been added. After considering the demands of the depot holders, they will prepare a report and submit it to the government. Depot holders are demanding that the government has revamped the PDS Act in 2022, which includes retiring depot holders who have crossed the age of 60 years and creating new depots on 300 ration cards. But the Depot Holders Association is opposing this new act of the government. Depot Holders Association say that there was no such condition in the PDS Act made by the government in 2009. Therefore, the depot owners are adamant that the new Act should be applicable to the depot which is built in 2022.

Despite CM's order depot holders not getting commission on time

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA TARAORI, MARCH 7

The day Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar spoke to the depot holders of the state online for the first time, he had asked the depot holders to tell them about their problems. This initiative of the Chief Minister was welcomed by the State Depot Holders Association saying that this is the first time that the Chief Minister has directly communicated with the depot holders on mobile. Jind depot holder Mukesh Kumar, while talking to the Chief Minister, had said that the server of the biometric machine does not work properly. Secondly, depot

holders get the commission money for distributing wheat only after several months, due to which it becomes difficult for them to support themselves and their families. After listening to the depot holders, when the Chief Minister sought answers from the officials of the Food Supply Department, they said that this money comes from the Central Government due to which it gets delayed. On this, the Chief Minister reprimanded the officials of the department and issued orders that from today onwards the commission money of the depot holders should be received every month. This initiative of the Chief Minister was welcomed by the State Depot

Holders Association because now the commission money will be received every month. But it has been many months since this happened and the Confed department has not been able to make arrangements to pay the commission money to the depot holders every month. After December, January and February passed, depot holders have not received the commission money. Therefore the government should pay attention to this. State President of Depot Holder Association Rakesh Kumar and Trilok Jain say that our union will soon meet the officials of the Food Supply Department and submit a memorandum to them.

Nehru Yuva Kendra Karnal organized sports competition

INDRI (MAINPAL KASHYAP): Under the aegis of Nehru Youth Center Karnal, an autonomous department of the Government of India, as per the instructions of District Youth Officer Renu Silag, a one-day block level sports competition was concluded in the Government Secondary School of village Rajapur of sub-division Indri on Thursday. In which more than 100 youth participated enthusiastically. The block level sports competition was presided over by Rashtriya Swayamsevak Archana. Coach Omkar had a major contribution in successfully organizing the program. School headmaster Mr. Suresh Kumar was present in the program as the chief guest. Under the sports competition, 100 meter race for girls and 100 meter race for boys, tug of war for boys and girls were successfully organized.

IFFCO Karnal organises social welfare programme

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, MARCH 7

IFFCO Karnal organised a social welfare programme today at Government High School, Kambopura Karnal and distributed school bags, stationery, pens and geometry boxes to 35 school children. On this occasion, head teacher Virendra Kumar was the chief guest of the program and primary wing head teacher Sunita Sharma presided over the program. On this occasion, school staff JBT teacher Suresh Pal and JBT teacher Manisha Kandola were also present. Senior Area Manager, IFFCO Karnal, Dr. Niranjan Singh said that being a cooperative organisation, it is our responsibility to solve the problems of the farming community as well as do the work of social responsibility

and social development, in which we organize social programs like medical camps, organise many programs in the district including veterinary campaign. In this context, this program is being organized so that children are encouraged towards studies and the feelings of moving forward are awakened in them. He stressed on making children aware about cleanliness. He told that fertilisers are used to increase the yield of crops.





Urea fertiliser is the most commonly used fertiliser and traditional urea dissolves in water and is available to the plants through the roots. Apart from the urea which is available to the plants, the remaining urea dissolves in water and gets mixed with underground water and contaminates it. The remaining gas goes into the atmosphere and pollutes the air, and some part that dries up with water in the ground affects the health of the soil. To solve this problem, IFFCO has created the world's first nano technology based nano urea liquid as an alternative, which will help in getting rid of all types of pollution. Which is used by sprinkling. Its use reduces the cost of fertiliser and gives higher yield and also reduces pollution. With its use, crop quality improves along with increase in utility and yield potential of other fertilisers and in this context Nano DAP is also becoming available to the farmers.

Poster making competition, Chat GPT quiz on AI held

PARI BAJAJ KARNAL: A programme on the topic of Artificial Intelligence was organised in PM Shri Government Senior Secondary School, Kunjpura in which Assistant Professor Computer Science Harminder Kaur from KVA DAV Women's College, Karnal specially participated and guided the students. Students from classes 6 to 12 participated in the program.

Pro. Harminder Kaur explained the topic of Artificial Intelligence in detail to the students through PPT and also gave information about the working model based on Artificial Intelligence. After this, all the children participated enthusiastically in the Chat GPT Quiz and Poster Making Competition on Artificial Intelligence. In the Chat GPT Quiz, Gaurav of class 8th stood first,



Amit of class 11th stood second and Twinkle of class 11th stood third. At the end of the program Principal Satbir Singh invited guest Prof. Harminder Kaur honored. During this, Nisha Tyagi, Tushar Rana, Manta, Kiran, Manjeet Kaur, Pinky, Sonia, Uma, Sumita Mahla, Sucha Bharti, Manju Sharma, Pooja, Sunita Kataria and other staff members were present.



Heartiest Greetings on the pious occasion of

Maha Shivratri

March 8, 2024



“सभी देशवासियों को महाशिवरात्रि की अनंत शुभकामनाएं। हर-हर महादेव!”

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KVK Hoshiarpur organizes farmer awareness camp



DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHIARPUR: A farmer awareness camp on dairy animal management was organized by Kirti Vigyan Kendra, Hoshiarpur on 5-3-2024 at its campus in collaboration with Department of Climate Change & Agricultural Meteorology, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana. Dr Prabhjot Kaur Sidhu, Principal Scientist (Agrometeorology) and Dr. Sandeep Singh Sandhu, Principal Agronomist, Department of Climate Change & Agricultural Meteorology, PAU, Ludhiana were present on the occasion. Dr Maninder Singh Bains, Associate Director (Training), KVK, Hoshiarpur extended a cordial welcome to the dignitaries, farmers & farmwomen and outlined the different activities of KVK Hoshiarpur for the welfare of the farming community. Dr. Bains also spoke on the need for adopting subsidiary occupations alongwith farming for complementing farm income and exhorted all to avail the services of KVK through ongoing vocational trainings for this. He sensitized the farmers and farmwomen regarding different social media tools being promoted by PAU, Ludhiana for agricultural knowledge up gradation. Dr. Bains also shared important tips regarding integrated pest management of rabi crops.

All-women workforce powers delivery's Moga hub



MOGA: Ahead of International Women's Day, Delivery, India's largest integrated logistics service provider, has entrusted its Moga hub in Punjab to an all-women workforce, underscoring the company's inclusive values. Moga is a vital center of delivery operations in Punjab. With the new announcement, end-to-end hub operations will be orchestrated by an all-women workforce, including BOLT operations (battery-operated pallet trucks), inventory management, loading/unloading of trucks. Women-only housekeeping and security staff have also been deployed to support the facility. 24x7. The young women recruits aged 18-30 years have undergone focused training on processes, shipment handling, key metrics, and Delivery systems to set them up for success in their new roles. The women operating across 3 shifts reside within a 6-9 km radius of the facility and are well supported through reliable transportation connectivity provided by the company.

Students of BLM Girls College bring excellent results



CHET RAM RATTAN NAVASHAHAR: A.M. went to announce on behalf of Gurm Nanak Dev University, Amritsar today announced result of MA Hindi-Hindi Semester 3. Students of BLM Girls College gave excellent results. College Principal Tarpreet Kaur Wala said that Piya Rani has secured first position in the college by scoring 319/400 marks and Priya has secured second position in the college by scoring 309/400 marks. College Management Committee Head, Deshbandhu Bhalla, Secretary Vinod Bhardwaj and college staff members blessed and congratulated the girl students for achieving top results.

Need to forge more inclusive world for women: Expert



LK BANSAL
MOHALI: Rajat Bahra University on Thursday organized a seminar on 'Inspire Inclusion' to mark International Women's Day. Prof. Pam Rajput, Professor Emerita, Department cum Centre for Women's Studies and Development, Panjab University, in her keynote address said this year's campaign theme underscores the crucial role of inclusion in achieving gender equality. It calls for action to break down barriers, challenge stereotypes, and create environments where all women are valued and respected. She said 'Inspire Inclusion' encourages everyone to recognize the unique perspectives and contributions of women from all walks of life, including those from marginalized communities. 'When we inspire others to understand and value women's inclusion, we forge a better world. And when women themselves are inspired to be included, there's a sense of belonging, relevance, and empowerment. Collectively, let's forge a more inclusive world for women,' she added. Prof. Manjit Kaur Brar, Retired Principal, Mission Coordinator, Department of Education, Chandigarh Administration, who was the expert speaker, said education and awareness play vital roles in fostering inclusion and empowering women. Through initiatives such as mentorship programs, educational workshops, and advocacy campaigns, individuals and organizations can create opportunities for women to thrive. By providing support and resources, women can be empowered to overcome obstacles and achieve their full potential, she added.

CHANDIGARH, FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2024

Dhaliwal raises matter of Punjabi Youth forcefully inducted in Russian Military



SHASHI PAL JAIN CHANDIGARH, MAR 7

Amid media reports about Indian youth forcefully inducted in Russian Military and sent them in Ukraine war, Punjab NRIs Affairs Minister Kuldeep Singh Dhaliwal raised the matter with External Affairs Ministry and Russian Ambassador to India. Raised the matter in Punjab Legislative Assembly, Mr. Dhaliwal said that it is serious matter which should be resolved earliest as these youngsters majority of them belonging to Punjab went Russia on visitor visa but have been forcefully inducted into Russian Military Services. He informed that one of them died during the war. Dhaliwal urged that appropriate action to be taken to provide suitable help to these youth to return home. He demanded

Anmol Gagan Maan honoured with 'Women Tourism minister of year'

CHANDIGARH, BERLIN, MAR 7:

Punjab Tourism Minister Anmol Gagan Mann was conferred with the title of 'Women Tourism Minister of the year' on Thursday during an international event held in Berlin, Germany for her commendable role in the field of tourism. Additionally, Punjab also won the Farm and Rural Tourism Award.

The three-day event, jointly organized by the International Tourism Boris Berlin (ITB Berlin) and the Pacific Area Travel Writers' Association (PAWATA), was attended by companies and organizations associated with the tourism industry worldwide. Cabinet Minister Anmol Gagan Mann honoured with the award for the



efforts made by the Punjab government, led by Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, to promote the tourism industry in the state. After receiving the award, Anmol Gagan Mann said that Punjab has im-

mense potential in the tourism industry, which only requires proper infrastructure and promotion, and her government under the leadership of CM Bhagwant Singh Mann is working diligently in this direction.

that necessary action also be taken against the violators of Visa Norms or Immigration Act. He said that some media reports revealed that these young-

ster were duped by agents on the promise of jobs and forced to work as a "helper" for the Russian Army. NRIs Affairs Minister also demanded that the body

of the youth died during the war, has to be brought back. He demanded the Union Government must immediately intervened in the matter.

Governor greets people on Maha Shivratri

CHANDIGARH, MAR 7

The Punjab Governor and Administrator, Union Territory, Chandigarh, Shri Banwari Lal Purohit extended greetings to the people on the sacred occasion of Maha Shivratri. In a message, the Governor said, "Maha Shivratri,

is the most auspicious and significant spiritual festival for millions of devotees of Lord Shiva and the day is observed with fervor and devotion. May this auspicious occasion inspire noble thoughts of love, affection, amity and brotherhood in all of us". The Governor hoped that the festival

of Mahashivratri would prove helpful in infusing new zeal and enthusiasm in the lives of the people of the country and state by strengthening mutual brotherhood. "Let us pray to Lord Shiva to bless us with wisdom and courage to overcome flaws within", said Banwari Lal Purohit.

Environment protection is our collective responsibility: Meet Hayer

GAURAV GOEL CHANDIGARH, MAR 7

Speaking in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha today on the resolution to preserve the environment and increase the area under forests, Cabinet Minister Gurmeet Singh Meet Hayer said that the protection of the environment is a collective responsibility of all and the participation of the people has to be ensured for the success of this campaign. Therefore, it is most important to make people aware.

While advocating increase in the area under forests, he said that more and more trees should be planted on panchayat lands of villages and the individual residences.

Meet Hayer said that under the leadership of Chief Minister S. Bhagwant Singh Mann, continuous efforts are being made by the State Government to protect the environment.

Installation of solar panels in government educational institutions, a complete ban on single-use plastics and curbing industrial pollution are some of the measures. Many other projects have been started including Plantation which has been prioritised. The government has



undertaken ex situ and in situ, works on stubble management which have resulted in a 30 per cent reduction in stubble burning cases and efforts are being made to further minimize this percentage.

The minister said that the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Speaker invited and honoured the farmers who had not burnt stubble for the past several years and thus inspired other farmers.

The local residents must give a boost to the industries being set up for stubble management in Punjab. Meet

Hayer further said the problem of pollution started in the last two centuries and increased with industrial progress. Air pollution is a global health crisis that causes the death of around 7 million people worldwide.

He said that blue sky was seen during the lockdown due to the Covid pandemic. The range of Dhauldhara and Shivalik hills was clearly visible from Punjab, from which it is clear that this problem is of our own making. He said that the United Nations has started celebrating Blue Sky Day on September 7.

VB arrests Civil Surgeon office clerk for taking Rs 35,000 bribe

GAGAN JAIN CHANDIGARH MAR 7

The Punjab Vigilance Bureau (VB), during its ongoing campaign against corruption in the state, has apprehended Rajwinder Singh (now retired), clerk posted in Civil Surgeon Office, Pathankot for demanding and accepting a bribe of Rs 35,000.

Disclosing this here today an official spokesperson of the state VB said the above mentioned clerk has been arrested on an online complaint lodged by Satnam Singh, a resident of Onkar Nagar, Pathankot on the Chief Minister Anti Corruption Action Line.

He further informed that the complainant has alleged in his complaint that the said clerk had obtained a bribe of



Rs 35,000 from him in lieu of passing his medical bills amounting to Rs 3,13,486.

The spokesperson informed that during investigation of this complaint it was proved that the said clerk had taken a bribe of Rs 35,000 from the complainant for the above said motive by forging a sanction letter issued by Di-

rector Health & Family Welfare, Punjab. It was also found that during his tenure he had forged 16 sanction letters and has caused loss of lakhs of rupees to the state exchequer.

He added that in this regard a case under Prevention of Corruption Act has been registered at VB police station Amritsar range.

Desh Bhagat radio, State Bank conduct walkathon on Women's Day



AJAY MALHOTRA PATHANKOT, MAR 7

Desh Bhagat Radio FM 107.8 Aap Ki Awaaz State Bank of India Officers Association and Desh Bhagat Global Services organized a walkathon dedicated to International Women's Day.

On this occasion, SBI Chief General Manager Vinod Jaiswal was the chief guest and Desh Bhagat Radio station head Sangmitra was the special guest. Before flagging off the walkathon, Vinod Jaiswal highlighted the importance of International Women's Day and informed about the schemes being run

by the Bank for the welfare of women. Pro. Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University Tajinder Kaur congratulated everyone on Women's Day and said that no girl in the society should be deprived of education. She said that Desh Bhagat University is committed to helping girls from needy families in education. Station Head of Desh Bhagat Radio Sangmitra congratulated everyone on International Women's Day. She said that today's woman is not Abba but the progressive woman of the country. RJ Sangmitra said that Desh Bhagat Radio runs many programs to make women aware.

Rupinder Singh Happy lays foundation stone of sub-division complex



RAJINDER SHARMA BASI PATHANA, MAR 7

Under the able leadership of Chief Minister Punjab Bhagwant Singh Maan, the state is continuously progressing and the people of the state are very happy with the services of the state government.

This was expressed by Constituency MLA Rupinder Singh Happy on the occasion of laying the foundation stone of the new sub-divisional complex that is going to be built near TTI. MLA Rupinder Singh Happy, after laying the foundation stone, thanked the

Chief Minister of the state, Bhagwant Singh Maan, and said that with the construction of this project, the SDM office and Tehsildar office will come in this building. He said that an amount of 8.65 crores has been deposited in the accounts for the construction of the sub-division complex and the construction work of this complex will start soon. Expressing his happiness on laying the foundation stone, he said that while the residents of the constituency are happy with the construction of this project, building a sub-division complex is also their dream project.

Kainth targets AAP govt for neglect of SC community

KHUSHAV SINGLA MANDI GOBINDGARH, MAR 7

Paramjit Singh Kainth, the deputy president of the Scheduled Caste Wing of the Bharatiya Janata Party in Punjab, criticized the Punjab government led by Bhagwant Singh Mann for allegedly betraying the trust of Dalits by reducing the budget for the post-matric scholarship scheme for economically disadvantaged students from the scheduled castes to less than Rs 24,500.00 for the year 2024-25 compared to previous years.

He stated that during the previous year, in 2021-22, a total of Rs 39887.62 lakh were spent under this scheme to cover 3,65,410 students. It is expected that Rs 30,000.00 lakh will be spent under the scheme in the year 2022-23. Kainth said that in the up-



coming financial year, a budget of less than Rs 24,500.00 has been allocated, which will affect economically disadvantaged students from the scheduled castes, thereby revealing the alleged anti-Dalit policy of the Aam Aadmi Party government.

The Dalit leader mentioned that 35.88% of the total population of the scheduled castes are laborers, out of which 79.20% are original workers and 20.80% are migrant workers.

Tanvi Sharma declared district sports icon under Beti Bachao Beti Padhao scheme

DALJEET AJNOHA HOSHIARPUR, MAR 7

Deputy Commissioner Komal Mittal honored Hoshiarpur's international badminton player Tanvi Sharma by declaring her as the district sports icon under the Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao scheme. He told that recently Tanvi has brought glory to the country by winning the gold medal in the Senior Asian Championship held in Malaysia.

He said that Tanvi is a role model for the daughters of the district. He said that 15 year old Tanvi has won silver in the Asian Junior Championship held in China, gold in Israel Youth International under-15 singles, gold in double, gold in the Senior National Championship held in Guwahati, gold in the U.S.A. Apart from representing the



World Junior Championship, he has won gold medals in many national level competitions.

Deputy Commissioner said that Tanvi has first ranking in singles and doubles in Junior Under-19 Badminton Association of India, second ranking in Sub Junior Under-17 singles and 300 ranking in Junior Senior Women's Singles. He said that the district administration is proud to declare Tanvi Sharma as the district sports icon and appeals to other girls of the district to

pursue sports activities like Tanvi. During this, he also honored Tanvi by giving her a shuttle and badminton shoes and expressed hope that Tanvi will continue to bring glory to Hoshiarpur district on the international stage.

During this, while congratulating International Women's Day, he encouraged the girls and their parents to take maximum benefit of the schemes run by the government from time to time and to actively involve their daughters in every field.

MRSPTU physics dept celebrates National Science Day 2024



ANIL VERMA/ANANTDEEP KAUR: The Department of Physics at Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University (MRSPTU), Bathinda, marked National Science Day 2024 with fervor and enthusiasm, celebrating the birth anniversary of Sir C.V. Raman under the theme 'Indigenous Technology for Viksit Bharat'.

The event, supported by esteemed organizations like the Punjab State Council for Science & Technology (PSCST), the National Council for Science & Technology Communication (NCTSC), and the Department of Science & Technology (DST) Government of India, witnessed a spectacular display of talent and creativity.

In the various competitions held, the following winners were announced:

- Science Project Making Competition: Team PM-8 (Harish & Amanjeet)
- Team PM-9 (Sakil Khan, Manish Saini & Ritesh Sharma)
- Team PM7 (Kunal Singla, Jaisuraj Bagh & Amandeep)
- Science & Technology Quiz: Winners: Team 13 (Disha & Shubham)
- 2nd Runner-Up: Team 17 (Sunny & Chand)
- 3rd Runner-Up: Team 10 (Jashanpreet & Sahil)

Competition related to Mahashivratri conducted at Green Field Convent School

BALWINDER AZAD BARNALA DEHATI, MAR 7

In view of Mahashivratri festival, petting competition of students was conducted at Green Field Convent (Senior Secondary) School Dangarh. In which it was conducted under the supervision of Assistant Coordinator Amanpreet Kaur and Madam Baljinder Kaur.

In these competitions, students made very beautiful images of Lord Shiva and Mother Parvati according to their own ideas. Seventh class and eighth class students participated in this competition, in which they got a great opportunity to hone their skills. Students made very charming sketches of Lord Shiva, Mother Parvati, Ganesha and Shiva Linga etc. On this occasion, eighth class students Husan-



preet Kaur, Parneet Kaur, Harjot Kaur, Komalpreet Kaur, Chahatpreet Kaur and seventh class students Arpan Kaur, Navdeep Kaur, Harleen Kaur, Husanpreet Kaur, Palakpreet Kaur and Karnpreet Kaur won first place. On this occasion, Chairman Sukhminder Singh Gill congratulated everyone on Ma-

hashivratri and the paintings created by the students were highly appreciated.

He said that apart from teaching the students, such efforts will always continue to improve the art within them. Principal Sangeet Sharma, Madam Renu Bala and Madam Amandeep Kaur were present on this occasion.

Govt Science College celebrates International Women's Day



SUKH NAHAR JAGRAON, MAR 7

Govt. Science college jagraon organized a special program to celebrate international women's day under the able guidance of college vice director, Prof. Nidhi Mahajan. To recognize the special role of women in life, poster making and speech competition were held on the topic, Encourage Inclusion. The event was organized by Prof. Sarvinder Kaur, Prof. Gagandeep Kaur, and members of the women's forum. The stage was ably conducted by President of

women forum, Mansimran Kaur, who ensured the smooth flow of the event. The poster competition was judged by Prof. Radhika Dawar, Prof. Jatinder Singh, and Prof. Sumit Soni. The winners of the poster competition were Pallavi (1st position) from M.Sc Botany, Mehak (2nd position) from B.Sc 2nd year Non-Medical, and Dilpreet Singh (3rd position) from B.Sc Final year Medical. Prof. Sarabjot Bedi, Prof. Sarabdeep Kaur Sidhu, and Prof. Akashdeep Kaur played the role of judges for speech competition.

DC holds meeting with officials regarding smart city projects



KULJIT SINGH JANDIALA GURU, MAR 7

A meeting of the City Level Evaluation and Monitoring Committee was held today at the meeting hall of the District Administrative Complex, Amritsar. Deputy Commissioner S. Ghanasham Thori, Commissioner Municipal Corporation, Amritsar S. Harpreet Singh, S.E. Sandeep Singh, S.E. Amritsar Improvement Trust Rakesh Garg and officials of Smart City were present in the meeting. The meeting was held to review the proposal of new projects under Amritsar Smart City Limit

ed. Among other projects, there was discussion about forming a patrolling team of municipal officials who would be in charge of BRTS. In view of the theft of iron grills from roads and inner circular roads, the Municipal Corporation will conduct daily monitoring of Amritsar's infrastructure so that the Municipal Corporation can protect its assets. The Deputy Commissioner said that other projects include beautifying the open spaces of the historic Ram Bagh Garden through landscaping and repairing the retaining wall around the statue of Maharaja Ranjit Singh.



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Bela Pharmacy College organises workshop on antimicrobial resistance



BAHADURJEET SINGH RUPNAGAR: Amar Shaheed Baba Aji Singh Juhar Singh Memorial College of Pharmacy (Autonomous) Bela organized a successful one-day on Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) in collaboration with the SAS team, sponsored by Centrium Pharmaceuticals. Over 160 students actively participated in the event. Rajiv Narang, Associate Director (Corporate), and Mr. Mohit Dhamija, Head of Sustainability at Centrium Pharmaceuticals, emphasized the pharmaceutical industry's pivotal role in combating AMR. Dr. Nusrat Shafiq from PGIMER, Chandigarh, provided insights into the public health and environmental impact of AMR. Dr. Anshu Bhardwaj from CSIR-IMTECH, Chandigarh, delved into the biology of AMR and explored current research advances.

Guru Nanak College of Nursing Dahanu Kaleran 8.Sc Nursing final gets excellent 100% result



MANJINDER SINGH BANGA: Guru Nanak College of Nursing, a popular nursing educational institution in the rural area, has released the class of 8.Sc (Final) Batch 2019-2023 has got excellent 100% result. About this Dr. Sumender Jaspal Principal Guru Nanak College of Nursing Dahanu Kaleran informed that All the students have passed the nursing (final) examination with good marks. Out of Nursing (Final) Batch 2019-2023, Mandeeep Kaur daughter of S. Mahendra Singh village Ladian has secured the first position. The second place in the class was won by Sukhpreet Kaur daughter of Sarpan Singh district Jalandhar.

Modi govt brought digital revolution in country: Gill

VERMA GURDASPUR: Paramjit Singh Gill, senior leader of Lok Sabha constituency Gurdaspur and national vice president of Himalaya Parivar Organization, said that ever since Modi took charge of the country, the country is gaining fame due to its achievements at the international level. He said that Modi has made the country so strong and organized at the international level that now even big leaders of big countries do not get tired of praising India and India is also praised in an organization like UNO. Gill said that Modi has worked day and night to take the country to great heights in terms of development and the result is that today the country is seen at the first place in the world at the international level.



EC team motivates people to vote



JATINDER PAL SINGH KALER KATHGARH: According to the instructions of the Election Commission, the team of the Election Commission cum Election Officer 048 Balachore provided the voters with EVM machines and VV. Provided training regarding VVPAT machines. He explained how to cast your vote and how to know whether your vote is correct or incorrect. They also inspected the polling booths and found everything in order. At present Deputy Nodal Officer Rajinder Kumar, Supervisor Devinder Kataria, BAO Preetam Kumar, BLO Mukesh Kumar, Vice Principal S. Sher Jang Rana, ASI Surinder Pal, Varinder Suman, Indramohan, Rahul Kumar and other.

Surjit Kumar Bidawat appointed national president of Sansi Samaj Sangh

RADHE SHYAM SHARMA MORINDA: National Sansi Samaj Sangh Razi, Morinda's ward number 7 councilor Babita Rani's father-in-law Surjit Kumar Bidawat has been appointed as the national president of Sansi Samaj Sangh. Giving information in this regard, Rashviya Sanhasamal Sansi Samaj Sangh Razi, National General Secretary of India Roshan Biddu Raiya said that on the recommendation of Senior Vice President of the Sangh Prem Himmat Malla, National General Secretary Rana Ram Sansi, National General Secretary Roshan Biddu Raiya, National President of the Sangh Mangat Ram Mahala has appointed Surjit Kumar Bidawat as the National president of Rashtriya Sanhasamal Sansi Samaj Sangh Razi Bharat for his hard work, service spirit and dedication. The leaders of the Sangh said that the organization also hoped and full confidence that the newly appointed President Surjit Kumar Bidawat with his full dedication and hard work would provide social, political, economic, religious and constitutional rights for the welfare of all castes and Sansi Samaj Sangh would work for the attainment of sub-castes. The appointment of Surjit Kumar Bidawat as President was welcomed by Amritpal Singh Khatri, Vice President Municipal Council Morinda, Harpal former President Municipal Council Morinda, Rajpreet Singh Raji Councilor, Rimpal Kumar Councilor.

International Women's Day celebrated

SHASHI PAL JAIN
CHANDIGARH, MAR 7

On the occasion of International Women's Day (IWD), 2024, the Department of Social Welfare, Women & Child Development, Chandigarh Administration is organising a series of events in collaboration with the line Departments across U.T., Chandigarh, in order to acknowledge the work undertaken by various units/departments and encourage them for ensuring women empowerment & gender equality. The said activities are conducted under the banner of Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyaan.

This collaborative initiative between the Department of Social Welfare and DAV College aimed to foster awareness and appreciation for the remarkable contributions of women. The celebration serves as a beacon for promoting gender equality, encouraging dialogue and inspiring collective efforts for a brighter, more inclusive future. To commemorate International Women's Day celebrations at DAV College, the event filled with cultural fervour, showcased the talents and strength of women, underlining their vital role in society. Ms. Kamal



Sisodia, Commandant of CRPF 13 Battalion, graced the occasion as the chief guest. Her presence added a profound dimension to the celebration as she spotlighted the courageous abilities of women, emphasizing their pivotal role in shaping the destiny of our country. Ms. Kamal promoted "Nari Shakti" encouraging a collective commitment towards creating an environment where

women thrive and contribute significantly to the progress of society.

Dr. Palika Arora, Director Social Welfare and Sh. Naveen, Joint Director Social Welfare cum SDM (South) were also present during the occasion. Dr. Palika Arora delivered a compelling message on women empowerment emphasizing the importance of acknowledging and nurturing the potential of women en-

couraged everyone to contribute towards creating an inclusive and empowering society. Students took center stage, captivating the audience with diverse cultural activities that highlighted the rich tapestry of talent among women.

The performances served as a testament to the creativity, resilience, and dynamism that women bring to every sphere of life.

Man sets himself on fire inside police station, severely injured

SUKH NAHAR
JAGRAON, MAR 7

A highly shocking incident has been reported from Jagraon where a person tried to set himself on fire inside the police station. According to the information, Daljeet Singh resident of village Pabbayan has a dispute going on with his wife and both the

parties were summoned to police station Sadar regarding the case. The inspector allegedly humiliated Daljeet Singh and even slapped him in front of his wife and threatened to file FIR against him due to which Daljeet Singh sprinkled oil and set himself on fire. Police officials and civilians immediately rushed him to civil hospital. According to the do-

ctors, 55% of Daljeet Singh's body has been affected due to fire and he was later referred to Faridkot hospital for treatment. Talking about the incident, Police station Sadar SHO Nand Lal said that neither did the officers slap Daljeet Singh nor humiliated him. He went outside police station, set himself on fire and entered inside the station.



Banwarilal Purohit, Administrator, UT Chandigarh holding press conference at UT Secretariat.

Sri Anandpur Sahib gets Rs 30 crore in Budget by efforts of Harjot Bains

SUDHIR SANDAL
NANGAL, MAR 7

In the budget presented by the Punjab Government, Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann has created a new history by taking revolutionary decisions for education by allocating 11.5 per cent of the total budget i.e. Rs 16987 crore. At the same time, by giving a gift of Rs 30 crore to the assembly constituency to connect Kheda Kalmot, Bhalhi, Bela Dhyani and Ajoli, the years-old demand of these areas has been fulfilled. On Thursday, Dr.



Sanjeev Gautam Member Medical Council Punjab, Harinder Singh Dhahe Chairman District Planning Committee, Kamikar Singh Dadi Chairman, Deepak Soni Media Coordinator, Rakesh Chaud-

hary Chairman, Jaspal Singh Dhahe Block President said that they thanked the Punjab Government especially the Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann. Finance Minister Harpal Singh Cheema, Education Minister Harjot Singh Bains who have given special priority to Sri Anandpur Sahib, known as Guru Nagari Sri Anandpur Sahib, in the budget. The leaders said that Rs 30 crore has been kept in the budget for connecting the villages which was the seven decade old demand of the people was also fulfilled.

PM Modi lays foundation stone for Mega Floating Solar Power Plant being executed by HARTEK

RAJIV JAIN
CHANDIGARH, MAR 6

Prime Minister Narendra Modi today laid the foundation stone for North India's largest floating solar power plant, by Hartek Solar, Power and Renewable Infrastructure unit of Hartek Group. The project stands as a testament to India's commitment to combat climate change by adopting innovative solutions in the energy sector.

With a capacity of 15MW/22MWp, SJVN's floating solar power plant is located at Nangal Pond, Himachal Pradesh is poised to provide clean energy to a significant portion of North India, contributing to the nation's renewable energy goals and reducing carbon emissions. The project, valued at 90 Cr is India's first



downstream solar installation on the Bhakra-Nangal Dam saving close to 637795 tonnes of CO2 emissions and producing over 33 Mn units of power output per year, showcasing Hartek Solar's pioneering spirit in exploring innovative avenues for solar energy deployment. Leveraging its expertise in solar engineering, procurement, and construction (EPC), Hartek Solar is successfully executing the project within the stipulated time frame, adhering to the highest quality and safety standards. Simarpreet Singh, the Group Executive Director of Hartek Group, expressed his gratitude towards

Prime Minister Narendra Modi for inaugurating the floating solar power plant marking a significant milestone in India's renewable energy journey. He also thanked SJVN Green for showing faith in HARTEK's execution capabilities.

He highlighted the project's importance in harnessing solar energy potential in water bodies and maximizing land utilization. We are focused on developing renewable energy to emerge as a major contributor in achieving the Government's vision to generate more than 500 GW of Energy by 2030 from non-fossil sources."

Ivy hospital Mohali celebrates women's day with Lions clubs



TILAK RAJ
MOHALI, MAR 7

Ivy Hospital Mohali celebrated international women day in tulip hotel mohali with a coordination of Lions Club Mohali Supreme (Regd), Lions Club Mohali Rours and Leo Club Mohali Supreme. Giving A complete information about this event Ivy Hospital Mohali representatives Richa Gupta told that in this event all women staff of Ivy hospital mohali get together and organised a entertainment program by ivy administration department. She told event start with dance performance by ivy doctors and nurses. She told

Show women Inspector Amandeep Kaur was a chief guest and she spoke with all audience about women empowerment. And Lions club mohali supreme president lion jagjeet kaur kahlon.mji and her lions members joined this eventing with her other lions member as a star chief guest. Dr Ravin kaur given a special talk to all women regarding a health issues. During this event Anisha Sharma Salon phase 5 Mohali given a special complimentary Nail power polish and announce 50% discount card to all women. Ivy Hospital mohali announced special discount coupons on this international women day.

Shiv Sena Hindustan calls special meeting



MOHALI (TILAK RAJ): An emergency meeting of Shiv Sena Hindustan was held in TDI City District Mohali under the leadership of Dinesh Khushwaha in which Shiv Sena National President Pawan Gupta, National Chief Minister Krishan Sharma, National Advisor Hem Raj Goyal specially arrived to address the meeting. Mr. Pawan Gupta decided to contest in all the 13 seats of Punjab in the upcoming Lok Sabha elections.

In which Arvind Gautam State President (Youth), Akhilesh Singh Mohali District Incharge, Kiran Jain Mahila Morcha Mohali, Brigu Nath Giri Mohali District President, Nagerender Mishra Media Advisor Punjab presented their strong claim. On this occasion, the party president, understanding the sentiments of all, will soon select a suitable candidate and elect the constituency Sri Anandpur Sahib assured to give green flag to contest election On this occasion, Deepak Jain, Lal Babu, Munish, Preeti Sharma, Kuldeep Sharma, Sanjeev Goyal, ashwani choudry etc were also included.

Manoj Bimbura elected as President of Bharat Vikas Parishad Sirhind



KHUSHAV SINGLA
MANDI GOBINDGARH, MAR 7

The General House meeting of the Bharat Vikas Parishad, Sirhind, was held under the leadership of Pradhan, Manoj Bimbura, expressed gratitude to all the members for entrusting him with the leadership of their team. He pledged to contribute wholeheartedly to the service of the nation and society. Present at this occasion were various members including Jay Kishan, Munish Varma, Rajesh Dhimani, Dr. K.P. Sandhu, Dr. Ravdeep Sandhu, Dr. Hinder Suri, Dr. Dinesh Singh, Madhav Bimbura, Pawan Kalra, Anand Mohan etc.

Pradhan, Dinesh Kumar as the Secretary, and Harish Jain as the Treasurer. The newly elected Pradhan, Manoj Bimbura, expressed gratitude to all the members for entrusting him with the leadership of their team. He pledged to contribute wholeheartedly to the service of the nation and society. Present at this occasion were various members including Jay Kishan, Munish Varma, Rajesh Dhimani, Dr. K.P. Sandhu, Dr. Ravdeep Sandhu, Dr. Hinder Suri, Dr. Dinesh Singh, Madhav Bimbura, Pawan Kalra, Anand Mohan etc.

Chandigarh Group of Colleges Jhanjeri introduces stock market literacy with StockGro

CHANDIGARH, MAR 7

In a move that highlights the growing importance of financial literacy in higher education, Chandigarh Group of Colleges, Jhanjeri (CGC Jhanjeri), has partnered with StockGro, India's leading platform for stock market learning. This year-long collaboration aims to integrate hands-on financial education into the college's curriculum, offering students a unique opportunity to learn about stock market investing beyond the traditional academic framework.

The initiative began with an engaging introductory session at CGC Jhanjeri, laying the groundwork for a comprehensive educational journey. Through StockGro's dynamic platform, students are now exploring the nuances of stock trading with real-time simulations, engaging in specialised learning zones designed for fi-

nanacial education, and participating in interactive workshops. These activities are crafted to simplify the complexities of the financial markets, making them accessible and understandable to students from various disciplines. Additionally, this collaboration reflects StockGro's comprehensive aim to advance financial literacy across India, showcased through its BFF (Be Financially Free) initiative. Echoing this sentiment, CGC Jhanjeri has welcomed the integration of StockGro's resources into its curriculum, recognising the value of equipping students with practical financial skills. "This partnership is not merely an addition to our curriculum; it's a transformative approach that prepares our students for the financial realities of the modern world. We're moving beyond traditional education to empower our students with the confidence.

CII Chandigarh explores AI's impact on business

RN KHERA
CHANDIGARH, MAR 7

CII Chandigarh hosted an interactive session on the theme "Embracing the Digital Frontier" as a part of the Chandigarh Annual Session 2023-24 today. The session focused on emerging technologies revolutionising the business sector and thriving in the AI economy.

During the session, Mr Anurag Gupta, Chief Executive Officer, Usha Yarns Ltd was announced as the Chairman and Mr Tarandeep Bhamra, Chief Executive Officer, Agnext Technologies Private Limited was elected as the new Vice-Chairman for CII Chandigarh UT for the year 2024-25. Sharing his insight on AI and digitalisation, Mr



Deepak Jain, Chairman, CII Northern Region & Chairman, Lumax - DK Jain Group said, "It's noteworthy that AI and digitalization are making factories smarter, connective and less labour intensive. There is a lot more automation and digitalization in the sector but there is a lot of data which we don't know how to harness. For that, we need a dedicated team to harness it and we need to upskill ourselves to take the benefits of it." Echoing this thought, Dr P J Singh, Immediate Past Chairman, CII Punjab & Managing Director, Tynor Orthotics Pvt Ltd,

added, "AI and new-age technologies are like panacea for the industry. We can do a lot of work in less time with great efficiency as it reduces human assistance. With the help of AI and technology, we can rectify the problem in no time and yield good productivity." On being asked about Smart manufacturing and Industry 5.0, Dr Indrajit Bhatnagary, CII Punjab & Managing Director General National Institute Robotics and Artificial Intelligence (NIRA) said, "Smart manufacturing is computerization, networking, visibility, transparency.

'AAP' govt has not spent even single penny for sports: Sukhbir Badal

VICKY BHABAT
ZIRAKPUR, MAR 7

The President of Sormani Akali Dal and former Deputy Chief Minister Sukhbir Singh Badal specially participated in the second day of the Kabaddi tournament organized by Sher-e-Punjab Sports Club Zirakpur today. On this occasion, he met the players and encouraged them.

He said that during the government of Shiromani Akali Dal, Kabaddi, the mother sport of Punjab, became famous all over the world and today Punjabi youth are shining the name of the state by participating in Kabaddi competitions not only in Punjab but also in other countries. He said that during the government of Shiromani Akali Dal, he himself kept the sports department and more and more sports stadiums, gyms and sports kits were distributed for the



youth. He said that 14 hockey stadiums were built during the Sromani Akali Dal government and today 9 out of 11 players in the Indian hockey team are from Punjab. He said that Shiromani Akali Dal under the leadership of Chief Minister Sukhbir Singh Badal has record breaking development of this constituency. Airport, four lane roads in this area belong to Sromani Akali Dal. The rate of land which was earlier Rs 25 lakh per acre has now become Rs 25 crore. But when the government changed, first the Congress looted

Punjab badly and now the Aam Aadmi Party government is engaged in looting the state. On this occasion, former MLA NK Sharma Kabaddi Mahakumbh chief organizer Jaspal Singh Jirakpur former sarpanch warmly welcomed Sukhbir Singh Badal on his arrival at this Kabaddi tournament. He said Badal loves sports and sportsmen from the bottom of his heart. He said that during the government of Sromani Akali Dal, sportsmen who achieved fame in the field of sports were given priority in jobs.

MCM VADA Club holds Inter-College poster making competition on drugs



CHANDIGARH, MAR 7

The Victory Against Drug Abuse (VADA) Club of Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women, Chandigarh, organised an Inter-College Poster Making Competition on the theme 'Say No to Drugs, Say Yes to Life'.

The event brought together over 26 talented individuals from various colleges across Chandigarh, fostering a collaborative spirit in the fight against substance abuse.

The competition unfolded with enthusiasm and ener-

gy as participants showcased their artistic prowess to raise awareness about the menace of drug abuse. The winners of the competition were awarded with cash prizes and certificates.

Principal Dr. Nisha Bhargava lauded the highly appreciable role of VADA Club in the fight against drug abuse. She motivated the students to be the ambassadors of the Nasha Mukta Bharat and raise awareness in the society about the detrimental effects of drug abuse on an individual, the family and the nation.

Dev Mann raises issue of stray cattle in Vidhan Sabha



RAKESH JINDAL
NABHA, MAR 7

The issue of deaths on the roads due to stray cows and bulls every day in Punjab and the whole country. Hence it was taken up in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha. He said that stray animals are those animals that are kept by humans for food or profit, but they are left free. Stray cows are a common sight in India.

These stray animals roam in populated areas these days. He said that these stray animals have become a big problem for farmers, as these animals destroy crops and cause accidents. He said that today it

is very important to save agriculture, which has become a loss-making business, from stray cows. While guarding the crops, the farmers have to spend the night running after the sleepy cows in the fields under the open sky. He said that the issue of daily deaths on the roads due to stray cows and bulls in the state of Punjab has been taken up in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha and the recommendation It has been decided that the Punjab Government should pass a resolution and recommend to the Government of India so that the "Gau Rakhiyan Law" should be strictly implemented throughout the country.

Rs 32.50 lakhs released for renovation of stadium in Handiaya: Meet Hayer



KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA: Punjab Sports Minister Gurmeet Singh Meht Hayer said here today that Rs 32.50 lakh have been released for the renovation of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Stadium in Handiaya. The Sports Department has given in-principle approval for the renovation work of the stadium and has approved the release of funds to the Nagar Panchayat Handiaya. Meht Hayer said that on the efforts of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, the sports department was creating sports culture in the state, the sports infrastructure is being strengthened and new sports stadiums and sports stadiums are also being built. He added that this shall add to the sports glory of state. Sports Minister Meht Hayer said that Handiaya town has produced great players especially in basketball and netball. He said that with the renovation of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Stadium, the players here will get more facilities.

Cultural programs organized on occasion of women empowerment



MAITRAI, KASHYA P INDRU: Various types of cultural programs were organized at Shaheed Udhm Singh Senior Secondary School, Mataf Maji Indri on the occasion of women empowerment and the holy festival of Mahashivratri. In which students from class nursery to class 12th participated. Many poems related to women empowerment were recited by the students and different types of cultural dances were presented. On this occasion, school manager Mr. Ramesh Kamboj, Mr. Kanwar Lal Kamboj and school Principal Mrs. Jyoti Khairbani were present. School Manager Mr. Ramesh Kamboj has said that through such cultural and religious presentations in the school, students were made aware about their religion. He said that on Mahashivratri, marriage of Shiva and Parvati was celebrated on the occasion of Shivratri. Shiva devotees went to Haridwar and took bath in the Ganga and asked for their desired wishes from Lord Shiva. On the occasion of women empowerment, a race was arranged by the teachers of the school in which teacher Sonia Kamboj got first position, Mrs. Geeta got second position, Mrs. Meena got third position. Everyone was honored with medals.

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KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA: The two-day 64th Annual Games of S.D. College Educational Institutions concluded with a bang. Students of all the colleges and schools of the institution participated with great enthusiasm in this sports fair. During the closing



ceremony, the President of the College Management Committee Dr. Anish Prakash attended as the chief guest. He congratulated the winning players who participated in those games and also urged the students to avoid the scourge of drugs. While welcoming the chief guest, Mr. Rahul Atti, a

member of the college management committee, Remembered the contribution made by Dr. Anish Prakash and his family in social welfare works. Motivating the players for sports, he said that every student should develop a close relationship with books as well as the playground.

'Will win all 80 seats in UP': Anurag Thakur exudes confidence in BJP's victory

AGENCY VARANASI, MAR 7

Union Minister Anurag Thakur on Thursday exuded confidence over BJP's victory in the upcoming Lok Sabha elections and asserted that this time the party will win all 80 seats in Uttar Pradesh and set a new record. Thakur emphasized the BJP's historical success in Uttar Pradesh and asserted that the BJP would not only sweep all 80 seats in Uttar Pradesh but also secure over 400 seats nationwide, thereby reinstating PM Modi as the Prime Minister of India.

"Earlier too, the BJP has won from Uttar Pradesh and I have full confidence that the party will emerge victorious this time too. This time BJP will win all 80 seats from Uttar Pradesh, and the party will secure 400 plus (chair



pair) seats all over the country and PM Modi will be the Prime Minister once again," Anurag Thakur said. Highlighting the fading influence of the Nehru-Gandhi family in Uttar Pradesh, Thakur said, "The big state like UP had given votes to four generations of Nehru-Gandhi family, and today no one is listening to them in UP. Nehru-Gandhi family has bid farewell to UP, so it's natural to be frustrated

and disappointed". In a veiled jibe at the INDIA bloc, Anurag Thakur said, "Overall the alliance is a Thugbandhan. Congress and its allies are habitual of criticising religious places. Sometimes insulting Lord Rama, sometimes talking about crushing Sanatana Dharma and sometimes talking about dividing North and South. What kind of thinking does Congress and its allies have?", he said.

Meanwhile, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday launched an attack on the Congress party's dynastic politics and said that unlike the opposition alliance, which believes in putting 'family first,' he puts the country first and everything that he does is for the welfare of the nation.

Addressing a public gathering in Sangareddy in Telangana, the Prime Minister said, "they (dynastic family) say that they have ideological differences with me. They believe in 'Family First', and I believe in 'Nation First'. For them, their family is everything; for me, my country is everything. They sacrifice the Nation for the welfare of their family; I have sacrificed myself for the welfare of the Nation," PM Modi had said.

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Minister of State for Women and Child Development Kamlesh Dhanda said that Chief Minister Manohar Lal has done the work of changing the political meaning by changing the system. Many welfare schemes have been implemented to strengthen women, youth, farmers, poor and every section of the society. Today, all-round development is taking place in every area of the state with an amount worth crores of rupees. Through the online system, the benefits of various schemes are reaching the beneficiaries directly. Minister of State for Women and Child Development Kamlesh Dhanda was speaking as the chief guest at the district level inauguration and foundation stone laying ceremony in the



auditorium located at the Mini Secretariat. Minister of State Kamlesh Dhanda said that following the policy of Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas, Chief Minister Manohar Lal is taking the state to new heights. Today there has been a change in the state. Youth are getting employment on the basis of merit. To promote women's education, women's colleges have been opened every 20 kilometers. In this context, the foundation stone of the government college to be

built in Rajound has also been laid. Along with this, special repairs will be done on various roads of Kalayat area. State Chief Minister Manohar Lal expanded the scope of this scheme and implemented Chirayu Yojana in the state. He said that many schemes like Ujjwala, door-to-door toilet, Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana, Kisan Samman Nidhi Yojana, Drone Didi, Lakhpati Didi have been run by the government, the benefits of which are being extended to every needy person.

Private schools impose higher class syllabus on small children



RAJNI SONI

YAMUNANAGAR: On Thursday, under the banner of Parent Service Forum in Swami Vivekananda Park, Sarojini Colony, many social organizations discussed and expressed deep concern over the imposition of upper class level syllabus in all subjects on primary class children by private schools. Sandeep Gandhi, convenor and spokesperson of Seva Manch, said that private schools have mentally crippled their students in their competition to appear more intelligent than other schools. Parent Amit Malik said that due to more syllabus and more homework, even the parents were not able to understand where and how the childhood of the young ones was being snatched away. In the race of competition, everyone has to see their children coming first. Sandeep Gandhi and Vipin Gupta told everyone that NCERT was an autonomous institute of the Center where big educationists, professors and psychiatrists together prepare syllabus and books after rigorous research according to the age and intellectual capacity of the children. Therefore, instead of getting NCERT books and cramming the theory, it was better to teach children through practical medium.

Women do not need sympathy but need to be empowered: Renu Bhatia

DALBIR MALIK KURUKSHETRA, MAR 7

Chairperson of Haryana State Women's Commission, Panchkula, Mrs. Renu Bhatia has said that women need to be empowered rather than seek sympathy from others. If women empower and strengthen themselves, they will be able to face every challenge of life. She was speaking as the chief guest at a one-day workshop on 'Awareness of Sexual Harassment in Higher Educational Institutions' organized by the Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) of Kurukshetra University under the joint aegis of Haryana Women Commission, Panchkula, in the Senate Hall of Kurukshetra University on Thursday. Bhatia said that women should empower themselves and not expect



sympathy. There is a need to change the society's attitude towards women because sexual exploitation will not end until the negative thinking towards women does not end. Under the awareness campaign, Haryana Women Commission is conducting awareness programs regarding women's rights and duties in schools, colleges and universities. Giving examples from her own life, Bhatia talked about women empowerment through life management. She said that to curb crimes against women, they should immediately report to the Women's

Commission. Along with this, she talked about constituting ICC committees in universities and colleges. Earlier Mrs. Renu Bhatia inaugurated an exhibition in the KU Crush Hall depicting slogans written by students of KU. Presiding over the program, KU Vice Chancellor Prof. Som Nath Sachdeva said that at present women have set new records in science, space, education and sports, army, NSS and other fields. He said that 55 percent girls are studying in Kurukshetra University while 13 out of 25 hostels are earmarked for girls.

Loans worth Rs 88 lakh distributed to farmers in agricultural loan camp



GOLDY CHUGH SHAHABAD, MAR 7

Agricultural loans were distributed in Bank Baroda located on Ladwa Road on Thursday. It was organized under the supervision of Saurabh Saini, Manager of Bank of Baroda. Bank chief Saurabh Saini said that this is the first loan camp after the renovation of the bank. He said that in this camp, under the leadership of the Bank's Region Manager Baljit Singh, small and big loans worth Rs 88 lakh have been distributed. He said that farmers were also given detailed information about other schemes of the bank and how farmers can avail the benefits of these schemes. Apart from this, the bank officials also worked to solve minor problems of the farmers. Managers of other branches of Bank of Baroda also participated in the camp.

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People should come forward to help needy: Romesh Mahajan



VERMA GURDASPUR: It is a matter of great honour for us that Harish Dayama IPS, SSP Gurdaspur is taking keen interest to change the destiny of underprivileged children studying in preliminary education study centre Maan Kaur Gurdaspur not only by inviting these children for lunch at their residence to motivate them but also for sparing his valuable time for them to visit at their own locality and to donate them cultural dance costumes to get them prepare for such cultural competitions. These kinds of efforts made by SSP Gurdaspur are proving that he is a kind hearted man with great thinking. He has fulfilled his promise which he made during his first visit to this school by visiting this school again and to provide them with cultural costumes. At this moment children performed various activities to show their talents. He has also given motivational and inspiring speech. All of them were so inspired to become not only good citizens but will try to be officers like him.

At Gurdwara Sachkhand Angitha Sahib, marriages of girls from 7 families conducted



BALWINDER AZAD BARNALA RURAL: Keeping the joy of Shriman Sant Atar Singh Ji Maharaj Mastuana Sahib's birthday, Bahingam Jatha President Sant Baba Jang Singh Ji Kupp Kala Wale, Patron Sant Baba Surjit Singh Ji, Baba Darshan Singh Under the guidance of Baba Sukhwinder Singh Ji Soni Ji with the support of Baba Sukhwinder Singh Ji Soni Ji, a group celebration of girls from seven needy families was conducted at Gurdwara Sachkhand Angitha Sahib Mastuana Sahib. On this occasion, Sri Akhand Path Sahib of Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji was recited and the devotees were entertained by kirtan and ragi dhadi jathas. In the mass wedding ceremony of 7 needy girls held on this occasion, household goods were given to these couples. At this time Sant Baba Manpreet Singh Ji Alipur Khalsa, Simrat Kaur Khangura wife of former MLA Dalveer Singh Goldi from Vidhan Sabha Constituency Dhuri, Baba Jaswinder Singh Haredi, Jagrup Singh Kattu besides Mukhtiar Singh Kala, Didar Singh, Minhu Singh, Sukhwinder Singh etc. were present.

There is no lack of skills among children of our constituency, we just need to provide facilities: Simranjit Singh



ASHOK DHINGRA TAPA MANDI: Shiromani Akali Dal (Amritsar) President and Member of Parliament Shri. Simranjit Singh Mann inaugurated the newly constructed gate of Shaheed Dalip Singh Government Senior Secondary School at Ghunna today. It is worth mentioning here that for the construction of this gate, M.P. A grant of one and a half lakh rupees was given by Sangrur. Addressing the dignitaries and school children present on this occasion, M.P. S. Mann said that today he got a lot of pleasure to meet the small school children at the Shaheed Dalip Singh Memorial Government Senior Secondary School. The efforts made by the staff for the better education of the children are also commendable. S. Mann said that there is no lack of skills among the children of our constituency. If necessary, to provide maximum facilities to them, so that the hidden skills in them can emerge.

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District Planning Board Mr. Satnam Singh Jalalpur and Varinder Bhumbala were also present with them as special guests. In his speech, the Vice Chancellor started by talking about this important research center in the Kandhi region. Presenting his views, he said that PAU and farmers have a flesh-and-blood relationship.

This relationship emerges in the form of fairs. Encouraging to engage with agricultural literature for various types of upcoming saffron crops, their problems and solutions, the vice chancellor said this time the objective of the fair is 'Agriculture supporting business, family happiness and good profit.'

NITTTR Chandigarh conferred deemed to be University status

CHANDIGARH: In light of ViksitBharat@2047, under the able leadership of the Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Ji, the Union Ministry of Education being led by Shri Dharmendra Pradhan Ji has issued a Gazette notification for conferment of Deemed-to-be-University status under District Category to National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research (NITTTR), Chandigarh, under Section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956. NITTTR Chandigarh is expected to comply with the UGC's regulations for deemed universities within six years from the date of issuance of the notification. Dr. Bhola Ram Gurjar, Director NITTTR Chandigarh said that, as a premier National Institute, NITTTR Chandigarh has played a very unique role in upgrading the technical education eco-system of the country over the last 57 years. The conferment of this status will provide the necessary flexibility and autonomy to launch programs in tune with National Missions, in consonance with NEP 2020, focussing on green and sustainable development, women-led development and innovative pedagogies. NITTTR Chandigarh shall provide leadership in technical teacher education and focus on commencing innovative academic programmes, doctoral and systemic research programmes, and shall conform to the norms and standards prescribed by UGC.

Editorial

Steps of reform

The centrality of rivers in civilisational histories has often granted them a sorcerer's role — with powers of nurturance, resuscitation as well as destruction. In the case of Hooghly, the river nourished, over time, villages, janapadas, kasbahs, and the megacities of the future. But the river needed taming, for embarkment and disembarkment in maritime trade and settling along the fertile levees, resulting in liminal, material interstices of 'ghats' between land and water. These were silted steps leading down to the river serving as vernacular forms of engagement with the riparian settlements.

The history of Calcutta's ghats has been a montage of histories celebrating reform. With a plethora of insurgent possibilities, the ghats have historically unfolded a saga of societal reform in a myriad forms as the waters redeemed sins, souls, and stasis by embracing radical beliefs, syncretic traditions, dissident practices, moral revisions, and historic condonations.

The aftermath of the Great Famine of Bengal in 1770 took a heavy toll on the lives of the settlers on the lower Gangetic plains, compelling many like Haji Muhammad Mohsin, a wealthy salt merchant, to open up langarkhanas and start charitable ventures through zakat (almsgiving) in Chinsurah. The Mohsin Endowment Fund played a pioneering role in constructing the present-day Hooghly Imambara and Mohsin College near the Hooghly Ghat, paving educational and other reforms for the Muslim community. Besides, ghats served as everyday spaces of quotidian usage — for bathing, washing, sourcing water, and offering services to the city's dead. On Calcutta's north, Satidaha Ghat in Baranagar commemorates one of the vilest social customs of all times. Shamshans or burning ghats were sites for performing last rites, grief, mourning and epic sacrifices like satidaha. This harrowing custom was revoked later by the Bengal Sati Regulation of 1829, upon the relentless efforts of social reformists like Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Lord William Bentinck, William Carey, Joshua Marshman and William Ward. Interestingly, the reform was borne out of these ghats as they became diagnostic sites of sati censuses, suasions to widows, and formation of watch groups before the legal ban was imposed. Soon after, a little downstream in Central Calcutta, the ghats witnessed another fascinating communal amendment in 1838. After the death of Janbazar's wealthy zamindar, Babu Raj Chandra Das, Rani Rashmoni built Babughat in memory of her husband — a riveting, bold statement from the Shudra widow in a population divided by caste fault lines.

India, US call for perpetrators of 26/11 to be brought to justice

In a statement after the Counterterrorism Joint Working Group (CTJWG) and 6th Designations Dialogue, India and the United States have strongly called for the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot terrorist attacks to be brought to justice.

The two countries, as they held the dialogue, also called for concerted action against all terrorist groups, including those proscribed by the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) 1267 Sanctions Committee—al-Qaida, ISIS/Daesh, Lashkar-e-Tayyiba (LeT), and Jaish-e-Mohammad (JeM), the Ministry of External Affairs said in an official release.

Notably, the 20th meeting of the US-India Counter Terrorism Joint Working Group and 6th Designations Dialogue took place on March 5 in Washington D.C.

Ambassador Elizabeth Richard, Coordinator for Counterterrorism at the Department of State, and Ambassador K.D. Dewal, Joint Secretary Counter Terrorism at the Ministry of External Affairs, led their respective inter-agency delegations.

"The United States and India emphasized the extraordinary value and durability of the US-India comprehensive global and strategic partnership and renewed their commitments to countering terrorism and promoting regional security as an integral part of their broader bilateral cooperation," the release said.

Both sides reiterated that terrorism remains a serious threat to international peace and security.

"The participation of delegates from a wide array of departments and agencies from both countries illustrated that the United States and India recognize that countering terrorism requires an inclusive and holistic approach. This approach depends on bilateral coordination between our agencies to ensure productive information sharing and facilitate security, stability, and growth in both countries and throughout the region," the release read.



Both sides "reviewed emerging threats and tactics in terrorism, including the use of the internet and new and emerging technologies for terrorist purposes, international movement of terrorists, terrorist recruitment, the financing of terrorist activities, and radicalization to violence and violent extremism," it said.

The two sides committed to information sharing, capacity building and continued bilateral and multilateral efforts to address these threats, according to MEA.

"The two sides committed to strengthening law enforcement and judicial partnerships in support of the rule of law, including through information sharing and enhanced cooperation on mutual legal assistance requests, and also exchanged information regarding priorities and procedures for designating various terrorist entities/ groups and individuals," the MEA added.

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Literature & Health

Imran Khan backs Army's resolve to prosecute May 9 culprits

Incarcerated former Pakistan Prime Minister and Tehreek-e-Insaf founder Imran Khan has said he "fully endorses" the resolve of the Army's top brass for strict action against those responsible for May 9 violence, Dawn reported.

The army's top brass vowed action against the culprits of May 9 violence during the 263rd Corps Commanders' Conference (CCC), chaired by Pakistan's Chief of Army Staff (COAS) General Asim Munir.

Talking to the media persons at Adiala Jail on Wednesday, Khan demanded that the culprits be identified through CCTV footage, citing the example of the United States where protesters were held for insurrection and attacking Capitol Hill with the help of security footage.

The former Prime Minister, however, regretted that "no one was apparently interested" in an independent and fair probe into the May 9 violence.

"May 9 narrative could not work for Feb 8 [election]," he emphasised, adding that only three political parties were the beneficiaries of rigged elections.

The PTI founder said he would never accept the results of the recent elections, as it would be tantamount to "accepting the slavery". He told the media that his party would hold a massive public gathering in Peshawar against alleged rigging on Sunday.

He claimed that the Feb 8 general election was "the most rigged one in history" which would adversely affect the



economy with the result that the public at large would suffer an 'irreparable loss'.

"It was the stolen mandate of East Pakistan that was behind the 1971 tragedy," he said, adding that the "country could not survive without political stability", as reported by Dawn.

Pakistan underwent general elections on February 8. But, the polls as well as the subsequent results drew strong criticism both domestically as well as internationally for the allegations of "lack of level playing field". Many political parties, especially Imran Khan-founded PTI complained of internet shutdown and "rigging".

Massive protests erupted on May 9 last year after Imran Khan's arrest in a graft case. The situation turned severe with protesters attacking the military installations.

Ex-Google engineer charged for stealing AI secrets to aid Chinese firm

The US Justice Department has announced the arrest of a Chinese national, who was a former Google Artificial Intelligence (AI) engineer, alleging that he stole information about the company's advanced technologies to set up his own company in China, reported The Washington Post.

The US Justice Department announced the arrest of 38-year-old Leon Ding, or Linwei Ding, on Wednesday and detained him in Newark, California, charging him with four counts of trade secret theft.

The Justice Department officials called the case a signal that the US government will remain vigilant against attempts to illicitly transfer advanced US technologies to China amid a cold war-like technological arms race between Washington and Beijing, according to The Washington Post.

US Attorney General Merrick Garland said, "The Justice Department will not tolerate the theft of artificial intelligence and other advanced technologies that could put our national security at risk."

If convicted, Ding will face a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison and up to USD 1 million in fines.

According to an indictment filed in federal court in San Francisco, Ding was hired by Google as a software engineer in 2019 and worked on the company's supercomputing data centres.

He also worked on developing software that helped the operation of machine learning and AI applications for Google's clients, the indictment said. The prosecutors said that Ding began uploading confidential



Google information to a personal Google Cloud account in May 2022 and had uploaded over 500 files by May 2023, as reported by The Washington Post. The trade secret theft counts involve chip architecture and software design specifications for "tensor processing units" and "graphics processing units," chips that are the building blocks of supercomputing centres.

While working at Google, Ding also became the Chief Technology Officer of a China-based AI company, Beijing Rongshu Lianzhi Technology, and founded a second China-based company, Shanghai Zhisuan Technology, without informing Google, the indictment said.

The FBI searched Ding's residence on January 6 and seized his electronic devices and other evidence, The Washington Post reported. "Let today's announcement serve as a further warning: Those who would transfer sensitive US technology to China risk finding themselves on the wrong end of a criminal indictment," Assistant Secretary Matthew Axelrod of the Commerce Department's Office for Export Enforcement said in a statement.

POEM

The Higher Pantheism

The sun, the moon, the stars, the seas, the hills and the plains, - Are not these, O Soul, the Vision of Him who reigns?

Is not the Vision He, tho' He be not that which He seems?

Dreams are true while they last, and do we not live in dreams?

Earth, these solid stars, this weight of body and limb,

Are they not sign and symbol of thy divison from Him?

Dark is the world to thee; thyself art the reason why,

For is He not all but thou, that hast power to feel "I am I"?

Glory about thee, without thee; and thou fulfillest thy doom,

Making Him broken gleams and a stifled splendour and gloom.

Alfred, Lord Tennyson



People with essential tremor may have increased risk of dementia

According to research, people with essential tremor, a movement disorder characterized by involuntary shaking, may be three times more likely to develop dementia than the general population.

The findings will be presented at the American Academy of Neurology's 76th Annual Meeting, which will be held both in Denver and online from April 13-18, 2024. Essential tremor is the most common tremor ailment, even more prevalent than Parkinson's dis-



ease. In addition to arm and hand tremors, individuals may experience uncontrollable shaking of the head, jaw, and voice.

"While many people living with essential tremor experience mild tremor, in some individuals, the tremor can be quite severe," said study author Elan D. Louis, MD, MSc, at University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas and a Fellow of the American Academy of Neurology. "Not only do tremors affect a person's ability to complete daily

tasks such as writing and eating, our study suggests that people with essential tremor also have an increased risk of developing dementia."

The study involved 222 people with essential tremor who had an average age of 79 at the start of the study. They took thinking and memory tests to determine whether they had normal cognitive skills, mild cognitive impairment or dementia at the start of the study. Participants then had follow-up exams every 1.5 years for an average of five

years. Of this group, 168 people had normal cognitive skills, 35 had mild cognitive impairment and 19 had dementia at the start of the study.

During the study, 59 developed mild cognitive impairment and 41 developed dementia. Researchers then compared the rate at which people developed mild cognitive impairment and dementia, as well as the prevalence of these conditions, to the rates and prevalence for the general population. They also compared participants to the rates

and prevalence for people with Parkinson's disease. Researchers found 19% of participants had or developed dementia during the study, and each year an average of 12% of people diagnosed with mild cognitive impairment went on to develop dementia.

These rates were three times higher than the rates in the general population. However, the rates were lower than those seen in people with Parkinson's disease, a population for which dementia is more prevalent.

Union Minister Dharmendra Pradhan Inaugurates Skill India Centre

CHANDIGARH: Union Minister of Education and Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, inaugurated Skill India Centre (SIC) today in Angul that equips the 'Yuva Prasthi' with employability and new-age skills and open their avenues for employment in domestic and global markets. While speaking at the event, Shri Pradhan said that the inauguration of Skill India Centre in Angul marks a commendable initiative by the Hon'ble Prime Minister, reflecting a steadfast commitment to broadening the scope of skill development and educational infrastructure in the region. Our overarching vision is to extend our reach to remote communities, and the establishment of public education institutions will particularly benefit underprivileged sections of society, empowering them to improve their livelihoods and access better employment opportunities."

Jawa Yezdi Motorcycles bring Mega Service to Chandigarh

CHANDIGARH: Jawa Yezdi Motorcycles is set to extend its highly successful Mega Service Camp in Chandigarh, Punjab. Following multiple successful service camps across states, the three-day event will take place in Noida from March 8th to March 10th, exclusively catering to Jawa motorcycle owners of the 2019 and 2020 models in the region. The service camp will be held at Tashik Automobiles - B-25, Sector 58, Near PTL Chowk, Industrial Area Phase 3, Mohali, SAS Nagar, Punjab 160005. As part of the camp, owners of 2019-2020 Jawa motorcycles are entitled to a comprehensive vehicle health check-up and a free replacement of select parts. Leading original equipment suppliers, including Motul, Amaron, and Castrol Tyres, will be actively participating to assist customers.

Haier celebrates its 20 years of innovating "In India, For India"

Chandigarh: Haier Appliances India, the No.1 global major appliances brand for 15 consecutive years celebrates the 20th anniversary of its establishment in India. This significant milestone demonstrates Haier's unwavering commitment to customer-centric innovation and its dedication to 'In India, and Made for India'. Adding to the celebration, Haier India expanded its product offerings by launching range of OLED & OLED TV, Super Heavy Duty Air conditioner series, Kincoas Black Air conditioner, Vapco and smart convertible refrigerator, washer and dryer heat load washing machine, commercial refrigeration solutions and commercial air conditioners. Focused on improving consumers through smart and intuitive products available for Indian homes, Haier India also unveiled a range of smart innovations including Roborock vacuum cleaners, smart kitchen appliances, air purifiers, water heaters and much more. As a brand at the helm of innovation driven by the evolving consumer needs, Haier India unveiled its new vision through a new brand slogan, "More Creation, More Possibilities." Holding customer experiences through heart in every technology, the brand has always remained to understand their pulse and stay ahead of the curve while offering innovative solutions that makes everyday life easier and smarter.

AIPL's Heartwarming Donation Drive for Clothes



LUDHIANA: In a display of compassion and community spirit, AIPL recently organized a successful donation drive for clothes that saw residents of the township, employees, and other generous individuals coming together to make a significant impact on the lives of the less privileged. The initiative not only showcased the generosity within the AIPL community but also highlighted the company's commitment to social responsibility. The drive was organized at AIPL Ludhiana and Anand. AIPL is committed to corporate social responsibility and was further exemplified by the company's decision to contribute 1000 units of clothes to the donation drive. This significant donation underscored AIPL's dedication to making a tangible impact on the lives of the less privileged. Looking forward, the company has set a standard for corporate entities to actively engage in philanthropic endeavours. The donated clothes are reaching the hands of the less privileged, providing them with not only physical warmth but also a sense of hope and belonging. AIPL's heartfelt donation drive stands as a testament to the company's ethos of compassion and community well-being.

Jindal Stainless wins first prize at state-level energy conservation award

HISAR: Jindal Stainless bagged the first prize at the state level for energy conservation under the category 'Industries above 1 megawatt (MW)', for its effective use of energy in overall plant facilities for the period of 2022-23. In a ceremony organized by the Haryana Renewable Energy Development Agency (HAREDA) and New & Renewable Energy Department, Government of Haryana in Chandigarh, Hon'ble Minister of Energy and Jails, Government of Haryana, Shri Ranjit Singh presented the award to Jindal Stainless' team in the presence of the British High Commissioner, Chandigarh, Caroline Howell and Additional Chief Secretary, Energy Department, Government of Haryana, Mr A K Singh. More than 100 companies across the state contested in this category. Dedicating this achievement to the Jindal Stainless Hsar coalition, Senior Vice President and Unit Head, Mr Vijay Kumar Bhatnagar, said, "Our commitment to a greener, more sustainable world is exemplified by our best-in-class energy efficiency and conservation strategies in its operational procedures. We combine cutting-edge technology with innovation, digitalization, and employee certification. We are making conscious efforts to make our manufacturing processes sustainable in all their aspects."

TECNO SPARK 20C to Dominate Sub10k segment: Sale starting on 5th March

Chandigarh: TECNO, continuing its momentum after a string of exciting launches since the beginning of 2024, is thrilled about the sale of the SPARK 20C, their all-new smartphone designed to be consumed everyday essential! Packed with all the great features users need for a well-rounded smartphone experience, at an unbeatable price, the SPARK 20C is set to go for sale on Amazon starting March 5th and can be availed for ₹1,999 under limited time launch offer. The TECNO SPARK 20C comes with a strong message for the users to 'Make A Smarter Choice', by opting for all essential key features tailored to meet the diverse needs of the Indian market, ensuring a premium and seamless everyday experience. The Spark 20C seamlessly brings all features into a single, sophisticated device, making it an ideal smartphone choice at an accessible price point. Picking a punch with an impressive 16GB RAM and 128GB internal storage, an exceptional 50MP dual AI camera, and a remarkable 90 Hz Dot In display complete with a Dynamic Port, the stylish SPARK 20C offers.

Know No Limits with Re'equil

CHANDIGARH: Embrace boundless potential, with us this International Women's Day as we head an empowering event designed to ignite your inner spark. Re'equil invites you to discover the extraordinary talent within the ordinary. Hear the inspiring story of Major Priya Jhingra, who inspired women with an extraordinary life journey. Seize the opportunity to rewrite your story. Get inspired, equipped, and empowered on 7th March, 2024.

Birla Fertility & IVF celebrates a year of providing outstanding clinical outcomes

REWARI (SHIV KUMAR SHARMA): Furthering the commitment to being a global leader in fertility care with a vision to transform the future of fertility, Birla Fertility & IVF, a part of the USD 29 dollars CK Birla Group, celebrated the successful completion of 1 year of their Rewari centre. Launched in 2023, the centre has provided the joy of parenthood to couples, through holistic fertility care and world-class infrastructure, not only in Haryana but from adjoining areas such as Bhiwadi, Naraina, Neemrana & Behror, Jhajjar, Mahendragarh, Farukh Nagar, Patnaudi. The occasion featured prominent dignitaries from Rewari such as Dr. Bhanwar Singh, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Vishal Rao, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Seema Rao, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Archana Yadav, Chairman, Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques Act, 1994 (PCPNDT), Dr. Ramesh Yadav and Mrs. Sangeta. The guests testified their support to Birla Fertility & IVF for providing quality fertility care to patients, adhering to the latest protocols and norms, while maintaining the highest standards of practice



and compliance. To commemorate this milestone, Dr. Nandini and Dr. Prachi Benara, Consultants at Birla Fertility & IVF, shared one of the many successful patient case studies from Rewari. They highlighted how a couple struggling with infertility for over 8 years finally embraced parenthood with the intervention of Birla Fertility & IVF. The female partner was suffering from a subseptate uterus, a rare condition characterized by an abnormality in the shape of the uterus. The male partner had a condition called teratozoospermia (high number of sperms). They sought medical help from other treatment centres and underwent multiple cycles of ovulation induction, and IUI, leading to various side-effects. The team of fertility experts at Birla Fertility & IVF diagnosed the underlying conditions of the patients with their exceptional expertise and specialization in the field. They successfully underwent an In-vitro Fertilization (IVF) and Intracytoplasmic Sperm Injection (ICSI) which are assisted reproductive (ART) procedures. During this process eggs were fertilised outside the female patient's body followed by a frozen embryo transfer. The female patient is currently in the 4th month of her pregnancy. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Nandini Jain said, "Birla Fertility & IVF extends a realm of opportunities to couples navigating the challenges of

parenthood, offering high-quality personalised care. With our comprehensive range of advanced treatments, state-of-the-art facilities, experienced medical team, and commitment to affordability, we have consistently provided accessible fertility solutions. The positive pregnancy test brought immeasurable joy and gratitude to the couple, who had grappled with infertility." Birla Fertility & IVF is recognised as a comprehensive hub for all fertility and IVF treatments. The event was graced by patients who have undergone fertility treatments and are now joyfully embracing their parenthood journey. 'The couples' happy faces reflected the challenges and obstacles they had overcome, as well as their resilience and determination along the way. Birla Fertility & IVF played a pivotal role in their journey to parenthood through their expertise and enduring commitment. Their presence added a meaningful and personal touch to the celebration, emphasizing the positive impact of Birla Fertility & IVF on individuals and families alike.

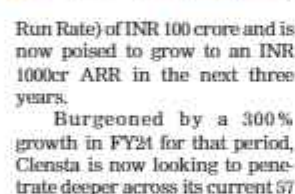
MG Motor India strengthens its EV Portfolio: makes ZS EV and Comet more accessible with Wow value proposition



Chandigarh, March 06, 2024: MG Motor India today announced the strengthening of its EV portfolio to make MG EVs more accessible in Wow value proposition. The carmaker introduces 'Excite Pro' - a new variant of its flagship EV - MG ZS with Dual Panoramic Sky Roof at an attractive price of INR 19.98 Lakh. MG Motor India also launches MG Comet with fast charging* option in two new variants - Excite and Exclusive. The range of Smart EV - MG Comet starts at INR 6.98 Lakh. The futuristically designed MG ZS EV offers a good on-road appearance, driving convenience, spacious and luxurious plush interiors. It is available in

Parineeti Chopra-backed Clensta reaches INR 100 Crore ARR, grows 300% FY24

NEW DELHI - Parineeti Chopra-backed personal care startup Clensta has said that in the last eight months since the actor-turned-entrepreneur has come on board, it has achieved an ARR (Annual



Run Rate) of INR 100 crore and is now poised to grow to an INR 1000 crore ARR in the next three years. Burgeoned by a 300% growth in FY24 for that period, Clensta is now looking to penetrate deeper across its current 57 focused cities through same-store, same-city growth. Further, Clensta is now available in modern trade chains like Reliance, Walmart, Health and Glow, Wellness Forever, Tata 1 MG, Metro and Apollo among others. Additionally, due to its unique product proposition, Clensta has been expanding its global footprints through strategic partnerships with global giants like The Lulu group in the GCC and UAE and Carrefour in Africa. The brand has also launched Phase II of its successful #Buy1Give1 campaign launched first in November last year—for every Clensta product sold, the brand gave one bottle of drinking water to the underprivileged—a cause in sync with Clensta's long-standing philosophy of providing water security to all.

Popular vehicles and services limited Intial public offer to open on March 12

GURUGRAM : Popular Vehicles and Services Limited ("PVSL" or the "Company"), shall open its Bid / Offer in relation to its initial public offer of Equity Shares on Monday, March 11, 2024. The Total Offer Size comprises of fresh issue of Equity Shares aggregating up to ₹2,500 million (₹250 crore) (The "Fresh Issue") and Offer for Sale up to 11,917,075 Equity Shares. (The "Offer for Sale"), (Together, "The Total Issue Size")

The Price Band of the Offer has been fixed at ₹280 to ₹296 Per Equity Share. Bids can be made for a minimum of 50 Equity Shares and in multiples of 50 Equity Shares thereafter. (The "Price Band")

The Anchor Investor Bidding Date shall be on Monday, March 11, 2024. The Bid/Offer will open on Tuesday, March 12, 2024 for subscription and close on Thursday, March 14, 2024. (The "Bid / Offer Period") A discount of ₹28 per equity share is being offered to eligible employees bidding in the Employee Reservation portion. (The "Employee Reservation Portion") The company proposes to utilize the net proceeds from IPO towards repayment and/or prepayment.

The Limca Book of Records unveils its 2024 edition
CHANDIGARH/LUDHIANA: Limca, Coca-Cola India's homegrown heritage brand, proudly announces the 3rd edition of India's longest-running record and reference book, Limca Book of Records. Continuing its theme of 'India at her Best', the 2024 edition is a veritable chronicle of the country's achievements in 2023 and those that have stood steadfast over the years. True to its legacy of pioneering an archive of Indian records, it features a comprehensive collection of feats of extraordinary tenacity, stories of stunning performances and triumphs of never-say-die achievers. The book puts out the best Indian real-life stories of perseverance, patience, and performances. From a recap of the record-breaking show at the Asian Games 2022 to the highlights of the newly designed Sansad Bhavan, the book celebrates India's headlining achievements. Showcasing a diverse set of records ranging from medical marvels to technological breakthroughs, from athletic triumphs to architectural feats, and from a rich literary landscape to community endeavors, the book reflects an inspiring narration of purpose and passion.

Over 2.25 billion products shipped across Bharat in 2023 on udaan

Ludhiana: Udaan, India's largest e-business-to-business (eB2B) platform, today announced that over 2.25 billion products catering to over 23 million orders were shipped by the platform in CY 2023. These orders were shipped across all states of Bharat. Under the Essentials category (Fresh, FMCG, Staples, Pharma), the platform catered to 20 million orders and nearly 10 lac tonnes of products were shipped through the platform. Over 70 million products were shipped under the

Discretionary (Electronics, General Merchandise, and Lifestyle) category catering to over 3 million orders. During this period, 900 sellers on the platform achieved sales worth Rs 1 crore each, while close to 600 sellers did business worth INR 2 crores on the platform. Retailers from Gurgaon, Mumbai, Pune, Lucknow, Jaipur, Kolkata, Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Delhi and Bangalore had the highest demand for Essentials and Discretionary products. By harnessing the power of

technology to elevate Kirana commerce, Udaan encourages digitization of payments among small retailers and kiranas. In CY 2023, 22% of retailers on the Udaan platform adopted digital payment methods. In CY 2023, Udaan witnessed a huge surge across the Essentials category with a repeat purchase rate of over 90% highlighting the strong relationship it enjoys with its retailer partners. ~504 million biscuit packets, 437 million Personal Care (units), ~251 million Beverage units.

Amity University hosts its Convocation Ceremony

CHANDIGARH: Amity University Maharashtra commenced its convocation ceremony with the 15th Battalion of the Assam Regiment representing the perseverance and passion with which they serve the country. For the graduates who got their much-awaited degrees, the assembled guests, and everyone connected to the prestigious university's Mumbai campus, the convocation ceremony was a spectacular occasion. Of a total of 1500 students, the University awarded 3 stu-



Award, 22 students with Gold Medals, 23 students with Silver Medals, and 11 students with Bronze Medals. 4 students received trophies for their achievements, while 8 students received doctoral degrees. The Honourable Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan, Founder President, Amity Education Group graced the occasion online and shared with students his philosophy of 'BHAG', asking them to recognize and appreciate the role of behavioral science.

EPC and HAM Player Ceigall India Limited files DRHP for IPO

CHANDIGARH: Ceigall India Limited an infrastructure construction company with experience in undertaking specialized structural work such as elevated roads, flyovers, bridges, railway over bridges, tunnels, highways, expressways and runways, has filed its Draft Red Herring Prospectus (DRHP) with capital market regulator Sebi to raise funds for its initial public offering (IPO). The IPO has a face value of Rs 5 and consists of a fresh issue of Rs 617.89 crore and an offer for sale of up to 14.28 million equity shares by the Promoter and Promoter Group Selling Shareholders and Individual Selling Shareholder. The offer for sale consists of the sale of equity shares of up to 4.28 million by Rameek Sehgal, up to 7.59 million equity shares by Rameek.

Scout Unveils First Six Southeast Asian Destinations on its New E190-E2, including New Destinations Koh Samui and Sibul



Amritsar: Scoot, the low-cost subsidiary of Singapore Airlines (SIA), today unveiled six new Southeast Asian destinations that its fleet of new Embraer E190-E2 aircraft will fly to. These include new destinations Koh Samui and Sibul, as well as existing destinations in Malaysia and Thailand including Hat Yai, Kuantan, Krabi, and Miri.

Asia. This will enable Scoot to connect customers to and through the Singapore hub and beyond, enabled by the airline's wide network connectivity. The first E2, aptly nicknamed Explorer 3.0, is expected to arrive in Singapore in April 2024. Explorer 3.0 will take over Scoot's existing flights to Krabi and Hat Yai from 7 May 2024, increasing flight frequencies to both destinations from 7-times to 10-times weekly. "We are delighted to unveil the first six destinations to be helmed by our new Embraer E190-E2s to cities in Malaysia and Thailand, including two exciting new additions to our network. This marks a new chapter of growth for Scoot and the SIA Group, and a significant step in strengthening our presence and connectivity."

Munawar Faruqi to be the first guest on 'Madness Machayenge - India Ko Hasayenge!'

CHANDIGARH : This Saturday, get ready to "laugh-out-loud" with Sony Entertainment Television's comedy extravaganza, 'Madness Machayenge - India Ko Hasayenge!'. With Huma Qureshi as 'Madness Ki Malkin', Harsh Gujral donning the hat of a host, and ace comedians - Paritosh Tripathi, Snehl Dixit Mehra (BC Aunty), Gaurav Dubey, Ketan Singh, Ankita Shrivastav, Kushal Badriki, Inder Sahani, and Hemangi Kavi presenting a diverse range of comedic acts, the show must be a part of your weekend 'watch-list'! Raising the 'madness' quotient on the show will be its first celebrity guest, Munawar Faruqi, who will leave you in splits with his humorous banter. Ace stand-up comedian Harsh Gujral fondly recalls Munawar's earlier appearances as an opener for his shows and reliving the nostalgia, both Harsh and Munawar team up to entertain the audience with a



collaborative stand-up act titled, 'UP versus Dongri', which earns them laughter and praise from Huma Qureshi! Furthermore, Ketan Singh, Kushal Badriki, Ankita Shrivastav, Snehl Mehra Dixit (BC Aunty), and Inder Sahani team up for an 'Animal Spoof', reenacting some of the famous scenes from the movie with a dash of humour.

Lyfe Hotels appoints Sara as their new expat Thai Chef

CHANDIGARH: Lyfe Hotels, Bhubaneswar is pleased to announce the appointment of Ms. Sara Panisara as their new expat Thai Chef. Bringing with her a distinguished career of over a decade in the hospitality industry, Chef Sara will now lead the Thai culinary cuisine at Lyfe Hotels' upcoming restaurant. Chef Sara will conceptualize and develop Thai cuisine and menus at Lyfe Hotels, Bhubaneswar. She will bring forth new culinary techniques and innovative approach to curate delectable Thai cuisine and delicacies to Bhubaneswar. Ms. Sonal Sahoo, Director and Promoter of Lyfe Hotels, The World Hotels and Resorts, expressed her congratulations on the appointment, stating, "I extend my congratulations to Chef Sara on her new position leading the Thai cuisine at Lyfe Hotels, Bhubaneswar. We warmly welcome her and are excited about Chef Sara bringing her unique culinary adventures and authentic flavours from Thailand that will be exquisitely created to build memorable dining experiences for our guests."

Marathoners and runners from India and overseas start gathering at Manali for the Snow Marathon

Kullu / Manali: Marathoners and runners from India and overseas have started to gather at Manali to participate in the third edition of Snow Marathon on March 10 at Sissu, (Lahaul). This event has the reputation of being the only snow marathon in Asia and highest in the world at around 10,000 feet above the sea level. Likewise, every year, this edition is being organised by Reach India in association with District Administration. Key sponsor Himachal Tourism is also aiming to bring the beauty of Lahaul on the world map by strengthening such events. The event is supported by Fortis Hospital as Medical Partner, Polaroid as Eye Wear Partner, Campus Shoes as Running Partner, Fast & Up as Nutrition Partner, Bonn as Energy Partner, Youngear & Gokyo as Awards Partners. Organizers Rajeev Kumar and Gaurav Schimer are



confident that this time they will surpass last year's figure of participants. So far, nearly 150 runners have registered themselves in four categories of full marathon (42 kilometers), half marathon (21 kilometers), ten kilometers and five kilometers. Ten marathoners are participating from overseas nations like the UK, USA, Australia, Nepal and Ethiopia. Sri Lankan runner Purna Rajarassam is already in town to feel the place. Continuing the trend, as

Thinking Of Investing: Think Tata AIA Plans

GURUGRAM / FARIDABAD : Over the past few years, Tata AIA, one of India's leading private life insurers, has consistently introduced new investment opportunities to investors seeking to generate wealth. Exploring several diverse themes, Tata AIA has developed a robust suite of 8 Unit linked products. These products have generated superior returns over multiple time periods, consistently beating the benchmark. The below table

shows the performance of multiple Tata AIA unit linked products across diverse themes. Commenting on Tata AIA's fund performance, Harshad Patil, Executive Vice President and Chief Investment Officer (CIO) of Tata AIA, said, "At Tata AIA, we are committed to offer best-in-class and highly

rated investment opportunities to our consumers, coupled with financial security for their loved ones. As Atmanirbhar Bharat continues on its robust growth trajectory, our investors can benefit from the diverse unit linked life insurance solutions that we offer. They can thus be prepared to harness opportunities that life offers, thereby being



Har Waqt Ke Liye Taiyaar."

Nexus Amritsar Mall Celebrates 14th Anniversary

Amritsar - Nexus Amritsar Mall celebrated its 14th anniversary with pride, demonstrating another year of success, community engagement and retail excellence. The anniversary festivities commenced with the auspicious Morning Sukhmani Sahib Paath, followed by soulful Kirtan, and the revered Guru Ka

Langar, symbolizing the values of peace, unity and gratitude.

The auspicious day also featured an Employee Certification ceremony, in order to honour their dedication and hard work that have been instrumental in the mall's successful journey of 14 years. Furthermore, the event highlighted excellence in retail through the Retail Renaissance Awards, acknowledging outstanding achievements in multiple categories.

National Poker Series India 2024 gets off to a flying start;

Chandigarh: National Poker Series India, country's coveted and most anticipated Poker series, inaugurated its fourth edition on Sunday, 3rd March 2024. With 11,800+ entries on the first day, National Poker Series India embarks on a 21-day journey to witness the country's growing Poker community competing with each other, showcasing enthralling gameplay with skills and winning a prize never offered before by a Poker series of INR 50 Cr+. With over 450+ medals to be won at this year's event, players are all set to set course on an elevated experience ever offered by a Poker series in India. The series will comprise 150 tournaments starting from 3rd March and concluding on 28th March 2024. National Poker Series India 2024 has already received 11,800+ entries across the country on day 1 of the series. Furthermore, it shattered records with an astounding 2,500+ entries in the Kick-off tournament alone, marking a phenomenal 25% increase from the previous editions. Ritvik Khanna from Delhi NCR was crowned the winner of the kick-off event by clinching.

Babbal Singh Jatana becomes president of SAD Youth Faridkot

JAGDEEP SINGH GILL

JAITU: Congratulations to Babbal Singh Jatana on being made the president of youth wing Faridkot by Shiromani Akali Dal. Giving information in this regard, Circle Bajakhana Youth President Jagbir Singh Dhillon and Shiromani Akali Dal Faridkot Senior Vice President Kuldeep Singh Dhillon while giving



information said that as per the guidelines of Shiromani Akali Dal Badal President Sukhbir Singh Badal, Youth Akali Dal Punjab President Sarabjit Singh Jhinjar, Parambans Singh Banti Romana and Shiromani Akali Dal Faridkot president Mantar Singh Brar under the leadership of Shiromani Akali Dal Badal party are being

rewarded by giving positions to the party workers who work day and night for the Shiromani Akali Dal Badal party. Under the same chain, Babbal Singh Jatana, who has always been loyal to the party, has been appointed as the District President of Shiromani Akali Dal Youth Wing, Faridkot. Youth workers of district Faridkot are very enthusiastic about their appointment.

CM gives big gift to people of Karnal by virtually laying foundation stone and inaugurating 93 projects of Rs 329 cr: Sanjay Bhatia

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL, MAR 7

Chief Minister Manohar Lal today gave a great gift to the people of Karnal by virtually laying the foundation stone and inaugurating 93 projects worth Rs 329 crore. Here the district level program was organized in the Mini Secretariat in which MP Sanjay Bhatia, MLA Harvindra Kalyan, Dharampal Gondar and Ramkumar Kashyap and administrative officials participated. CM inaugurated 22 projects and laid the foundation stone of 71 in Karnal district. These include two projects of Smart City worth Rs 13592.51 lakh, one project of Higher Education Department worth Rs 1500 lakh, one project of Energy Department worth Rs 386 lakh, 20 projects of Panchayat and Development Department worth Rs 1652.01



lakh and 68 projects of PWD worth Rs 14405.52 lakh. 71 projects of expansion and strengthening of roads of PWD department are included which mainly include strengthening of Karnal Kachhiwa Sambli Kaul Road at a cost of Rs 1958 lakh, road from Bastali, Amupur, Chakda, Majra Roadan on Karnal Kaithal Road at a cost of Rs 469.08 lakh. This includes expansion and strengthening of Panipat-

Barsat road at a cost of Rs 368.74 lakh, the road from Ghir to Shergarh Tapu at a cost of Rs 321.97 lakh and the road from Bibipur Jatan to Nagla Rodan at a cost of Rs 305.53 lakh. He announced the construction of the Haryana Nursing Home from the District Library to be built at a cost of Rs. 12733 lakhs in Karnal city and the flyover bridge from Balmiki Chowk to Ambedkar Chowk and the rehabilitation work of Main

Dram Number One at a cost of Rs. 859.51 lakhs, Rs. 1500 lakhs in Nigdu. Laid the foundation stone of the government college to be built at cost. Apart from this, the foundation stone of the underpass to be built near Kambopura at a cost of Rs 15 crore by the National Highway Authority was laid. Also inaugurated the 33 KV sub-station at Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya Health Sciences University of Kutail which was built at a cost of Rs 386 lakh. Apart from this, Baba Fateh Singh Ji Government College, Assandhi, built at a cost of Rs 20 crore, was inaugurated. He inaugurated 20 ponds under Amrit Sarosar Scheme. These include village Balla pond built at a cost of Rs 239.56, Rs 187.25 lakh in village Chochdan, Sonkera pond built at Rs 154.58 lakh and village Samanabahu built at a cost of Rs 96.30 lakh.

Vij redresses grievances of people at his residence in Ambala

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
AMBALA, MAR 7

Haryana's Home and Health Minister Sh. Anil Vij today redressed to the grievances of people of the state at his residence in Ambala and directed concerned officials to take action. Before the Home Minister, victim women of various cases of rape complained that no action had been taken. On which, Home Minister Anil Vij instructed the SPs of the respective districts to take strict action. A woman from Yamuna Nagar informed that some time ago she had filed a case of rape in Yamuna Nagar, but the police have not yet arrested the accused. Similarly, a woman from Karnal said that in the case of rape, the police have arrested one accused so far while the rest are still absconding. Home Minister Anil Vij directed strict action in both cases. Similarly, a family



from Ambala informed that their daughter-in-law has left home with nearly 50 tolas of jewellery and cash and is filing a false case against them. The Home Minister instructed the SP, Ambala to investigate the matter. Likewise, a family from Hisar also accused their daughter-in-law of harassing them. The married woman from Hisar reported that her in-laws demanded dowry from her and harassed her before kicking

her out of the house. Now her social media account has been hacked and wrong messages are being sent. Home Minister Anil Vij directed the SP, Hisar to investigate the matter. People from Paplauta village in Panipat accused encroachment on panchayati land, on which the Home Minister directed the DC, Panipat to investigate. In addition, a resident of Narayangarh complained of encroachment on his land, a resident of Ambala accused a GRP employee of demanding cash, a married woman from Shahabad accused her in-laws of harassment, a person from Kurukshetra accused of assault, a youth from Kaithal accused of not taking action in a case of assault, and other allegations were made, on which Home Minister Anil Vij instructed the respective authorities to take action.

VB arrests five panchayat members for misappropriating grant funds



KULJEET SINGH HONEY

TARN TARAN: The Punjab Vigilance Bureau (VB) during its ongoing campaign against corruption in the state on Thursday apprehended Gurmeh Singh and Jawala Singh (both ex-Sarpanches), Nirvail Singh, Kabul Singh and Gurbir Singh (both ex-members) of village panchayat, Benka, Tarnataran district for misappropriating government grant received for development of the village. Disclosing this here today a spokesperson of the state VB said this case has been registered against the former panchayat members on a complaint lodged by Shubeg Singh, a resident of village Benka to Bureau. He further informed that during the investigation of said complainant it was found that the accused have embezzled government funds amounting to Rs. 1,66,95,153 during their tenure as members of Panchayat of village Benka.

CM lays foundation stone of 14 roads at cost of Rs 23 crore in Indri

MAINPAL KASHYAP
INDRI, MAR 7

MLA Ramkumar Kashyap said that Chief Minister Manohar Lal was accelerating the pace of development works in Indri assembly constituency by making new announcements every day. He thanked the Chief Minister for laying the foundation stone of 14 roads built at a cost of Rs 23 crore in Vidhan Sabha Indri from village Gheed of Vidhan Sabha constituency to Shergarh Tapu 2.972 kilometer, Bayana Link Road, Kalsaura to Islamnagar 2.800 km, Beed Majri App Road 1.300 km, Gheed to Salarpur 1.500 km, Karnal, Ramba, Indri, Ladwa Road to Sangoha,



Gaurigarh App Road 2.250 km, Gadhibirbal to Shergarh, Khanpur to Budhanpur, Hinauri. He has given a big gift to the area by laying the foundation stone of Bhowji,

Shergarh to Dhanokhed, Bibipur Jatan to Kamalpur Rodan 2.300 km, Bibipur Jatan to Nagla Rodan and Nagla Rodan to Gheed 2.600 km.

In Shakti Vandan program women of self-help groups honored



DR ASHOK KUMAR

KARNAL: On Thursday, under Shakti Vandan program, women of Self-Help Group were honored at BDP office Kumpura. On this occasion, all the women expressed gratitude to the Prime Minister and Chief Minister for providing them employment. Giving information, Councillor Megha Bhandari said that with the money given to self-help groups by the Prime Minister and Chief Minister of the country, women were doing their own employment and empowering themselves and making them self reliant. She said that BJP was the only government which gave full respect and honor to women and was providing new employment opportunities.

Three councillors of INDI Alliance file nomination papers for F&CC



CHANDIGARH: Three councillors of INDI Alliance today filed their nomination papers with the Joint Secretary, Chandigarh Municipal Corporation for the MC Finance and Contract Committee (F&CC). These included, councillors Jasvinder Kaur and Ramchandra Yadav from Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) and councillor Taruna Mehta from Congress, who filed nomination papers. On this occasion, Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board Chairman and co-in-charge, AAP Chandigarh Dr. SS Ahluwalia, Chandigarh Congress President HS Lucky, Mayor Kuldeep Kumar, besides councillors of AAP and Congress, other leaders and workers of both the parties were also present. On this occasion, the three councillors Jasvinder Kaur, Ramchandra Yadav and Taruna Mehta gave a joint statement and said that after becoming members of F&CC, they will ensure development work of every ward, village and colony of Chandigarh on priority basis. No stone will be left unturned in the development of the city.

Budget presented by Mann govt will take Pb towards prosperity: Rakesh Tuli



VERMA GURDASPUR: AAP leaders expressed their happiness over the budget presented by Punjab Finance Minister Harpal Singh Cheema in the Assembly for the coming year and said that the budget presented by the Honorable Government is the beginning of a new Punjab. In this regard, District President of Transport Wing and AAP leader Rakesh Tuli, AAP leader Dr. K.D. Singh, AAP leader Ashok Kumar, AAP leader Ed. Bhanu Pratap, AAP leader Sahib Singh Saba and AAP leader Saurabh Bahl said that as per its promise, the Punjab government has given priority to health education in this budget. The government has made a provision of Rs 100 crore for the School of Eminence, which shows that the government wants the children of the state to get an opportunity to get education in the best schools. He said that a provision of Rs 16967 has been made for education. This will help in completely changing the face of schools. Describing this budget as being in the right direction for the people of Punjab, he said that the Chief Minister has also made a provision of Rs 25 crore in this budget for visiting religious places. In this budget, while the government has made a provision of Rs 6289 crore for urban areas, it has kept Rs 3154 crore for rural areas. He said that the budget presented by the Mann government will take Punjab towards prosperity.

Uttam Singh takes charge of deputy commissioner of Karnal



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

KARNAL: Karnal's newly appointed Deputy Commissioner Uttam Singh took charge on Thursday. He is an IAS officer of 2015 batch. Recently Haryana government has transferred of IAS officers and Uttam Singh has been transferred from Hisar and appointed as Deputy Commissioner in Karnal. Uttam Singh has served on various posts in many districts of Haryana state earlier. On this occasion, Deputy Commissioner Uttam Singh said that resolving the complaints and problems of the general public, completing the district's developmental works and taking smart city projects at a fast pace would be his priority. Apart from this, the general elections of Lok Sabha would be conducted in a free, fair and peaceful manner. For this, the officials have also been instructed to complete all the necessary arrangements on time for the preparations for the elections in their respective areas.

Krishi Vigyan Kendra organizes training on 'Natural farming' at village Dhingarpur

DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHARPUR, MAR 7

Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Langroya, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar organized two days training on "Natural farming" at village Dhingarpur in which 40 farmers and farm women took part. On this occasion, Associate Director (Training), Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Langroya, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar, Dr. Maninder Singh Bona, welcomed the farmers & farm women and highlighted the importance of natural farming in the present situation and threw light on the initiatives undertaken by the KVK for promoting natural farming in project mode, which were being implemented through awareness camps, trainings and demonstrations in district Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar. During training, Assistant Professor (Entomology), Dr. Baljit Singh explained in detail about the basic principles and practical aspects of natural farming. He also discussed the pest management strategies in natural farming. Assistant Professor (Vegetable Science), Dr. Arti Verma explained the role and importance of fruits and vegetables in human diet, cultivation of summer vegetables and mushrooms.

"Our government is working steadfastly to make the life of every person in society easy. Be it senior citizens, divyangjan, tribal people or the deprived sections of the society, our topmost priority is to serve and protect the interests of 140 crore Indians."

- Narendra Modi, Prime Minister

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For Senior Citizens of BPL category or having monthly income not more than **15000/-**

Facility of registration is also available for new beneficiaries at the camp

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Date	Place	Time
08.03.2024	Shree Ram Rangmanch, Kota	
09.03.2024	Divine Public School, Maruti Nagar Khairabad, District Kota	11:00 AM
10.03.2024	Kashipuri Hindu Dharamshala Ground, Sangod, District Kota	
11.03.2024	Krishi Upaj Mandi, Keshavpur Patan, District Bundi	10:00 AM
	Purani Krishi Upaj Mandi, Bundi	12:00 PM

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It's certain to form BJP government once again at Center: Jagdish Mehta

RADAUR (NIRMAL SAINI) : BJP government is going to be formed once again at the Centre. The credit for this goes to the honesty and clean image of Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Every section of the country is benefiting from the welfare policies run by the government. District General Secretary of BJP Kisan Morcha Jagdish Mehta said this in Jathina under the public relations campaign. Jagdish Mehta said that Modi wave is going on in full swing in the entire country. There is no difference between the actions and words of the BJP government. The government is running welfare schemes for every section. The people of the country are getting the benefits of which. Today every section is completely happy with the BJP rule and want to hand over the reins of the country to the BJP once again. This time BJP will take the country to the position of development by winning more seats.

Gharaunda Assembly gets gift of 60 projects worth Rs 55 crore: Harvindra Kalyan

PARI BAJAJ
GHARAUNDA, MAR 7

Gharaunda MLA Harvindra Kalyan said that Gharaunda Assembly has got the gift of 60 projects worth Rs 55 crore, which Chief Minister Manohar Lal virtually inaugurated and laid the foundation stone of these. On behalf of the people of the area, the MLA has expressed gratitude to the Chief Minister for the above projects.

The MLA said that after the formation of the BJP government in Haryana, Chief Minister Manohar Lal has got development work done equally in all the circles. On Thursday, Chief Minister Manohar Lal has dedicated projects worth more than Rs. 325 crores of Karnal district to the public. Rapid development work was going on in every sector in the state. The Chief Minister was especially concerned about the poor. He said that the underpass being built near Kambopura at a cost of Rs 15 crore by NHAI would benefit the people of many villages.

Giving detailed information about the

development works, he said that in Gharaunda assembly constituency, Rs 114.62 lakh would be spent on strengthening the road from village Kutail to Pipiliwari, Rs 112.71 lakh would be spent on



strengthening the road from village Kutail to Kairwali, Rs 120.09 lakh would be spent on strengthening the road from GT Road to Rasin via Hasanpur. Rs 26.85 lakh, Jamukhala Approach Road Rs 11.47 lakh, Upali to Rasin Road Rs 86.95 lakh, Faiz Al-

ipur to Kairwali Road Rs 151.78 lakh, Hasanpur to Shiv Mandir Rs 6.60 lakh. Gharaunda Roads were widened and strengthened by the Public Works Department with an amount of Rs 208.76 lakh on Gyanpur Road, Rs 49.3 lakh on Drain Ghat from Faiz Alipur-Kairwali Road, Rs 209.49 lakh on Lahupura to Amritpur Road, Rs 211.3 lakh on Kutail to Uncha Samana Road. Similarly, Rs 13.5 lakh on GT Road to Bajida Jattan Road, Rs 54.39 lakh from Karnal Meerut Road to Ranwar, Rs 217.07 lakh from Karnal Meerut Road to Ganjo Garhi Road, Rs 27.29 lakh on Kutail to Mubarakabad Road, Rs 27.29 lakh on Faiz Alipur Majra Approach Road. Rs 20.71 lakh, Faiz Alipur Majra to Kutail High School Road Rs 216.99 lakh, Bastara to Gyanpur Road Rs 89.39 lakh, Mubarakabad to Bastara Road Rs 163.27 lakh, Jamalpur to Barsat Road Rs 221.16 lakh, Panipat Barsat Road Rs 368.74 lakh. Gharaunda Railway Station to RUB Rs. 46.30 Lakh, Karnal Meerut Road to Ranwar Road Rs. 218.33 Lakh, GT Road to Madanpur Road Rs. 18.98 Lakh, GT Road to Bajida Jattan Road Rs. 35.91 Lakh, Daba Bajida to Sirsi Approach Road Rs 81.20 lakh etc.

Safety, convenience and empowerment of women is Modi's guarantee: Megha Bhandari

PARI BAJAJ
KARNAL, MAR 7

Under Shakti Vandan program, women of Self Group were honored at BDP office Kunjpura in Kunjpura division. On this occasion, all the women expressed gratitude to the Honorable Prime Minister and Chief Minister for providing them employment. Giving information, Councilor Megha Bhandari said that with the money given to self groups by the Honorable Prime Minister and Chief Minister of the country, women are doing their own employment and empowering themselves. He said that BJP is the only government which gives full respect and honor to women and is providing new employment opportunities. He said that women of



Self Group are today walking shoulder to shoulder with their husbands and helping them in maintaining the household. He said that safety, convenience and empowerment of women is Modi's guarantee. Megha Bhandari further said that today under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, the entire country is organizing a

program of Nari Vandan. Shakti Vandan campaign is being organized in every development block. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has always worked to promote mother power. Considering women as the center point, he has started various schemes like Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana, Nai-Jal Yojana, Ujjwala Yojana.

Ambala's Kalpana Chawla College wins Volleyball match

MANISH KUMAR
AMBALA: In the inter-polytechnic volleyball match played at Government Polytechnic for Women, Faridabad, under the captaincy of Neha, Kalpana Chawla defeated Government Polytechnic for Women, Ambala City in the semi-final match against Government Polytechnic for Women, Sirsa and in the final match, she defeated Govern-



ment Polytechnic for Women, Faridabad. Hoisted the flag of victory by defeating the Indian Premier League in its home ground. The team was headed by Miss Bimla and Mandeep Singh. Final winning team was given a warm welcome by the Principal Dr. Labh Singh Nain and staff members at Kalpana Chawla Government Polytechnic for Women, Ambala City.

7-day long NSS camp concludes

DARSHAN SHARMA
NILOKHERI: The NSS Shivir which was held for seven days at Shri Guru Teg Bahadur Government College, organised in village Butana of Nilokheri concluded today with much fanfare. On the seventh and last day of the camp, regular activities like yoga practice, cleanliness, sports and cultural activities were organised like every day. Sanmeet Kaur Ahuja, former chairperson of Nilokheri Municipal Committee, participating in the closing program of the NSS camp, said that such camps teach the lessons of service, cooperation, discipline and hard work to the volunteers. Dikshita, a first year BCA student. Selected as the best volunteer. Principal of the college, Dr. Rekha Sharma, while thanking the chief guest, said that NSS activities and other co-curricular activities complement the classroom teaching and provide all-round development of the students. On this occasion, Program Officer of NSS unit of the college, Mrs. Abha Narwal presented the report of the NSS camp and thanked the chief guest, principal, staff members and volunteers for the successful organisation of the camp. Apart from village sarpanch Mr. Virendra Singh and councillor Rajendra Kaur, Dr. Surendra Raman, Dr. Hansraj, Dr. Vinod Mehla, Mr. Manish Garg, Harpal Singh, Dr. Charandas, Mr. Sumit, Mr. Amit, Dr. Rajeev Kumar, Mr. Dinesh Kumar, Mr. Arun participated in the program. Kumar and other staff members were also present.



BJP government has lost public trust: Rajesh Vaidya

DARSHAN SHARMA
NILOKHERI: Under the BJP rule, the common man is troubled by inflation and it has become difficult for the poor to earn two meals a day, said Professor Rajesh Vaidya, former member of Haryana Public Service Commission and PCC delegate. Expressing this while addressing a public meeting organised in Anaj Mandi Nilokheri regarding Congress and Congress resolution letter, Vaidya said that if the Congress party comes to power, the pension of the elderly will be Rs 6 thousand per month, the poor Dalit backward classes will be given plots of 100-100 yards and Education and health will be made free. While addressing the public, Lok Sabha in-charge Dr. Uma Shankar Pandey said that 'Ghar-Ghar Congress, Har Ghar Congress' campaign has been started in the entire state from January 15 in Haryana and all Congress workers will be present at every booth. Pandey, Observer of All India Congress Committee and in-charge of Kamal Lok Sabha, said that on the call of All India Congress Committee and Haryana Pradesh Congress Committee, Har Ghar Congress Ghar Ghar Congress campaign has been started from January 15, with the aim of reaching every house. And the policies of Congress and the failures of the government have to be conveyed to every voter. Before this, public anger rallies are being held continuously by the party, which are getting tremendous support from the public. Now one to one communication will be established with the voters through the 'Har Ghar Congress' campaign. The workers will tell the public how Congress is known for keeping its promises while BJP is known for breaking promises.



Women moving forward shoulder to shoulder with men: Harpreet Kaur

PARI BAJAJ
KARNAL : A felicitation ceremony was organized by Danveer Raja Karna Foundation in a private hotel on the occasion of International Women's Day. In the programme, great personalities who have done excellent work in various fields were honored with the National Empowered Women Award. Social worker Harpreet Kaur Deol, chief guest actress Rubina Sulbana, celebrity guest TV actor Manish Bista, Shaili Sharma, Sadhvi Pooja Thakur honored the women by presenting them mementos. Harpreet Kaur Deol said that today women are progressing in every field and are walking shoulder to shoulder with men. National President of the organization Parveen Punia said that we should always respect women and women should also get equal rights as men. He told that organization also organizes marriages of needy girls. He told that destitute and helpless cows are also treated by our organization and blood camps are also organized from time to time.



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Over 12 lakh free gas connections distributed in the state so far

Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana
Loan facility of upto ₹10 lakh

Scheme to make two lakh women Lakhpati Didi by bringing them to a higher income level

Swachh Bharat Mission
Built 8,42,272 individual, 10,047 community and 6872 public toilets in the state

Now, 33% reservation to women in ration depot allotment

Formed Durga Shakti Vahini, Durga Shakti App, Durga Shakti Rapid Action Force

Helpline 1091 started for women's safety and assistance

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