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Judges should use a sense of robust common sense in bail petitions: CJI

BENGALURU: Chief Justice of India D Y Chandrachud on Sunday said the trial judges prefer playing safe by not granting bail on important issues of crime when it is looked at with a degree of suspicion. The Chief Justice underlined the need for a 'sense of robust common sense' to look at the nitty-gritty of each case.

"People who should be getting bail in the trial courts and not getting it there, as a result of which, they have to invariably move the high courts. People who should be getting bail in the high courts will not necessarily get it, as a result of which, they have to move to the Supreme Court. This delay compounds the problem of those who are facing arbitrary arrests," Justice Chandrachud said.

EAM holds bilateral meeting with US Secretary of State Antony Blinken

TOKYO/NEW DELHI: External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar, who is in Tokyo for the Quad Foreign Ministers' Meeting, on Sunday met with US Secretary of State Antony Blinken.

In a post on X, the EAM said the two sides also held wide-ranging discussions on regional and global issues.

"Great to catch up with @SecBlinken in Tokyo today.

"Our bilateral agenda progresses steadily. Also had a wide ranging discussion on regional and global issues.

"Look forward to attending the Quad FMM tomorrow." This was the first meeting between the two since Jaishankar was reappointed to the post in the third term of PM Modi.

Ravi Kishan introduces bill for official status to Bhojpuri

NEW DELHI: Bhojpuri superstar and BJP MP Ravi Kishan has introduced a private member bill in Lok Sabha to include Bhojpuri in the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution so that it can be accorded the status of an official language.

Kishan, who introduced The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2024, on Friday, said he wants to underline that the Bhojpuri language is not about crass songs but has a rich cultural history and literature.

Hry girl Manu Bhaker claims historic bronze in Olympics

AGENCY CHATEAUROUX (FRANCE), JULY 28

A resilient Manu Bhaker became the first Indian woman shooter to claim an Olympic medal by snaring a bronze in the 10m air pistol event here on Sunday, a triumph that opened the country's account in the Paris Games and ended a 12-year wait for its much-hyped shooters.

The last time India won shooting medals at the Olympics was in 2012 London edition where rapid-fire pistol shooter Vijay Kumar and 10m air rifle marksman Gagan Narang clinched silver and bronze respectively. Narang is the chef de mission of the Paris contingent right now.

The 22-year-old Bhaker, who hails from Jhajjar in Haryana, fought hard to get the bronze with a score of 221.7 here.

Korea's Kim Yeji claimed the silver with a total of 241.3 while her compatriot Jin Ye Oh bagged the gold with a Games record of 243.2.

Bhaker was competing in her second Olympics after drawing a blank in the previous edition.

"After Tokyo I was very disappointed and it took me a very long time to overcome that. Frankly speaking, I really can't explain how good I am feeling today," Bhaker, whose Tokyo campaign had ended in tears after her pistol malfunctioned during the qualification of the same event, said with a wide smile on her face.

"I was fighting with all the energy I have. Really grateful that I could win the bronze. I read Bhagwat Gita and always tried to do what I am supposed to do, left everything else to god.



PV Sindhu's campaign starts with win

PARIS: In a mere 29 minutes, Indian badminton ace and two-time Olympic medallist PV Sindhu launched her Paris Olympics campaign with a decisive straight-game win over Maldives' Fathimath Abdul Razzaq on Sunday. From the outset, the gulf in class was clear. Sindhu, aiming for a third Olympic medal, effortlessly dispatched her lower-ranked opponent with a 21-9, 21-6 victory in their Group M encounter. Ranked 10th, Sindhu, who claimed silver at the 2016 Rio Games and bronze at the Tokyo Games, is set to meet world No. 75 Kristin Kuuba of Estonia in her second group match on Wednesday.

Hry CM congratulates Shooter Manu

CHANDIGARH: Haryana Chief Minister, Sh. Nayab Singh Saini, extended his heartfelt congratulations to the renowned shooter, Manu Bhaker, for her outstanding achievement in securing a bronze medal in the 10-meter air pistol event at the Paris Olympics-2024. In his message, the Chief Minister lauded Manu Bhaker for her remarkable performance and historical achievement, which has brought immense pride to both Haryana and the entire nation. He praised her dedication, hard work, and the perseverance that led to this prestigious accomplishment on the global stage.

Delhi Police detains owner of coaching centre after basement flooding kills three students

AGENCY NEW DELHI, JULY 28

Delhi Police on Sunday detained the owner and coordinator of the IAS coaching centre, where three students lost their lives after the basement of the institute was filled with water, a senior police officer said.

Deputy Commissioner of Police (DCP) Central, M Harshavardhan also said that the police have registered a case against the coaching institute, the management of the building, and those responsible for the maintenance of the drain at that location.

"Case registered under sections 105, 106 (1), 115 (2), 290 and 35 of BNS. This case is against the coaching institute and the management of the building and those who were responsible for the maintenance of the drain of that place...so far we have detained the owner and coordinator of that coaching centre...further investigation underway" DCP Harshavardhan told ANI.

The police identified the victims of Delhi's Old Rander Nagar coaching centre incident as Shreya Yadav, a native of Ambedkar Nagar district of Uttar Pradesh, Tanya Soni from Telangana; and Nivlin Dalwin, a resident of Kerala's Ernakulam.



"Rescue operations were launched, along with Delhi Police and Delhi Fire Service, NDRF was also involved. By the end of the search and rescue op...3 bodies were recovered from the basement. All 3 of them have been identified and the family members have been informed."

Police have sent their bodies to the Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital (RML) for an autopsy.

Earlier in the day, Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police Sachin Sharma assured protesting students that the police would conduct a thorough investigation and take necessary action.

Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police Sachin Sharma while addressing protesting students, said, "Three people have died. Why will we hide anything? We assure you that we will do whatever is legally possible.

The investigation is on."

The students were demonstrating against the Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) and the management of the IAS coaching institute, demanding action over the deaths of three students. Meanwhile, former Delhi Commission for Women (DCW) Chief Swati Maliwal has alleged corruption in the operation of illegal basements in the city. "Who will take responsibility for the deaths of three students due to drowning in the basement? Students reveal that they had been demanding drain cleaning repeatedly for ten days, but no action was taken. How can illegal basements operate without corruption? How can extra floors be added? How can encroachments on roads and drains occur without bribes? It is clear that there is no need to follow safety rules, just pay money.

PM discusses implementation of public schemes with leaders of BJP-ruled states



AGENCY NEW DELHI, JULY 28

Prime Minister Narendra Modi chaired a meeting of Chief Ministers and Deputy Chief Ministers of BJP-ruled states at the party headquarters in Delhi on Sunday.

Senior leaders, including Union Ministers Amit Shah, Rajnath Singh and JP Nadda, who is also the BJP national president, attended the meeting.

Rajasthan CM Bhajan Lal Sharma, Tripura CM Manik Saha, Madhya Pradesh CM Mohan Kumar Yadav, Manipur CM N Biren Singh, Uttar Pradesh CM Yogi Adityanath, Gujarat CM Bhupendra Patel, Uttarakhand CM Pushkar Singh Dhami, Assam CM Himanta Biswa Sarma, Goa CM Pra-

mod Sawant, Chhattisgarh CM Vishnu Deo Sai, Arunachal Pradesh CM Pema Khandu and Odisha CM Mohan Charan Majhi, among others, were present at the meeting.

Maharashtra Deputy CM Devendra Fadnavis, Uttar Pradesh Dy CM Keshav Prasad Maurya, Nagaland Dy CM Y Patton, Bihar Dy CMs Samrat Choudhary and Vijay Kumar Sinha and Rajasthan Dy CM Diya Kumari, among others, also attended the meeting.

This was the biggest meeting of the key functionaries called in by the BJP after the 2024 Lok Sabha elections. According to sources, discussions on schemes run by state governments were held. The states gave presentations on the schemes.

Punjab Police busts international drug network, arrests two with Rs 1 crore cash

BUREAU CHANDIGARH/AMRITSAR, JULY 28:

Amidst the ongoing war against drugs waged on the directions of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, Counter Intelligence Amritsar has seized over Rs 1.07 crore drug money and apprehended two operatives of foreign-based top drug smugglers Gurjant Singh alias Bholu and Kinderbir Singh alias Sunny Dyal, said Director General of Police (DGP) Punjab Gaurav Yadav here on Sunday.

Those arrested have been identified as Dilbag Singh, a resident of village Lohka in Tarn Taran and Kamal-

deep Singh, a resident of Patti in Tarn Taran. Apart from seizing drug money, Police teams have also recovered one money counting machine and two mobile phones from the possession, besides, impounding their Maruti Swift car.

DGP Gaurav Yadav said that the Counter Intelligence Amritsar has received intel-inputs that foreign-based drug smugglers Gurjant Bholu and Sunny Dyal are running an organised crime syndicate involved in drug trafficking and illegal weapons distribution across the state and have tasked their operatives to



collect the drug money and send them using Hawala route.

He said that in an intelli-

gence-based operation, Police teams from Counter Intelligence Amritsar have arrested two of their operatives identified as Dilbag Singh and Kamaldeep Singh from a rented accommodation at Fatehgarh Churian Road, Amritsar.

The DGP said preliminary investigations have revealed that both the arrested persons were in constant touch with both Gurjant Bholu and Sunny Dyal via encrypted social media platforms and were to send the recovered drug money worth over Rs 1 crore to them using Hawala route.

GC Kataria eight time Udaipur MLA to Punjab Governor

CHANDIGARH: Gulab Chand Kataria has replaced Banwarilal Purohit as the Governor of Punjab. Lakshman Prasad Acharya takes over from Mr Kataria as the Governor of Assam with the additional charge of Manipur. President Droupadi Murmu appointed six new Governors and shifted three on Saturday night. Mr Kataria, 79, is a BJP veteran from Rajasthan. Gulab Chand Kataria was born to the Hukmi Chand Kataria



and the Lahari Bai on October

13, 1944. He got his Master's degree in Geography from Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur. He also studied Law at the same university. He is married to Anita Kataria. Mr Kataria is deeply rooted in the ideology of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh. A BJP veteran, he holds considerable sway in the Mewar-Wagad region in the south of Rajasthan.

Quality healthcare on wheels: CM flags off 58 advanced ambulances



BUREAU CHANDIGARH, JULY 28-

Reiterating the firm commitment of the state government to impart quality health services to people, the Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann on Sunday flagged off 58 new hi-tech ambulances to serve the people of the state.

The Chief Minister, flanked by Health Minister Dr Balbir Singh, dedicated these ambulances to the people of the state thereby ensuring that they are available to people in hour of distress. With this addition in the fleet of ambulances a total number of 325 ambulances have been pressed into the service of people across the state to en-

sure that they get health services in time. These Ultra Modern Ambulances have been mandated to reach to the needy patients within 15 minutes in Urban Areas and 20 minutes in Rural Areas.

These Ambulances will work in tandem with Sadak Surkhya Force and ensure that precious lives of people are saved in case of emergency by providing health care facilities to them at time. The 58 hi-tech ambulances have been purchased at a cost of Rs 14 crore and are equipped with life saving drugs and ultra modern equipments. These ambulances will act as a catalyst to provide primary treatment to the patients so that their lives are saved well in time.

Private member's bill listed in Rajya Sabha to ensure rights of workers in view of AI

AGENCY NEW DELHI, JUL 28

Amid global concerns over how Artificial Intelligence may affect the workforce, Trinamool Congress MP Mausam Noor is battling for transparency in the use of AI technologies at the workplace to prevent biases, and discrimination in hiring, and promotions from taking place.

The Workforce Rights (Artificial Intelligence) Bill, 2023, a private member bill listed by Noor in the Upper House, says as AI becomes increasingly integrated into the workplace, laws must adapt to protect the workers' rights.

The bill spells out the rights of



an employee in case AI is being used by the organisation. It says the government must ensure transparency in the use of AI technologies within the workplace and give employees the 'right to refuse' tasks or decisions solely based on AI-generated processes if they feel it violates their rights or ethical standards.

It also seeks to provide adequate training and upskilling opportunities for employees affected by AI implementation, and protection of employee privacy rights, including data security and confidential handling of personal information.

The bill says the government must ensure that employers obtain explicit and informed consent from

employees before implementing AI that directly affects their work or rights.

It also seeks an "equality impact assessment" from time to time to ensure fairness and compliance. The bill expresses concern that AI has the potential to perpetuate biases in the data on which the system is trained, resulting in discrimination in hiring, promotions, and overall performance evaluations. It seeks to lay down comprehensive guidelines to combat data bias in AI implementation, including the need for transparency in algorithms, mandatory training, and the adoption of practices needed to detect and rectify biases within datasets.

In the Court of Sh. Dalvinder Singh Assistant Collector Grade 1-Cum-Naib Tehsildar, Machhiwara Sahib (Ludhiana)
Public Notice
Subject: Publication notice in partition case as per Section 111 of Land Revenue Act, 1887.
Partition case Nos. Case No. 01/Partition, Dated 06.04.2023 of land falling in revenue estate of Village Iraq Hadbast No. 330, Sub-Teh. Machhiwara Sahib, Tehsil Samrala, Distt. Ludhiana.
Yardman Colours & Hues Pvt. Ltd.Patitioner
Amolak Singh S/o Niranjn Singh ETC
.....Respondent
The Above Partition Case No. 01/Partition, Dated 06.04.2023 of land falling in the revenue estate of Village Iraq Hadbast No. 330, Sub-Teh. Shri Machhiwara Sahib, Tehsil Samrala, Distt. Ludhiana is pending for adjudication in this court and is on the summoning stage. The following Respondents could not be served in ordinary process. Therefore, through this advertisement the these respondents are ordered to appear before the court in person or through Counsel on or before 30.7.2024. This date onward no objection will be entertained and the case will be proceeded with as per law.
Issued under my seal & signature on Dated 24.07.2024
ANumber: 706/Reader Dated: 24.07.2025
Place: Shri Machhiwara Sahib, Village Iraq-330, Sub-Tehsil Machhiwara Sahib, Teh. Samrala, Distt. Ludhiana.
Assistant Collector Grade 1- Cum-Naib Tehsildar, Machhiwara Sahib (Ludhiana)

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Gurpreet Singh S/o Jagjit SinghPatitioner
Kaka Singh S/o Bakshish Singh ETC
.....Respondent
The Above Partition Case No. 02/Partition, Dated 06.04.2023 of land falling in the revenue estate of Village Iraq Hadbast No. 330, Sub-Teh. Shri Machhiwara Sahib, Tehsil Samrala, Distt. Ludhiana is pending for adjudication in this court and is on the summoning stage. The following Respondents could not be served in ordinary process. Therefore, through this advertisement the these respondents are, ordered to appear before this court in person or through Counsel on or before 30/7/2024. This date onward no objection will be entertained and the case will be proceeded with as per law.
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Assistant Collector Grade 1- Cum-Naib Tehsildar, Machhiwara Sahib (Ludhiana)

PUBLIC NOTICES
I, Rakesh Kumar Sacher S/O Sh. Inder Pal resident of New Gugran, Sujanpur, Tehsil & District Pathankot, Punjab solemnly affirm and declare that as per own all documents of my wife, her name is recorded as Ramni Sachar. That I am holding Passport No.R 3484975 Dated 15.09.2017, Valid upto 14.09.2027, at spouse column my wife name is recorded as Raman Scher. Ramni Sacher and Raman Sacher are two names of Single and same person, that person is my wife. That in my passport, my wife name be amended to be read as Ramni Sachar instead of Raman Sacher. Note All.

I hitherto known as MANPREET SINGH S/O BIKKER SINGH Residing at VPO, BHUNDER, VIA R A M N A G A R , T E H . GIDDERBAHA, District SRI MUKTSAR SAHIB, Punjab- 152112, India, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as MANPREET SINGH BRAR. It is certified that I have complied with other legal requirements in this connection

I DAYA BRAHMA legally wedded spouse of no. 14442155A Rank Hav Sane Ram Basumatary Unit 10 FD Regt. C/o 99 APO Mariani Assam resident of Baripara, Banduguri, Kaliagaon, Bijni, Chirang, Bijni, (Assam) Pin- 783390 have changed my Name from DAYA BRAHMA to DAYA BASUMATARY vide affidavit dated 22-07-2024 before Notary Public at Ferozepur

I, KOJUNG HAIDLEY is legally father of No. 15149205A Rank Hav (GNR) Name Jacob Haidley Unit 78/10 FD Regt C/o 99 APO presently residing at Namphainong, Changlang, Namphai, Arunachal Pradesh 792122 have my correct Dob 01-01-1939 and incorrect Dob 01-07-1921 vide affidavit dated 26-07-2024 before Notary Public at Ferozepur

I, LALITA HAIDLEY is legally wife of No. 15149205A Rank Hav (GNR) Name Jacob Haidley Unit 78/10 FD Regt C/o 99 APO presently residing at Namphainong, Miao, Namphainong, Changlang, Namphai, Arunachal Pradesh 792122 have my correct Dob 03-04-1980 and incorrect Dob 02-09-1986 vide affidavit dated 26-07-2024 before Notary Public at Ferozepur

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ਅਸੀਂ ਓਮ ਪ੍ਰਕਾਸ਼ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਹੋਸ਼ ਰਾਜ ਵਾਸੀ ਮ ਨੰ. ਬੋ4/2854 ਗਲੀ ਨੰ. 19,21,22 ਬੜੀ ਪੋਤੀ ਨਵੀਂ ਅਬਾਦੀ ਅਬੋਹਰ ਤਹਿ: ਅਬੋਹਰ (ਵਾਜ਼ਿਲਕਾ) ਹਾਲ ਅਬਾਦ ਲੋਬੀ ਤਹਿ: ਮਲੋਟ (ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਮੁਕਤਸਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ) ਅਤੇ ਅਬੋਹਰ ਕੁਮਾਰ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਹੋਸ਼ ਰਾਜ ਵਾਸੀ ਉਤਮ ਵਿਹਰ ਕਲੋਨੀ ਅਬੋਹਰ ਤਹਿ: ਅਬੋਹਰ (ਵਾਜ਼ਿਲਕਾ) ਬਿਅਮਨ ਕਰਦੇ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਸਾਡਾ ਦੋਹੜਾ ਅਰਮਾਨ ਸੋਤੀਆ ਅਤੇ ਉਸਦੀ ਦਾਦੀ ਸਤੀਬ ਰਾਣੀ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਸਾਡੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਹਰ ਹਨ। ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਖੁਦ ਜ਼ਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ। ਅਸੀਂ ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਆਪਣੇ ਗਿੱਤਾ ਖਤਮ ਕਰਦੇ ਹਾਂ ਤੇ ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਸਾਡਾ ਕੋਈ ਤਾਲੁਕ ਵਾਸਤਾ ਨਹੀਂ ਰਿਹਾ ਹੈ।

I MANEESHA TIWARI W/o HEMANT KUMAR Residing BABA NANAK NAGAR STREET NO 4,BARKANDI ROAD, Distt- Sri Muktsar sahib Punjab-152026, have changed my name as MANISHA TIWARI

I, Anil Kumar Vashisht s/o 14241493f nk Madan Lal r/o Bhambotar (Mukerian), distt. hoshiarpur Punjab have changed my name from Anil Kumar Vashisht to Anil Kumar vide affidavit dt 26/07/2024 before EM hoshiarpur.

I, Harvinder Kaur w/o 15565019f Spr Narinder Kajal r/o Dhoot Kalan, hoshiarpur Punjab have changed my name from Harvinder Kaur to Harwinder Kaur vide affidavit dt 24/06/2024 before EM hoshiarpur.

I, Harvinder Kaur w/o 15565019f Spr Narinder Kajal r/o Dhoot Kalan, hoshiarpur Punjab have changed my minor son's name from Tajender Singh to Tajinder Singh vide affidavit dt 24/06/2024 before EM hoshiarpur.

I, Nikhal Kansal S/o Satish Kansal R/o House Number 89, Jind Road Near Iti Model Town Kaithal, District Kaithal (haryana), Have Changed My Name From Nikhal Kansal To Nikhil Kansal Concerned Please Note.

I, Jasvir Kaur Gill alias Jasvir Kaur W/o Iqbal Singh Gill, R/o Ward No. 13, Ghal Kalan Road, Moga declared that i known by both names. Both names are mine and the same person

I, Pawan Kumari Ram Daduke, wife of Kuldeep Singh, resident of Gill Kothe,SEHNA District Barnala, Punjab, India have changed my name from Pawan Kumari Ram Daduke to Pawan Kumari.

I Anshu Davi spouse of No. 15334756X, Hav Umashankar Vishwakarma of Unit 38 AER, C/O 56 APO presently residing at Vill Dubhai Kala, PO Dubhai Khurd, Teh Mangawan, Distt Rewa, State MP, Pin 486001 have changed my name from Anshu Davi to Anshu Vishwakarma vide affidavit dt. 27.07.24 before Notary Public Bathinda

I No. 15334756X, Hav Umashankar Vishwakarma of Unit 38 AER, C/O 56 APO presently residing at Vill Dubhai Kala, PO Dubhai Khurd, Teh Mangawan, Distt Rewa, State MP, Pin 486001 have changed my daughter name from Shivani V to Shivani Vishwakarma vide affidavit dt. 27.07.24 before Notary Public Bathinda

I No. 15334756X, Hav Umashankar Vishwakarma of Unit 38 AER, C/O 56 APO presently residing at Vill Dubhai Kala, PO Dubhai Khurd, Teh Mangawan, Distt Rewa, State MP, Pin 486001 have changed my daughter name from Reta to Rita Vishwakarma vide affidavit dt. 27.07.24 before Notary Public Bathinda

I, Manavdeep S/o Kailash Ram R/o #17680, Chandsar Basti, Bathinda-151001, Punjab declare that in my Driving Licence my name wrongly mentioned is Muneet S/o Kailash but my correct name is Manavdeep S/o Kailash Ram as per my Aadhaar Card

I, Saruchi Goyal D/o Darshan Kumar W/o Gagandeep Goyal R/o W.No. 7B, House No. 66, Pathshalla Mohalla, Dhuri, Tehsil Dhuri, Pin Code - 148024, District Sangrur, Punjab, I Change My Name From Saruchi To Saruchi Goyal. All Concerned Please Note.

I, Sanwar Mal Saini Father of No. 14840692A, Rank NK/MT Pradeep Kumar Saini R/o Vill- Kayasthpura, Post Bagar Distt Jhunjhunu State Raj Pin 333023 have changed my Date of birth from 01.07.1964 to 01.01.1968 vide Affidavit dated 27/07/2024 before Notary Public Distt. Courts Bathinda.

I, BINDU is spouse Of No. 15621008K Rank Hav. Name ANIL KUMAR AND R/o Pratappur, Garapur, Allahabad, Sahson, Uttar Pradesh-221507 Declare that in the Service Record in of my Husband my Name wrongly entered as BINDU Instead of BINDU DEVI Vide Affidavit Attested Before Notary Public (Govt. of India), kindly correct it.

I DEEPAK KUMAR RANA SON OF Sh. Ram Dass Rana R/O Railway Quarter 45-H WNO 21, RAILWAY Colony No 2 Near Railway Station Pathankot Tehsil & Distt Pathankot Have changed My Name from Deepak KUMAR TO Deepak KUMAR RANA. Pertains to one & same Person.

I, Neeru W/o Vaneet Aneja R/o. 527/4, Gali No.2, Kucha harnam Shah Kala Wasti Ram Amritsar after Marriage changed my name Neeru to Pooja Aneja. All note it

I, DHAIN KOUR mother of AZADVINDER SINGH of 18 PUNJAB presently residing at VILL-BANDRAL, PO & Teh-RAMGARH, Distt-SAMBA (J&K) PIN 181141 have changed my name from DHAIN KOUR to DIYAN KAUR vide Affidavit dated 06 July 2024

I, Muskan Bansal W/o Davinder Kumar R/o Bhadson Teh-Nabha (Patiala) have changed my name to Mamta Rani.

I, Dharminderjeet Singh S/o Kashmir Singh R/o Gali Basti Lal Singh Wali, Village Gatta Badshah, Tehsil Zira, Ferozepur have changed my name from Dharminderjeet Singh to Dharminderjeet as my Given Name and Singh as my Surname.

I Joginder Singh Deo S/o Banta Singh R/o, O/s Bhandari Mohalla Shanti Devi Hospital Batala Gurdaspur have changed my name to Joginder Singh

I Sanjeev Kumar Garg s/o satpal R/o ward no.13, Gur bazar, s.b.o.p state bank of patiala, giddarbaha, Sri muksar sahib,152101 have changed my name Sanjeev Kumar Garg to Sanjeev kumar

I Harjot Kaur d/o Jc 572964N NbSub Dharam singhR/O village Jhallan Patti, Mehlana Tehsil sunam distt sangrur have changed date of birth 27/09/2007from to correct dobis 1/10/2007(Punjab)

I Harnek Singh S/o Amar Singh R/o Rakauli Tehsil Kharar Distt Sas Nagar Mohali (punjab) Pin- 140103 Have Changed My Name From Ramnek Singh To Harnek Singh.

I, Jaswinder S/O Bhajna R/O V.P.O Samrai, Patti Ghanta Ghar, Teh. Phillaur, Distt. Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my minor daughter name from Rajveer to Rajveer Kaur. All note.

I, Amarjit Singh S/o Parkash Chand, Residence of Village Mehtabpur, Post Office Gogon, Tehsil Garhshankar, Distt. Hoshiarpur have changed name of My Minor Daughter From Harman to Harmanpreet Kaur. Concerned Note.

I sarbjeet kaur sekhon w/o Iqbal singh Sekhon village ashgaripur teh. Khanna district ludhiana have changed my name to Sarbjit kaur Sekhon

I, Bhupinder Pal Kaur W/o Guralp Singh R/o Bhourla (Ludhiana) have changed my name to Bhupinder Kaur.

I, Manpreet Kaur D/o Balveer Singh R/o Village Achanak, Distt. Mansa (Punjab) have changed my name to Dr. Manpreet Kaur.

I Devinder Singh S/O Rampal Singh House No 155 Ward No 12 Near Dharmshala Doraha Distt Ludhiana Have Changed My Name To Davinder Singh.

I Charanji Kaur W/O Bahadur Singh R/O Dhandra (Ludhiana) Have Changed My Name To Charanjeet Kaur.

I, Muskan Bansal W/o Davinder Kumar R/o Bhadson Teh-Nabha (Patiala) have changed my name to Mamta Rani.

I, Dharminderjeet Singh S/o Kashmir Singh R/o Gali Basti Lal Singh Wali, Village Gatta Badshah, Tehsil Zira, Ferozepur have changed my name from Dharminderjeet Singh to Dharminderjeet as my Given Name and Singh as my Surname.

I, Baljeet Singh S/o Gurbachan Singh R/o Mehraj Patti Karam Chand Distt Bathinda Have Changed My Name To Baljeet Singh Sidhu.

I, Swarnjeet Kaur Dhillon W/o Baljeet Singh Sidhu R/o Mehraj Patti Karam Chand Distt Bathinda Have Changed My Name To Swaranjit Kaur Sidhu.

I, Tegveer Kaur D/o Baljeet Singh Sidhu R/o Mehraj Patti Karam Chand Distt Bathinda Have Changed My Name To Tegveer Kaur Sidhu.

I, Gurmeet Singh S/o Amarjit Singh R/o Patti Usang Vpo Kokri Kalan Tehsil Moga, Distt Moga, Punjab, India have changed my name to Gurmit Singh.

I, hitherto known as Gurpreet Singh Sidhu S/o Mukand Singh, R/o- Gaziana Road, Khooch Patti, Vpo- Khai, Tehsil- Nihal Singh Wala, District- Moga, Punjab- 142046 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Gurpreet Singh.

I, Jasveer Kaur W/o Gurmej Singh R/o Basti Puran Singh Wali Zira (Ferozepur) have changed my name to Jasvir Kaur.

I, Parminder Gaba S/o Ramesh Gaba R/o Vikas Nagar Nawanshahr have changed my name as Parminder Kumar Gaba.

I, Narinder Kumar S/o Pawan Kumar R/o Vill: Pahlewal Teh-Garhshankar (Hoshiarpur) Pb-144527 have changed my minor daughter's name from Devanshi to Devanshi Rana.

I Sunish Kumar S/o Narinder Kumar R/o B-2/146, Nai Abadi Near Gurdwara Mahilpur Distt Hoshiarpur have changed my nameto Sunish Kumar Prashar.

I, Mohmad Sukin S/o Muntayaj Patti Nangal Kokri Kalan Po. Kokri Kalan (Moga) have changed my name to Mohmad Shokeen.

I Mamta W/o Surinder Kumar R/o V.P.O. Bora, Tehsil Garhshankar Distt.Hoshiarpur (Punjab) have changed my name from Mamta to MamtaRani.

I, Balhar Singh S/o Tarlok Singh R/o Vill.Birmi, Tehsil &Distt. Ludhiana have changed my name to Balihar SinghGrewal.

I Dhampreet D/O Manget Ram Muhlla Masdana Patti Banga Teh-Banga Distt Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nager I have changed my name Dharmpreet to DharmpreetSallhan.

I Narinder Pal S/O Manohar Lal Village Mangat Dhingrian,Teh Banga Distt Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar My Minor Daughter Have Changed Name Manvi To Manvi Mangat.

I Jarnail Ram S/O Gurdial Singh Village Mangat Dhingrian,Teh Banga Distt Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar My Minor Son Have Changed Name Karan To Karan Kumar.

I Jarnail Ram S/O Gurdial Singh Village Mangat Dhingrian,Teh Banga Distt Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar My Minor Daughter Have Changed Name Taniya To Taniya Rani.

I, Balwinder Kaur Dhaliwal Mother of Jaismeen Kaur R/o Saidoke (Moga) have known by both names Balwinder Kaur Dhaliwal and Balwinder Kaur is one and the same person.

I, Sarabjit Singh Dhaliwal Father of Jaismeen Kaur R/o Saidoke (Moga) have known by both names Sarabjit Singh Dhaliwal and Sarabjit Singh is one and the same person.

I Nishan Singh S/o Darshan Singh R/o Village Dubli District Tarn Taran have changed my name from Nishan Singh to Nishan as my Given Name and Singh as my Surname.

I Manjeet Singh Dhindsa S/O Bhagwan Singh Village Chaunda Tehsil Amargarh District Malerkotla Have Changed My Name To Manjeet Singh.

I Kulwinder Singh Sidhu S/O Sukhmander Singh R/O Katar Singh Wala Post Office Gulabgarh Bathinda Have Changed My Name To Kulwinder Singh.

I Arminder Singh Maan S/O Harjinder Singh R/O Gobindpura Bathinda Have Changed My Name To Arminder Singh.

I, Ravinder Singh S/O Ram Murti, R/O- Village Sidham Mutsadi, Tehsil Phillaur, Distt Jalandhar, Punjab (India) Declare That I Have Changed My Daughter Name Gurpreet To Gurpreet Kaur.

I, Gurdeep Singh S/o Balbir Singh R/o Vill: Dholan Majra Po. Morinda (Ropar) Pin- 140101, Punjab, India, i have changed my name to Gurdeep Singh to Singh Gurdeep.

I, Saravjit Kaur W/o Gurnek Singh R/o Vpo. Chak Des Raj Teh-Phillaur (Jalandhar) have changed my name to Sarabjit Kaur.

I Zeenat D/o Sham Lal W/o Davinder Kumar R/o H.no. 197 C, 7, Nizamat Nagar, Basti Nau, Jalandhar- 144002 PB, have changed my name from Zeenat to Alka Sharma , after marriage, both names belongs to one and same person.

I Gurbaj Singh S/O Jasvinder Singh R/O Village Rodh, Distt. Jind Change To Gurbaj As Given Name And Singh As Surname.

I, Amarjeet Kaur W/o Surjit Singh R/o VPO Bhari (Fatehgarh Sahib) also known as Jagjit Kaur, these both names are mine, one & same lady.

I, Amarjeet Kaur W/O Gurjant Singh R/O # 337, Dabwali Road Housefed Colony Bathinda Declare That Amarjeet Kaur And Amarjit Kaur Both Names One And Same Person.

I Parmjeet Kaur W/O Satnam Singh Tehsil Batala Dhandoi Gurdaspur Punjab 143505 Have Changed My Name Parmjeet Kaur To Paramjeet Kaur.

I Kanchanbala Panda D/O Arjun Panda R/O Pandasahi Bhurunga Jaipur Odisha 755017 Have Changed My Name Kanchanbala Panda To Kanchan Panda.

I, Arshpreet Singh Mangra S/o Balvir Singh R/o Vpo. Pohir Teh & Distt. Ludhiana have changed my name is Arshpreet Singh.

I, Sonia W/O Sahil Gulati R/O Vpo Apra, Tehsil Phillaur, Distt. Jalandhar, Punjab (India)-144416, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Sonia Gulati.

I, Preeti W/o Bhupinder Kumar R/o Village Sahibajpur Tehsil Nawanshahr Distt SBS Nagar changed my name to Preeti Kaur.

I Bobby W/o Sanjay R/o Anaj Mandi Ward No. 13 Kalayat, inform the general public that my name is written as Bobby and Boby in all my official and non official documents. I am known by both names according to the documents and in the future I will be known by both names. Both Bobby and Boby are my names.

I,Harish Gakhad S/O Kamal Kishor, R/O #35, Gali Kashmirian Wali, Ferozepur City Have Changed My Name From Harish To Harish Gakhad

I, Ravinder Singh S/o Ram Murti, R/o- Village Sidham Mutsadi, Tehsil Phillaur, Distt Jalandhar, Punjab(india) Declare That I Have Changed My Daughter Name Gurpreet To Gurpreet Kaur. All Concerned Please Note.

I, Nirmal Chand S/o Shangara Ram , R/o- Village Sunner Kalan, Tehsil Phillaur, Distt Jalandhar, Punjab(india) Declare That I Have Changed My Daughter Name Taniya To Taniya Lagah. All Concerned Please Note.

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Plant tree on special occasions of your life: Rohit

RADAUR (NIRMAL SAINI) : A program named 'Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam' was organized in Government High School Mandhar. Through the Eco Club, parents of children, SMC head and members planted fruit-bearing, shady and decorative plants in school premises. Plants were also distributed free of cost to children. School in-charge Rohit Arora presided over function. During this, everyone took a pledge to plant trees. Rohit Arora and teacher Preeti said that plants are basis of life. Human life cannot be imagined without trees. Number of trees is continuously decreasing with cutting trees to fulfill needs due to which problem of global warming is also arising. We have to think seriously about this situation. To save nature, we all have to come forward and plant as many trees as possible. This is possible only when we all make efforts together. He said that one should also take the responsibility of taking care of the plant planted by him, so that this plant can become a tree in future. We must plant trees on special occasions in our lives.

PM mentions Rohtak's handloom industry in 'Mann Ki Baat'

BUREAU
CHANDIGARH, JULY 28

Under the able leadership of Haryana Chief Minister, Sh. Nayab Singh Saini Haryana government has taken several significant steps for women development and empowerment. These efforts aim not only to provide equal opportunities for women in the society but also to make them self-reliant economically, socially, and politically. Initiatives for gender equality, 50 percent reservation in Panchayati Raj institutions, upliftment through Self Help Groups, and steps to improve the sex ratio have marked significant progress in women's empowerment.

Today, women in Haryana are actively advancing society and the state through their outstanding work in a variety of fields as a result of their efforts. Haryana's women are setting new milestones in a variety of fields, including sports, industry, education, and agriculture with their perseverance and hard work.



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Many women are actively contributing by joining self-help groups. They made significant contributions in the handloom industry, sewing, embroidery, and other handicrafts. Prime Minister, Sh. Narendra Modi, said that over 250 women associated with the

this fact on his popular radio program 'Mann Ki Baat.' During the program, he mentioned the handloom industry in Rohtak district of Haryana and particularly praised the women of the 'Unnati Self Help Group,' who have taken steps towards economic self-reliance through their hard work and dedication.

Prime Minister, Sh. Narendra Modi, said that over 250 women associated with the

Unnati Self Help Group are now trained in block printing and dyeing. This training has not only enhanced their skills but has also empowered them economically. These women are supporting their families by creating magic with colours on fabrics and have become a source of inspiration in society. The Prime Minister emphasised how these women have created a new identity with their confidence and hard work and their efforts have proven that if women work unitedly, they can overcome any challenge and become self-reliant.

The Prime Minister stated that the efforts of the Unnati Self Help Group are not only promoting the handloom industry but also making a positive contribution to the local economy. The Prime Minister encouraged women from other districts across the country to join similar groups.

BJP cheated people of the state: Parag Gaba



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL, JULY 28

To reach the public welfare policies of the Congress party to the people, under the Jan Sampark Abhiyan, the newly appointed District President of the National Punjabi Mahasabha and senior Congress leader Parag Gaba reached the cloth market and met the people. He said that every person was happy during the rule of the Congress, but the oppressive policies of the BJP have brought the state to the brink of ruin. In the last ten years, the BJP has made every section unhappy, let alone development. He said that whether it is about employees or traders, farmers, laborers, today every person in the state is unhappy with the BJP government. Today employees are forced to go on strike for their rights.

The government suppresses the voice of those who demand their rights by using lathi on them. Parag Gaba said that today the Congress is demanding an account of the last ten years from the BJP. In these ten years, BJP has done nothing and only made poor people stand in queues. He said that the coming time belongs to Congress.

Congress is going to form the government in the upcoming assembly elections. As soon as Congress forms the government, every section will be taken care of. As part of his Jan Sampark Abhiyan, Parag Gaba presented the resolution letter of Haryana Congress among the people. In which old age pension of 6000 rupees, 300 units of free electricity, LPG cylinder for 500 rupees, timely recruitment of qualified Haryanvi youths on 2 lakh vacant government posts, free plot of 100 yards and 2 room house at the cost of 3.5 lakhs to poor families, MSP and guarantee of highest price to farmers etc. resolutions will be fulfilled when the Congress government is formed.

On this occasion, he also invited people for the Punjabi Maha Sammelan to be held on August 18. He said that this Maha Sammelan will be organised in Anmol Garden. Former Chief Minister Bhupendra Singh Hooda and State President Chaudhary will be present in this conference. Udaybhan, National President of Rashtriya Punjabi Mahasabha Ashok Mehta and State President Ashok Arora will participate. Representatives of the Punjabi community from across the state will also participate in this conference.

Parents- teacher meeting held

RAHUL KOHLI
JAGADHRI, JULY 28

Parents- Teacher Meeting was held at DAV Public School, Professor Colony Yamunanagar, in which parents were not only informed about the academic achievements of the students, but also the projects made by the children during summer vacations. Subject enrichment of subjects (Hindi, English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Punjabi, Sanskrit, Computer etc.) and art and craft works were also displayed. All the parents greatly appreciated the hard work and talent of the children. Fun activities were also conducted by some Chemistry students which were not only interesting but also informative for the visitors. Biology students also checked the blood pressure of the parents.

Students of Atal Tinkering Lab displayed projects made in robotics like zebra



crossing, automatic car parking, e-goggles, fog machine, waterfall machine etc. impressed the parents with their abilities. School Principal Shri V.K. Kashiv not only praised the efforts of the students but also felt proud of them for being all-rounders.

He said that there are few such occasions when students get a chance to do something different from their daily routine. The students and teachers certainly deserve a big appreciation for their dedication and commendable efforts.

Secure your future by planting trees: Hardeep Rana

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

KARNAL: Manavta Janshakti Foundation gave the message of Plant trees, saving the environment to keep the earth green and to make people aware about plantation. Foundation founder Hardeep Rana is continuously giving the message to plant trees, save the environment and is also making people aware about environmental conservation. He said that plants are an integral part of our life. We should also take care of them by planting trees. All the members associated with the foundation are also supporting him in this campaign. He said that if there is no greenery on the earth, then the earth will become barren and life on earth will become difficult. The importance of planting trees also increases in this monsoon season because the plants planted in these days grow quickly. He appealed especially to the youth and people and said that we should plant more trees.



He said that the simplest way to protect the environment for yourself and your future is tree plantation so that the environment can be kept safe in the future as well. For this, people also have the responsibility to plant trees and protect them. So that a big tree can be grown in the future and thousands of people can benefit. Plantation was also done in Mahila Thana Karnal by the Manavta Jan Shakti Foundation Team. On this occasion, founder Hardeep Rana, General Secretary Anuradha Kamboj, Ramesh Sharma, Sujita Mann, Seema Paswan, Poonam Sandhu, Ajay, Seema Dhul, Lalita, Dhanpati, Sushma and many others were present.

Heaps of garbage in govt college ground

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

KARNAL: The ground (branch ground) of Government College for girls situated on Railway Road in Subhash Colony is filled with heaps of garbage due to which the residents of the colony are very upset. This has created an environment of flies, mosquitoes and foul smell and there is a constant danger of spread of disease. The college management has been getting the hall constructed in this ground for the last four months. The contractor who is constructing the hall has also built the labour quarters here, a large number of labourers are living here. All the garbage is being dumped by the labourers along the wall right near the basketball ground. Subhash Colony is on the other side of the wall. Neither the college management nor the contractor has got this garbage removed even once from the beginning till now. The garbage has accumulated for so long that even grass has grown on it. This garbage is spread along the entire wall. The situation is such that now it has become wet in the rain and has started stinking, insects have started infesting it.



Similarly, there are heaps of garbage near the badminton court. Badminton players have stopped playing here. Even after the tank is filled by the labour running the motor for water supply, the water keeps overflowing which gets collected in the heap of garbage below. This has made the situation even worse. Colony residents Yogesh Kumar Sardana, P S Pannu, Ishwar Mitra Anya, Indira Colony Mahila Shakti Manch chief Shalu Arora, S C Dhawan, Devendra Arora, Sushil Kumar Malik, Master Hukum Singh Rana said that they have complained to the college principal many times. But the garbage has not been lifted yet.

MLA Renu Bala engages with villagers in Sadhaura Constituency

PREETI SAINI

SADHAURA: Sadhaura MLA Renu Bala conducted a series of public meetings in various villages of the Mustafabad and Bilaspur blocks on Sunday. During her outreach program, she visited Bhagwanpur, Mali Majra, Namdarpur, Mustafabad, Dasmesh Colony Mustafabad, Hangauli, Kanhari Kalan, and Mohri, among others. The villagers warmly welcomed the MLA.

Addressing the gathered villagers, Renu Bala criticized the BJP government, stating that it has entangled people in problems and every section of society is suffering under its rule. She remarked that Haryana is leading in unemployment and youths are frustrated. She appealed to the people to support the Congress party for resolving their issues. Renu Bala promised that the Congress government would focus on providing jobs and employment opportunities for the youth, waiving farmers' loans, and removing GST on agricultural equipment. She assured that health facilities worth 25 lakh rupees would be provided through the Ayushman Card, unnecessary portals would be abolished, and each family would receive 300 units of free electricity. Additionally, colonies would be built for BPL families.



Accompanying her were Amarpal Singh, Sargant Singh (former Congress president), Rajesh Gandapura, Randeep Rana (Sarpanch Kanhari Kalan), Praveen Rana (Khanpur), Rajdeep Rana (Syalba), Purn Singh (Kathwala), Vikram (Sarpanch Akalgarh), Major Ranjit Singh, Ashok Mustafabad, Mukesh Pal, Ramkaran (Block Committee member Mustafabad), Sarpanch Sukhraj, Rajbir, Ramchandra, Mayaram, Suresh Kumar (contractor), Harpal Singh (Numberdar), Pritpal Singh, Sarain Singh etc.

Medicinal tree plantation programme held



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

KARNAL: Under the Ek Paudha Maa Ke Naam programme by Manav Care Sansthan Karnal, and the Ped Lagao Dhara Bachao Abhiyan, neem, jamun as well as shady and medicinal plants were planted in the Milkha Singh Stadium on Hansi Road. President of the organisation, Sanjay Gupta, said that plants are our breath guards, if they are there then we are there, so now the only option to save life is trees. Talking about the environment, Jai Bhagwan Verma told the importance of plants in human life and said that everyone should plant trees and take care of them. Deepak Sharma, who was present on this occasion, appreciated the work being done by the organization and said that plants are the basis of our life, we should plant trees and help them grow by taking care of them. Till now, the organization has planted thousands of trees. On this occasion, Mukesh Garg, Rakesh Garg, Trisha Garg, Rajkumar, Girish Kumar, Lovely Arora, Harsh Arora, Kuldeep Jangra, Rajesh Kaushik, Rajesh Khurana played the main role.

Thathiyar community of Jagadhri supports Congress



RAJNI SONI

YAMUNANAGAR: The Thathiyar community of Jagadhri city supported Congress leader Adarsh Pal Singh at his residence under the leadership of Gurmeet Singh Koch and dozens of Thathiyar community members were inducted into the Congress party by Adarsh Pal Singh. Adarsh Pal Singh said that the Congress party will always be ready to protect the interests of the Thathiyar community. When the Congress party forms the government, the metal industry will be re-established by getting a special package. He said that the metal industry and plywood industry in Jagadhri have almost migrated and many metal and plywood factories have been closed. Due to this, unemployment is increasing in Jagadhri city and nearby villages. Due to unemployment, the youth is turning to drug addiction, due to which theft, robbery and other types of crimes are flourishing in the city. To stop all this, employment opportunities will have to be created, for which the metal industry and plywood industry will have to be re-established. He said that it is an appeal that you have a chance to oust this anti-youth BJP government from this state in the upcoming assembly elections. You will safeguard the interests of your children by forming a Congress government in Haryana once again. On this occasion, Dimple Singh, former councilor, Gurmeet Singh Koch, Lakhwinder Singh, Manmohan Singh, general secretary, Lovely Singh and other colleagues were present.

Consumer responsibility crucial in preventing cyber attacks: DC Prashant Panwar

RANVIR PARASHAR

KAITHAL: DC Prashant Panwar emphasized that the prevention of cyber attacks and cyber crimes is not only the government's responsibility but also significantly rests on consumers. He stressed that consumer vigilance and alertness play a critical role in thwarting such attacks.

To avoid cyber attacks, consumers should not share sensitive information like email IDs, passwords, or credit card details on forums or websites. They should create strong passwords and verify the legitimacy of websites before clicking any links.

DC Panwar advised keeping systems updated and installing reliable software to ensure security. He warned against opening spam messages and using open Wi-Fi networks, recommending the use of a virtual private network (VPN) instead. By connecting to a secure network and maintaining vigilance, consumers can protect themselves from falling victim to cyber attacks or crimes. The police department has launched a helpline number, 1930, to address cy-



ber crimes.

He explained that attackers often target vulnerable systems using malicious code. Cyber security attacks can take various forms, including malware, phishing attacks, denial-of-service (DoS), and man-in-the-middle attacks. These attacks aim to hack systems, demand money in cryptocurrency, or sell data on the dark web. Such attacks can hijack sensitive and important information available on websites without the knowledge of the site or users.

Understanding Cyber Security

DC Prashant Panwar defined cyber security as a form of internet security that protects against malware, black hat hackers, and other types of cyber attacks.

35th death anniversary of philanthropist Mehr Chand Mehndiratta to be observed as "Charity Day"

DALBIR MALIK

KURUKSHETRA: The 35th death anniversary of prominent philanthropist Mehr Chand Mehndiratta from Kurukshetra will be commemorated as "Charity Day." The events will begin at 10 AM on August 2 at the Mehr Chand Mehndiratta Charitable Dispensary and Library in Kirti Nagar.

The 19th blood donation camp will be held in collaboration with the Loknayak Jayaprakash Hospital team on this auspicious occasion. Additionally, various charitable activities will be undertaken to mark the day. During the observance, educational materials, water bottles, and tiffins will be distributed to students of the Kirti Nagar government school. A free health camp, organized by Dr. Pawan Bansal and his team from B.S. Heart Care Multi-Specialty Hospital Kurukshetra, will offer essential medical check-ups. Dr. Surbhi Tiwari will provide gynecological services, and Dr. Gaurav Kumar will offer orthopedic consultations. The camp will include free heart check-ups, ECGs, blood tests, sugar tests, and cholesterol tests, along with free medication distribution.

Various social and religious organizations in the city have been invited to participate in the event. The day will be jointly organized by Bliss, Aashirwad, Samarpan, private schools, and other religious and social institutions. Attendees will receive blessings from saints, including Mahamandaleswar Geeta Manishi Swami Gyananand Maharaj and Swami Suresh Puri Ji, who will also encourage the blood donors. Pankaj Arora, President of the Mehr Chand Mehndiratta Charitable Dispensary and Library, noted that media personalities and prominent social and religious figures would attend to pay their respects. He shared that the Mehr Chand Mehndiratta Charitable Dispensary and Library were established on August 3, 2012, by the Mehndiratta family in one of the most underprivileged areas of Kurukshetra.



Jai Bhagwan expresses condolence to family of woman killed by cow

DALBIR MALIK
KURUKSHETRA, JULY 28

A grand programme was organised at the Shiv Mandir in Sector 2 under the Jan Jagran Abhiyan Pranam Thanesar Nirman Thanesar being run by senior BJP leader Jai Bhagwan Sharma. Hundreds of people from Sector 2 participated organized by social worker Jasmeet Arora, Jaspreet Arora Sardar Guru Charan Singh, and Raman-deep Singh Arora. Jai Bhagwan Sharma DD and his son former District President Bharatiya Janata Yuva Morcha Kurukshetra Rubal Sharma, who are running a public relations campaign for Mission 2024 elections under the

Jan Ashirwad Yatra, were given a grand welcome, DD Sharma was felicitated by wearing a turban.

While addressing the attendees in the Jan Jagran Sabha, Jai Bhagwan Sharma also directly communicated with the residents of Sector 2 and also listened to their problems. Not only this, Jai Bhagwan Sharma DD was seen very emotional and sad when an old lady was attacked and killed by a cow in Patel Nagar, Kurukshetra. On which he kept a two minute silence and prayed for the peace of the departed soul. After this, DD Sharma fiercely targeted the present MLA



during his speech! In his address, DD Sharma said that in the name of cow, land worth lakhs and crores was given for cow shelter, but even today the cattle are wandering on the roads, due to which people are becoming victims of accidents every day. Not only this, DD Sharma also made sharp attacks on the present MLA regarding the

conditions prevailing in the sector.

On this occasion, Jasmeet Arora, Jaspreet, Gurcharan Singh R a m a n d e e p, Sardar Lakhwinder Grewal, Mainpal Sharma, Pushendra Sharma, Barkha Ram Saini, Karamveer Sarpanch Sanheri, Rajpal, Baljeet, Panch Sunhari Khalsa, Pawan Sharma Barna, Sanjeev Kashyap former Sarpanch Amargarh Manjha-da, Ashok Mittal, Sunil Sharma, Mukesh Sharma, Karnail Gurjar from Gurjar Danveer Samaj, Mahant Gokul Nand Maharaj, famous bullion trader Vidhu Goyal etc.

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL, JULY 26

Under the 'Haryana Mange Hisaab' campaign, the Congress party, while cornering the BJP government on its misrule and failures of 10 years, exposed the BJP government's exploits by going from door to door in Ram Nagar with a 'charge sheet' of questions related to 15 issues against the BJP government. Sumita Singh, former MLA, Karnal is continuously working to spread the policies of the Congress party among the people. On reaching Ram Nagar, people welcomed her and promised to support her in the upcoming assembly elections. She explained the policies of the Congress party

ty and got to know the problems of the people and collected suggestions. People told that they are very troubled by unemployment and inflation. On this occasion, she said that the budget presented has only brought disappointment among the youth. There is no mention of inflation, unemployment and increasing the income of farmers in this budget.

To provide relief from inflation, when the Congress government comes, 300 units of free electricity and LPG cylinder for 500 will be provided. Yellow ration cards of every poor will be made. Haryana will be made drug-free and crime-free again. She said that the gov-



ernment portal and ID portal, which have become the father of corruption and a headache for the people, are leaving no stone unturned in making the people unhappy in the name of the portal and family identity card. She

said that in 10 years, Haryana has been made number one in crime and unemployment. In 2014, every person's investment income and law Haryana was called number one in system and employment. She said that rising inflation under BJP's misrule has robbed the common man's pocket; due to the skyrocketing prices of vegetables, one has to struggle for two meals a day. He said that every section of the state is unhappy with the misgovernance and wrong policies of the BJP government and is remembering the Congress era.

"Akhill Dhawan achieves 77.25 pc marks in BCom (H) LLB from PU



CHANDIGARH: Mr Akhill Dhawan has secured 77.25 percent marks in BCom (H) LLB from UILS Panjab University Chandigarh , His father Mr Sameer Dhawan is working as Chief Business Manager in National Insurance and Mrs Puja Dhawan Dy Manager , his mother also got 2nd position in MA Public Administration from Panjab University Chandigarh in 1996, she had received the award n degree from then Chief Election Commissioner of India Dr M.S.Gill.

Woman, two persons arrested along with one kilogram of opium



KULJIT SINGH DHINGRA RAMPURA PHUL: District Police Chief Deepak Pareek has launched a campaign against drug and mischief elements in the district. Under the same series under the supervision of Deputy Captain of Police Prithpal Singh under the leadership of Chief Jagdeep Singh of Rampura Police Station City along with Sub Inspector Navyugdeep Singh during the police party patrol near Dana Mandi Mehraj Gurjit Kaur wife Gurjant Singh resident of Mehraj, Sattu Malviya son Kanwar Lal Malviya and Kuldeep Malviya son of Ram Pal Malviya resident of Pipila Hari district Neemuch Madhya Pradesh arrested and recovered one kg of opium from them.

Ludhiana rural police tightens noose on bad elements

SUKH NAHAR JAGRAON : Under district Ludhiana rural's anti drug campaign, the police officials have been making remarkable efforts in order to curb drug tracking in the area besides maintaining law and order. DSP Jasjyot Singh and SHO Amritpal Singh have emerged as two exemplary officers as they are credited for tightening noose of bad elements

in Jagraon. Both the officials have been working day and night in order to maintain discipline in the city. Police teams led by these officers have been dealing with drug abuse, traffic issues, robberies, creating awareness among civilians and every other matter affecting law and order of the city all at the same time and the changes bought in the working of police department are clearly visible in the city. It is due to hard work police team led by DSP Jasjyot and SHO Amritpal Singh that people have been more aware about traffic rules, their importance and consequences for not obeying the rules. DSP Jasjyot Singh talking about the campaign of police said that people should come forward and inform police about any suspicious activity they notice.

CJM saplings trees in Court complex



SHWETA SHARMA SUJANPUR: Chief Judicial Magistrate (CJM) Rupinder Singh, who is also the Secretary of the District Legal Services Authority, Pathankot, planted trees in the court complex at Malikpur. On this occasion, various types of trees were planted by the judge. CJM Rupinder Singh stated that given the current environmental pollution and the decreasing groundwater levels, it is the duty of every individual to plant at least one tree during the rainy season and take care of it to save the environment.

Govt Primary Smart School Bhundar fully AC now



KULJIT SINGH DHINGRA RAMPURA PHUL: Government Primary Smart School Bhundar is not an unknown place where this school has produced many achievements before. Where this school has the honor of being the first smart school of the district, by continuing this series, this school has now become a fully AC smart school. Madam Harjinder Kaur has a great role in making this school a fully air-conditioned smart school. With the help of her husband Nirbhay Singh, two ACs have been donated. On this occasion SMC The chairman said that they have helped the school a lot from time to time.

Punjab CM slams Union govt for 'Deliberate' Delay in releasing Rs1000 crore for Healthcare

GAURAV GOEL CHANDIGARH, JULY 28

Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann on Sunday alleged that the Union government has stalled Rs 1000 crore of the state under the National Health Mission to deprive the Punjabis from the access of quality health services.

Interacting with the media persons after flagging off 58 hi-tech ambulances for the state, the Chief Minister said that the state government is committed to impart quality health services to the state but the Union government is continuously hatching conspiracies to deny these to Punjabis. He said that the Union government has stalled the grant of worth Rs 1000 crore under the National Health Mission just to torpedo pro-people initiatives being taken by the state. Bhagwant Singh Mann said that this is a condemnable move as the non BJP governments are being harassed by the Union government on one pretext or another. The Chief Minister said that Aam Aadmi clinics have revolutionized the health care



sector in the state. He said that 1.75 crore people have taken the benefits of these clinics in the state and more than 95% of patients visiting these clinics daily recover from their ailments. Bhagwant Singh Mann said that ever since the starting of these clinics have witnessed a huge footfall indicating that every third person of the state has taken benefit from these clinics.

The Chief Minister said that today 58 new hi-tech ambulances have been dedicated to the people of the state thereby ensuring that they are available to people in hour of distress. He said that with this

addition in the fleet of ambulances a total number of 325 ambulances have been pressed into the service of people across the state to ensure that they get health services in time.

Bhagwant Singh Mann asserted that these Ultra Modern Ambulances have been mandated to reach the needy patients within 15 minutes in Urban Areas and 20 minutes in Rural Areas.

The Chief Minister be-moaned that it is strange that despite of immense contribution in the freedom struggle, making the country self-reliant in food production and safeguarding the unity, in-

tegrity and sovereignty of the country, Punjab has been completely ignored in the Union budget.

He said that this step motherly treatment with the state is unwarranted and reflects the myopic mindset of the Union government towards the state. Bhagwant Singh Mann further said that this high handedness of the Union government will not be tolerated and Punjabis will give a befitting reply to it.

The Chief Minister also reiterated his demand for a special economic package for the state in recognition of the immense contribution made by Punjabis in every field.

Tej festival celebrated by Friendly Musical Group



AMRITSAR (AMRIK SINGH): Sawan ki Tej festival was celebrated in the cultural program organized by Friendly Musical Group's patron Raju, director Asha and president Sanjay Maheshwari. On this occasion, Principal Sandeep Sarin and Prince Mahajan attended as chief guests.

They appealed to the people to celebrate their traditional customs with great pomp on the occasion of Tej festival and asked them to promote culture. On this occasion, many artists of Friendly Musical Group mesmerized the people by singing songs.

Jalandhar Commissionerate police gives major blow to international drug racket

JS SODHI JALANDHAR, JULY 28

Giving a major blow to the international narcotic network, the Jalandhar Commissionerate Police led by Commissioner of Police Mr. Swapan Sharma has arrested eight persons from multiple locations with a huge seizure of drugs, arms and ammunition.

Divulging the details, the Commissioner of Police said that based on a tip off the Commissionerate Police arrested Jagrup Singh son of Tarlok Singh, resident of village Jama Rai, district Tarn Taran, and Bhavjot Singh, son of Swaran Singh, resident of village Dhogri, district Jalandhar, who were engaged in the business of selling illegal arms, with a car number PB 63-D-6500 near Account Office, Railway Colony, Jalandhar.

He said that 100 grams of heroin were also seized from them adding that during investigation Jagroop Singh confessed that accused Ravinder Singh s/o Baldev Singh resident of House No. 1510 Street No. 1 Kartar Nagar Cheharta District Amritsar and Anil Gupta alias Kali son of Late Dharamvir Gupta resident of Gangsar Bazar Kar-



tarpur Jalandhar were also involved in this racket after which they were arrested. Mr. Swapan Sharma said that during investigation Ravinder Singh revealed his links with Bikramjit Singh son of Massa Singh resident of village Gumanpur Amritsar.

The Commissioner of Police said that subsequently raid was conducted and Bikram was arrested and 100460 Narcotic tablets and 4320 narcotic capsules were recovered from him.

He said that during investigation Bikram's link with Tarsem Singh alias Tota son of Nirmal Singh resident of

village Wadali Amritsar and Sumit Chole alias Babul alias Raghav, son of Suresh Chole, resident of House No. 102, Sector 6, Jain Mandir Police Outpost, Sikandra Police Station, Jagdishpura District, Agra, U.P. came into light after which they were also arrested. Likewise, Mr. Swapan Sharma said that as per confession made by accused Ravinder Singh and Bikramjit Singh, Pratap Singh son of Waryam Singh, resident of Achint Kot Post Office, Hoshiar Nagar Police Station, Garinda District, Amritsar, was arrested and 6400 more narcotic pills were seized case.

Kashmir Singh hails Punjab police

VERMA GURDASPUR, JULY 27

Today Kashmir Singh, Pradhan Goldsmith Association India said "I have received information that the people who had gone to the goldsmith's shop in Gobindpur and fired and threatened him and demanded ransom money, the police did a very commendable job by chasing the person who carried out this incident, shooting at him and injuring him and arresting him.

While the police administration deserves congratulations for overcoming this incident, I also appeal to the senior officials of the police administration that the way SSP Sahib Batala has chased and collected his complete biadata and arrested him. Similarly, six-seven incidents have happened in Batala so far. In which these gangsters are demanding ransom from people



on the basis of their access to very high people by claiming themselves to be of very high level. If strict action is taken against them, their courage can be broken.

These people are trying to spread a new kind of terrorism in our Punjab, the consequences of which can be very serious."

He said that till now these incidents have been happening in every city in the entire Punjab like Amritsar, Jalandhar, Ludhiana, Patiala and if any person is sitting far away, then taking advantage of the opportunity, they call them and go and collect money



from them. He said that those who give them money should also not be trusted because they create problems for other people. Because giving money to these people increases their enthusiasm even more, they start making other people their victims too.

I request DGP Punjab, Chief Minister Punjab and SSP and DC Sahib of every district that strict protection should be given to the people and strict action should be taken against those who carry out these crimes so that this new kind of gangster and people cannot spread their terrorism.

Defence committees in villages to help in curbing drug peddling: DIG



SUKH NAHAR JAGRAON, JULY 28

A crucial meeting of defence committees of district Ludhiana rural was conducted today at PS Jodhan. DIG Dhanpreet Kaur, IPS participated as chief guest in the meeting conducted in the presence of district Ludhiana rural police SSP Navet Singh Bains and several other officers. In this campaign, police has formed defence committees in several villages consisting of prominent people of the villages that shall inform police about suspicious activities going on in the villages. In her address, DIG

Dhanpreet Kaur assured the committee members to help the police department without any fear or pressure and police is there to protect them all the time. "Defence committees have been bearing positive results all across the area and have been helping police department work more efficiently," she added. The committee members expressed their opinions and suggestions before DIG and promised that they shall help the police department as much as possible. At this occasion, DSP Sandeep Vadera, inspector Heera Singh, Captain Naresh Verma.

PSPCL sub-division, Bahadur plants saplings under Green Wave



BALWINDER AZAD BARNALA RURAL, JULY 28

PSPCL Sub Division Bhadur planted saplings of fruit, shady trees and flower plants under the green wave campaign. On this occasion, SD of Sub Division Bhadur was present. Mr Lakhvir Singh informed that as per the instructions of senior officials, more plants would be planted than the target fixed by him. He said that the continuously deteriorating environment was proving to be extremely dangerous for humans, animals and plants. To save the environment, it was

necessary that every person planted at least five trees and took care of them.

On this occasion, Engineer Takramjit Singh JE, Engineer Navdeep Singh JE , Engineer Navjot Singh JE , Engineer. Rajveer Singh JE, Suraj Singh , Ranjit Singh , Gurvinder Singh, Gaurav Kumar, Jasvir Singh, Daljit Singh, Jatinder Kumar , Sandeep Bawa , Sukhdev Singh , Gurvinder Singh, Manjit Singh, Kuldeep Singh , Gurmel Singh , Rajwinder Singh , Gurpreet Singh, Jassa, Satnam Singh , Jagmohan Singh , Jagtar Singh were present.

Sandhavan plants saplings in Nirog Bal Ashram under the "Main Te Mera Rukh" campaign



SURINDER DAMDAMI KOTKAPURA, JULY 28

Speaker Punjab Vidhan Sabha Kular Singh Sandhawan gave a message to save the environment by planting saplings under the "Main Te Mera Rukh" campaign at Nirol Bagh Ashram Kotkapura and said that these saplings will grow and take the form of trees where they will provide dense shade and also meet the lack of oxygen. He said that due to the increasing number of industries, factories, and vehicles,

the temperature on earth is up to 48 degrees reaches. Expressing fear, he said that in the coming few years, the mercury may reach 50 to 52 degrees, which may prove fatal to the inhabitants of the earth, as well as to the lifeless creatures and birds. He emphasized planting trees as the only way to curb rising temperatures and revealed that every human being should consider their duty towards the environment and plant more trees so that the surroundings can be taken care of.

Municipal corporation officials are fully responsible for diarrhoea outbreak in city: Rana Gurjeet

ASHISHPURI KAPURTHALA, JULY 28

MLA Kapurthala Rana Gurjit Singh on Sunday visited the city areas infected due to diarrhoea outbreak in Kapurthala city. He also met the families affected due to the outbreak and consoled the family who lost a four year old child to diarrhoea.

In the presence of local bodies minister Balkar Singh at civil hospital he blamed laxity and sheer negligence of the local Municipal Corporation for not taking timely steps to control the outbreak. "The sewage system in some parts of the city is choked and during monsoons the problem gets bad to worse and has led to the outbreak of the disease. I am told that the polluted water from the sewage system is getting mixed with the drinking water system," he said. The



MLA informed that the corporation has received a sum of Rs. 14.60 crore for development under different heads but the funds remained unused. "I have asked for purchase of super suction machines for cleaning the sewage system, but the corporation has not paid a heed towards it due to which the people of the city are suffering. Had the corporation taken timely steps things would not have been this worse," he said. Diarrhoea cases have been reported from Mehndi Chowk, Mehtabgarh, Bakarkhana Chowk and Sundarnagar ar-

eas where out of fear of the outbreak spreading to other parts the district administration has stopped water supply through underground pipes. The health department has sent the water samples for chemical testing. "I have taken up the matter with the commissioner of the Municipal Corporation a number of times but things have not changed. The state Government should make a system to hold local bodies accountable in such matters. In my opinion a system be put in place that elected representative in the local civic governments.

Rotary Club, Morinda organizes its 40th blood donation camp



RADHE SHYAM SHARMA MORINDA, JULY 28

Rotary Club, Morinda organized the 40th blood donation camp at Baba Zorawar Singh Baba Fateh Singh Khalsa Girls College Morinda on Sunday. In the camp 85 donors donated blood. President Raj Kumar Tulani and Secretary Dinesh Jindal said that this camp was inaugurated by DSP Gurdeep Singh Sandhu.. While praising the

efforts of Rotary Club, he said that blood donation was a great donation. A drop of blood proved beneficial in saving the life of a needy person. He urged people, especially the youth, to serve humanity by donating blood as much as possible and he appealed all to do so. In this blood donation camp, Dr. Vishwajeet's team of Government Hospital Sector 32 Chandigarh collected blood from 85 donors.

Van Mahautsav celebrated at Dera Swami Jagat Giri Ashram

BUREAU PATHANKOT, JULY 28

Van Mahautsav was celebrated today at Satguru Ravidas Dera Swami Jagat Giri Ashram Chakki Pul Pathankot under the leadership of Sri Guru Ravidas Sabha District Pathankot with the blessings of Satguru Ravidas Maharaj Ji. Swami Gurdeep Giri Maharaj ji started the Van Mahautsav auspiciously by planting saplings with his own hands.

Dera Trust General Secretary Dr. Seema Attri, Dr. ML Attri, Engineer RD Attri, President Rani Devi, President Dalbir Sarangal, President Mangal Singh specially arrived and all of them also planted saplings. On this occasion, all the members of Mata Kalsa Women's Organization, Sri Guru Ravidas Sabha Rural and Sri Guru Ravi-



das Welfare Youth Organization participated. President Kewal Krishan said that on this auspicious occasion today, Swami Gurdeep Giri Maharaj ji said that plants provide us with oxygen to keep the environment clean, so we all should plant at least one plant so that the natural Maintain the balance of the environment.

He said that after planting saplings, it is also important to take care of them. Guru ji appreciated the work of all

the members of the assembly that this entire team is also taking care of the saplings planted in the camp. General Secretary Prem Singh and Secretary Subhash Kala thanked Gurujji and all the guests. On this occasion Cashier Des Raj Bagga, Gagandeep, Hira Lal, Rakesh Kumar, Raj Kumar, Ravi Kant, Varun Kumar, Vicky Kumar, Subhash Chander, Rajinder Kaka, Darshan Bagga, Jagdish Raj, Gulab Singh etc were present.

Space Tourism from India to be reality but no fixed time line yet: Minister to MP Arora

LUDHIANA (SHARMA): Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has carried out few technical feasibility studies for a sub-orbital space tourism mission. Results of these studies include basic configuration of space module for safe tourism and a liquid propellant stage booster for launching the module.

This has been mentioned in his reply by Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions and in the Prime Minister's Office Dr Jitendra Singh. He was answering to questions on feasibility study for space tourism asked by MP (Rajya Sabha) from Ludhiana Sanjeev Arora in budget session of the Rajya Sabha. The Minister further answered that in view of the commercial potential of Space Tourism, Department of Space envisages its commercial exploitation through NewSpace India Limited (NSIL).

Arora had asked about the status of accomplishment of Gaganyaan mission; the results of the feasibility studies for a sub-orbital space tourism mission; and the expected timeline for the same. Giving this information here today, Arora said the Minister further mentioned in his reply that the major accomplishment of Gaganyaan Programme is that ground testing of propulsion stages, including solid, liquid and cryogenic engine, towards human rating of the launch vehicle has been completed.



Tributes paid to Kargil martyrs on occasion of 25th Vijay Diwas at DAV School Mansa



KULWINDER KARWAL SARDULGARH, JULY 28

On the occasion of 25th anniversary of Operation Vijay (Kargil War), a tribute and felicitation ceremony was organized at the local SDKL DAV Public School, Mansa in collaboration with Ex-Servicemen Union, District Mansa. In which ADC Mr Nirmal Ussepachan specially participated. A large number of serving and former military officers participated in the school on this occasion and paid tribute to the great martyrs of Kargil.

In his address, ADC Mr Nirmal Ussepachan said that we are always grateful to the soldiers who protect the country, and we bow before their martyrdom. He further said that it is because of these soldiers that we countrymen are living life in a independent country. Paying tribute to the martyrs of the Kargil war on this occasion, Principal Mr Vinod Rana said that although many years have passed since this war, the respect for the martyrs of this war and the memories of their martyrdom are still fresh in our hearts.

Female teacher killed in collision between bus and scooty
SANJAY AGGARWAL DHARAMSHALA, JULY 28
SANTOSH: Scooter driver Neerja (45), injured in a collision between a bus and a scooty on Jasoor Marg, died in the hospital late evening. According to the information received, Neerja was going to her maternal home Raja Ka Talab on her scooty on Saturday evening when a bus coming towards Jawali hit the scooty near Harola gate. The woman got injured in the collision. The injured woman was brought to a nearby private hospital and from there the family took her to a private hospital in Pathankot but the woman died late at night. Neerja was working as a TGT in a government school in Chamba district. Jawali police has registered a case against the bus driver and sent the body for postmortem while further action is being taken. SP Nurpur Ashok Ratan said that the police has registered a case against the bus driver and sent the body for postmortem while further action is being taken.

Upliftment of weaker sections being accorded special priority: CM
DINESH AGARWAL SHIMLA: The State Government is committed to the welfare and upliftment of the weaker sections to create a just and equitable society where everyone has access to opportunities and resources. The present State Government has launched various schemes to benefit these sections so that they could lead a dignified life. The Chief Minister in a statement issued today said that the State Government is offering a grant of Rs. 1.50 lakh to SC, ST and OBC persons for the construction of houses under Swaran Jyanti Ashray Yojna whose income is less than Rs. 50,000 per annum. He said that Rs. 17.25 crore were spent under this scheme during the last financial year benefitting 1150 houseless persons. Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu said that State Government is also offering handholding scheme to make the weaker sections of the society to become self sufficient by imparting them training in professional courses and offering financial assistance for purchase of necessary equipments to start their ventures. He said that State Government is giving free of cost computer training to children of these weaker sections. The post graduate diploma and diploma training in Computer Application is being imparted in 97 centres across the State being run by NIELIT and C-DAC. He said that Rs. 1000 per month stipend is being given during training and Rs. 1500 during 6 months proficiency training in government offices and benefited 3637 persons during last financial year. He said that the State Government is also providing upto Rs. 1300 for purchase of tools and equipments and upto Rs. 1800 for sewing machines to trained persons of SC/ST and OBC community whose annual income is below Rs. 50,000 per annum. The Chief Minister said that the state government is funding education, health, social, economic, skill development, drinking water sports, sanitation and solar energy sector for the minority people. He said that a common centre at Kaza is being constructed with an outlay of Rs. 12.77 crore. He said that 11 projects worth Rs. 25.45 crore have been approved by the Government for the benefit of minorities.

E-taxi scheme implemented to provide self-employment to youth in the state: Mukesh Agnihotri
SANJAY AGGARWAL DHARAMSHALA, JULY 28
Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri has said that the present government is determined to provide self-employment opportunities to the youth and has implemented Rajiv Gandhi Swarojgar Yojana to encourage the youth. Under this scheme, the Transport Department has implemented the e-taxi scheme in which 50 percent subsidy will be given on the purchase of e-taxi. These e-taxis will be taken on contract by government departments for at least four years. He said that vehicle registration numbers have been opened to the general public, more than 11 crores have been deposited in the treasury through e-auction for various special registration numbers. Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri said that a centralized inventory management system has been implemented to control the expenses related to the maintenance of HRTC buses. He said that Himachal Road Transport Corporation has added 210 new buses, 11 Volvo buses, 18 Innova Crysta and 12 tempos to its fleet last year so that people can get better transportation facilities. Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri said that the state government is doing important work towards making Himachal self-reliant so that Himachal can be developed as a model state in the entire country.

School Sports competitions calendar announced
AVINASH CHAUHAN AMB: A School Sports Competitions calendar of District Una has been declared. District Education Deputy Director Mr. Somlal Dhiman and A.D.P.O. Mr. R.S. Bhullar have declared the dates for organizing block level (Amb, Gagret, Haroli, Bangana, Una) and district level sports competitions of all the five blocks. While announcing these dates, Senior Vice President of DESSA Executive Dr. Rajesh Kaushal (Principal Volleyball), Vice President of DESSA Karma Chand (DPEVion) and Vice President of DESSA Rakesh Kumar (PET Dhamadari) were specially present. This information was given by DESSA Press Secretary and Principal of Amb Block Physical Teachers' Association Sanjeev Kumar. Giving information, he said that the block level sports competition of all the five blocks has been decided to be held on the same date i.e. from 04-08-2024 to 06.08.2024. Block level sports competition of Amb block will be organized at Government Senior Secondary School Thathal, block level sports competition of Bangana block will be organized at Government Senior Secondary School Wal, (Boul) Haroli block level sports competition will be organized at Government Senior Secondary School Puvowal, block level sports competition of Gagret block will be organized at Government Senior Secondary School Dhanari, and block level sports competition of Una block will be organized at Government High School Raipur Sahodan. Similarly, district level sports competition of boys including major and minor games and athletes, cultural program will be organized from 09.08.2024 to 12.8.2024 at Government Senior Secondary School Ambota. District level sports competition for girls including major and minor games and athletes cultural, athletics program will be organized from 19.08.2024 to 22.08.2024 at Government Senior Secondary School Saloh.

Play with sportsmanship: Vikku
JOGINDER DEV ARYA BANGANA, JULY 28
A cricket tournament in memory of Shaheed Kishan Chand commenced on Sunday under the auspices of the Youth Club Pansai at Panchayat Budhan. The tournament was inaugurated by Kutlehar MLA Vivek Sharma, who attended as the chief guest. Approximately eight teams from the region are participating in this competition. The club officials honored MLA Vivek Sharma with a memento. Addressing the players, Vikku emphasized the importance of playing with sportsmanship. He stated that participation in sports

State govt stands with family of martyr Dilawar Khan: Jagat Ram Sharma
KISHORI LAL BAINS UNA, JULY 29
The state government is committed to supporting the family of martyr Dilawar Khan, with expectations that the state Congress government will provide Rs. 50 lakh instead of the announced Rs. 30 lakh. The central government should also provide Rs. 1 crore to the family of the brave soldier. These remarks were made by Comrade Jagat Ram Sharma, National INTUC Secretary and State INTUC General Secretary, while consoling the bereaved family at the martyr's home in Gharwasda, Kutlehar Assembly. Jagat Ram Sharma assured the family of all possible assistance from the state government. He expressed the anger and patriotism of Dilawar Khan and the entire

State experienced tourism surge in last 18 months
DINESH AGARWAL SHIMLA, JULY 28
Himachal Pradesh has experienced a remarkable surge in tourist number since Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu took office. In the first half of 2022, the state welcomed 86.42 lakh tourists, while by the end of June 2024, this number surged to 1,00,87,440, owing to Himachal Pradesh's picturesque valleys and pleasant climate. The substantial rise in tourist number is attributed to the successful initiatives and promotions spearheaded by the Sukhu government to boost tourism in the region. "The current state government has taken

Construction work on five heliports has already been started and the Sanjauli heliport would be made functional shortly to ensure better air connectivity to Shimla," said the Chief Minister. The tourism department's data reveals that 89 lakh tourists visited the State in the first half of 2018, 99.57 lakh in 2019, 22.04 lakh in 2020, 19.75 lakh in 2021, and 86.42 lakh in 2022. Since the Congress government took office in December 2022, it has prioritized tourism development, recognizing its crucial role in strengthening the state's economy. New tourist destinations are being developed in Chandratal, Kaza, and Tandi of Lahaul-Spiti, as well as Rackchham,

Nako, Chango and Khab of Kinnaur district. Additionally, a Sky Walk Bridge will be constructed in the popular tourist spot Hassan Valley near Kufri. Aiming to attract 5 crore tourists annually, the government is promoting adventure tourism, religious tourism, and rural tourism to offer visitors a memorable experience. In the 2024-25 budget the Chief Minister has outlined its vision for a prosperous and 'self-reliant' Himachal over the next 10 years, with a key focus on making Himachal Pradesh a premier tourist destination. This vision supports the goal of a prosperous, culturally rich, healthy, capable, strong, and 'Aatam Nirbhar' Himachal Pradesh.

benefiting 37,087 farmers by bringing 13,176 hectares of land under natural farming. As much as ten markets have been designated for the sale of natural farming products, and infrastructure is being developed in these markets. To ensure transparency between farmers and consumers, an innovative initiative has been launched. Under this initiative, over 76,000 farmers have been registered for natural farming and 74,283 farmers have been issued certificates for the same.

farmers who join this scheme. This is the highest minimum support price for wheat and maize in the country. The state government's initiative to encourage farmers to adopt natural farming is proving fruitful. Currently, 1,78,643 families of farmers and horticulturalists in the state have adopted natural farming. The government aims to connect yet another 9.61 lakh families with natural farming. Under the scheme, Rs. 1275.31 lakh was spent in the financial year 2023-2024,

Himachal farmers to raise income through Natural farming practises
DINESH AGARWAL SHIMLA, JULY 28
Himachal Pradesh has a large population out of which 80 percent rely upon agriculture for livelihood and related activities. To ensure that these farmers get a fair price for their produce, Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu has launched several ambitious schemes. The Rajiv Gandhi Natural Farming Start-up Scheme, launched after the second budget session will go a long way in enhancing the income of the farmers. In the first phase of the scheme, 10 farmers of each panchayat will be encouraged to adopt chemical-free farming. The scheme aims to connect around 36,000 farmers with natural farming. Wheat and maize will be bought at a minimum support price of Rs 40 and Rs 30 per kilogram respectively from the

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Students of American School Jandiala Guru win Karate Championship



KULJIT SINGH JANDIALA GURU: The students of the educational institution American School participated in the 18th International School Karate Championship and once again demonstrated a strong game and achieved a great victory. Name illuminated. On this occasion, Dashmesh Mahajan, Principal of the school congratulated the students and encouraged them to make more progress in the future. Karate coach Harmeet Singh and other staff members were present on this occasion.

Factory owners hiring youth, throwing out old workers



JATINDER PAL SINGH KALER KATHGARH: A factory under the industrial area of Tounsa has thrown a worker who has been working for the last 17-18 years instead of giving him a promotion, instead of giving him a promotion, he has been removed from the factory and pushed into the quagmire of unemployment. There is a lot of anger among the people about the arbitrary actions of the factory managers, but the governments and the relevant departments are not doing anything to stop this exploitation of the people. Roop Chand, son of Shadi Ram, a resident of Taunsa village, who is drowning in unemployment, said that he had been working for the contractor for the past 17-18 years in a nearby factory and the workers working for the contractor were confirmed by the company after taking tests etc. is Roop Chand said that he also gave the paper to be confirmed and some other workers sitting next to him copied his paper and did the paper, but the company passed the paper and confirmed the workers while he was removed from the factory with deliberate objection.

Rotary Club Sirhind launches “Green hands” Tree plantation project



AJAY MALHOTRA FATEHGARH SAHIB: In a significant step towards environmental conservation, Rotary Club Sirhind has inaugurated its latest initiative, “Green Hands”, a tree plantation project. The project aims to enhance green cover and promote ecological balance in the region. The project is spearheaded by Chairmen Shekhar Bithner and Satpal Garg. The club's president, Dr. Hinder Suri, along with Secretary Vineet Sharma and Treasurer Suneel Bector, were present to support the initiative. Esteemed members Pradeep Malhotra and Gopal Bimbira also joined the plantation drive, showcasing their commitment to the cause. The tree plantation took place near the local Gushala, where several saplings were planted, contributing to the beautification and environmental health of the area. President Dr. Hinder Suri said that Rotary Club Sirhind remains dedicated to community service and environmental stewardship, with “Green Hands” being a testament to their ongoing efforts to foster a sustainable future.

Every person should plant saplings to protect environment: Badungar



AJAY MALHOTRA FATEHGARH SAHIB: Traffic Police Fatehgarh Sahib did an exclusive work by giving Sapling to those who violated traffic rules, Traffic police made aware the people to contribute to the preservation of the environment and keep the environment clean. Traffic Police Incharge of Fatehgarh Sahib District Inderpreet Singh Badungar said that according to the instructions issued by the S.S.P. Dr Ravjot Grewal (IPS) the traffic police are issuing a large number of challans to those who violate the traffic rules, today, instead of issuing challans, they are being given small saplings so that they can go home. Badungar said that by planting these saplings and remembering that we violated the traffic rules, they should not do so in future. He said that if people go to their homes and plant these saplings, the environment will be purified, because today due to global warming, the summer temperature has increased so much that the life of common people has become miserable. On this occasion, the passers-by who violated the traffic rules appreciating the effort of the traffic police, said that they will definitely go and plant these saplings given by the traffic police in their homes. On the occasion ASI Parminder Singh, Hawaldar Sukhwinder Singh Davinder Singh Varinder Singh Randeep Singh and other police traffic employees were present.

Dr. Balbir Singh inaugurates new 11 KV power line at Rajindra Hospital for uninterrupted electricity supply

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In line with the directives of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, Dr. Balbir Singh, the Minister of Medical Education and Research and Health and Family Welfare of Punjab, inaugurated a new 11 KV power supply line at Government Rajindra Hospital in Patiala. This initiative, costing 25 lakh rupees, aims to ensure uninterrupted electricity for the hospital, crucial for patient care.

Highlighting the importance of a stable power supply in hospitals, Dr. Balbir Singh emphasized that this new line, sourced from the 66 KV old Patiala electricity grid, will resolve the electricity issues at the hospital. Additionally, another 11 KV line from Shakti Vihar is set to become operational soon. According to a report from PSPCL engineers, where single-source power cables are currently in use, extra boxes and cables will be installed. Furthermore, approximately 20 generators with additional diesel reserves are on standby to prevent any future disruptions in power supply. During an informal media interaction, Dr. Balbir Singh reiterated that improving health facilities for Punjab's citizens is a top priority under Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann's leadership.

He mentioned that medicines are now provided free of charge in all district hospitals, CHCs, sub-division hospitals, and dispensaries, and we are also ensuring the 'Faristey' scheme and free testing for patients. The deficiencies in the medical education department will be addressed by August 15. Dr. Balbir Singh also announced that all district hospitals in Punjab are being upgraded to model hospitals. The Civil Hospital in Ludhiana, now comparable to a corporate hospital, sets the standard for other hospitals in Jalandhar and Amritsar. The upcoming trauma centre and critical care unit at Rajindra Hospital will feature state-of-the-art facilities. Ensuring the efficient operation of these hospitals is the government's next priority, with plans for free medicine distribution, patient facilitation centres, high standards of cleanliness, and courteous staff. Additionally, the state government is working towards establishing six new medical colleges within the next two years. During his visit to Rajindra Hospital, the Health Minister inspected the Dengue and Diarrhea wards, assessing the condition of admitted patients. He directed the Medical Superintendent Dr. Girish Sahney, to ensure that information about patients from other districts and states is communicated to their respective district administrations, enabling them to take preventive measures against the spread of these diseases. On the occasion, A. D. C (G) Kanchan, PSPCL Director (D) DPS Grewal, Colonel JV Singh, Medical Superintendent Dr. Girish Sahney, PSPCL Chief Engineer R.K. Mittal, S.E. Patiala Dhanwant Singh, Ex-Ens Jatinder Garg and Jatinderpal Singh Kanda, Head Surgery Department Dr. Ashwani Kumar, Dr. Deepali, Dr. Rupinder Kaur etc.



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15205 candidates appear for 5994 posts of ETT Cadre

CHANDIGARH: A total 15205 Candidates today appeared in an exam held for 5994 posts of ETT Cadre. Giving information in this regard a Spokesman of Punjab Government said that a total of 19832 candidates had applied for these ETT posts.

He further said that during the examination, two suspected candidates were caught for impersonation. Police action has been initiated against them.

A total of 56 centers in Mohali and Chandigarh had been set up for this exam.

SBI staff association 10th triennial general council meet held



SHASHI PAL JAIN CHANDIGARH, JULY 28

State Bank of India Staff Association (SBISA) Chandigarh Circle organized Inaugural Session of its 10th Triennial General Council Meeting, Inaugural session of Triennial General Body Meeting of All India State Bank of India Staff Federation (AISBISF), Inaugural Session of 68th Triennial Circle General Council of State Bank of India Staff Association 8 Circles (Chandigarh, Delhi, Jaipur, Lucknow, Patna, Bhubhneswar, Kolkata and Northeast) The conference was attended by bankers not only from Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, UT Chandigarh but from various parts of the country to pay their respects to the great leader, Sh. Bandlish and to give him the befitting farewell. Due to his stature in the industry many top executives of SBI were also present on the stage to commemorate the journey of Bandlish and to bid him good wishes for the future. The comrades entered the Conference raising slogans of SBI

tary, SBISA Chandigarh is also the Convenor of United Forum of Bank's Unions (UFBU), General Secretary of All India State Bank of India Staff Federation (AISBISF), General Secretary of National Confederation of Bank Employees (NCBE) and Chief Secretary of State Bank of India Staff Association (8 Circles viz; Chandigarh, Delhi, Jaipur, Lucknow, Patna, Bhubhneswar, Kolkata and Northeast) The conference was attended by bankers not only from Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, UT Chandigarh but from various parts of the country to pay their respects to the great leader, Sh. Bandlish and to give him the befitting farewell. Due to his stature in the industry many top executives of SBI were also present on the stage to commemorate the journey of Bandlish and to bid him good wishes for the future. The comrades entered the Conference raising slogans of SBI

Staff Association Zindabad. Highlight of the entrance was Amarawati Circle's staff dancing on the tune of Punjabi Songs and Chennai Circle's Lungi Dance.

Binod Kumar Mishra DMD (HR) & Corporate Development Officer, SBI inaugurated the conference in the presence of, Sh. Rajiv Kumar, Chief General Manager (HR) and Sh. Krishan Sharma, Chief General Manager, Chandigarh. Other distinguished guests at the conference were Com. C.H Venkatachalam, General Secretary, AIBEA, Com. R. Balaji, President, NCBE, Com. Rupam Roy General Secretary, AIBOC, Com. Deepak Kumar Sharma, General Secretary, AISBOF, Com. Parmod Indal, President, National Federation of SBI SC/ST Employees, Com. Arun Bhagoliwal, President, AISBISF and Sh. Rajendra Acharya, Regional Secretary, Uniglobal Singapore.

Arvind Khanna reaches Barnala to thank workers

KARANPREET KARAN BARNALA, JULY 28

The state leader of Bharatiya Janata Party and the former MLA who recently contested from Sangrur Lok Sabha Constituency Mr. Arvind Khanna arrived in Barnala today and visited the hotel under the leadership of former district president Gurmeet Singh Handiaya. On this occasion, a large number of leaders and workers came to Barnala to thank

Speaking on this occasion, Mr. Arvind Khanna said that every leader and worker who works for me is honorable and I always stand on the back of my workers, I will not allow them to be fooled as they have worked day and night in my elections, Arvind Khanna said. That the work that is in my power, I do it, and what is not, I immediately tell about it. So I stand like a rock against all



factionalism. Every single soldier of the Bharatiya Janata Party is worthy of my respect.

On this occasion, Arvind Khanna talking about Kisan Union said that there are only two big unions in Punjab, Kisan Union Rajewal and the other Kisan Union Ugrahan, but the President of Kisan Union Rajewal believes that the treatment of BJP by the union is not good. And it is wrong because the same leaders have gone to Delhi and met all the leaders including Parliament House. Wasn't the way blocked for them? There

is no way blocked. Only rumors are being spread. They said some politicians are infiltrating the farmers' unions. The umbrella men are deliberately bent on defaming the Bharatiya Janata Party. Speaking on the issue of factionalism in the Bharatiya Janata Party, Mr. Khanna said that this trend is bad. The Bharatiya Janata Party should be supported with a clear intention so that the victory of the Bharatiya Janata Party can be sounded in the next general election and in 2027!

"Kavyotsav" event organized by Kalamay and Library



CHANDIGARH (NILESH SETH): In an ode to the beauty of the soul embodied in words, Kalamay and TS Central State Library, Sector 17, jointly organized a "Kavyotsav" event on July 27, 2024, at 2:00 PM. The event was presided over by the esteemed writer, Professor Dr. Vijaya Singh, with renowned singer Mr. Atul Dubey gracing the occasion as the chief guest. Other notable attendees included Mr. Amit Sanoria, founder, director, and actor at Satvik Arts, Mr. Kanwarpal Kamboj, owner of Final Magic Studio, and Dr. Mohit Kaushal.

This was the second event organized by Kalamay, which owes its success to the honorable guests, over 80 attendees, and 15 poets. The poetry session featured impressive performances by poets such as Kelvinder Singh, Pawan Muntazir, Narayan Bhadauria 'Naval', Harleen Kaur, Paridhi Agarwal, Anamika Garg, Karishma Verma, Gulshan Chamoli, Dishant Sharma, Hasan 'Tukbandi', Rajesh 'Sukhan', Deepak Bisht, Yadiya Sharma, Vikas Arya, Rohit Kashyap, Anjali Banga, and Dr. Manju Chawla.

The event's organization was supported by dedicated members including Mili Pandit, Rajkaran Singh, Preeti Kumari, Diksha, Sejal, Tanya, and Ritika.

Press Club Jagraon to conduct driving license camp



JAGRAON (SUKH NAHAR): Press Club (regd.) Jagraon conducted its crucial meeting at the premises of Hotel Five River in the presence of its members. The meeting was held under the guidance of club president Deepak Jain. The members observed two-minutes silence as a tribute to Late journalist Jaspal Singh Heran and expressed grief on his demise. Club members, led by Deepak Jain discussed applications they had received for membership of club and other agendas. Addressing the meeting, Jain said that government has completely barred underage children from driving two wheelers and has instructed police to file FIRs against parents or vehicle owner in case a minor is caught driving. "The club shall organize a driving licence camp very soon with the support of administration in which children between age group of 16-18 can apply for driving license. The applicants shall be handed over learning driving license in the camp itself," he added. Jain formed that children above 16 years are allowed to drive 50 cc two wheelers with driving license. All the members supported the proposal and assured that they shall work unitedly in order to make the campaign successful.

Spl children should also get equal opportunities: Jaswinder Singh



DALJEET AJNOHA HOSHIARPUR, JULY 28

Special children need to be treated like normal children because these children can also contribute to the development of the society, therefore special children should also be given opportunities to move forward in life, this view was expressed by social worker Balwinder Singh during his visit to JSS Asha Kiran Special School Jahankhela. Mrs. Sheela Devi was also present with him at this time, on this occasion Jaswinder Singh donated an amount of 20 thousand rupees for the welfare of

the children studying in the school, he said that the work being done by Ashadeep Welfare Society cannot be appreciated enough. It is worth noting that Jaswinder Singh's sons Ramandeep, Prince Sidhu and daughter Hardeep Kaur have also been associated with special children for a long time. On this occasion Jaswinder Singh was thanked by Ashadeep Welfare Society Secretary Harbans Singh, former head Malkit Singh Mahru, cashier Harish Thakur, Ram Asra, course coordinator Barinder Kumar, Principal Shaali Sharma, Vice Principal Indu Bala.

"Power to the Voice is Power to the People"

RADHE SHYAM SHARMA MORINDA, JULY 28

An Inter-Cambridge English Debate Competition for Grades VI to XII was organized at Cambridge International School, Mohali campus on Saturday, 27th July 2024. The event witnessed participation from schools including Cambridge Innovative, Jalandhar,

Cambridge Foundation, Jalandhar, Cambridge Kapurthala, Cambridge Nakodar and the host, Cambridge Mohali. The students battled with their wits in the following categories:-

- Grade VI: "Should children under 14 be allowed on social media sites?"

- Grades VII & VIII: "Are humans to blame for global warming?"



- Grades IX & X: "Should education be free for all students?"

- Grades XI & XII: "The impact of Globalization on cultural identity."

All topics were well-researched and prepared by students in consultation with their mentors. The competition commenced with much intensity, overseen by a two-panel jury of judges, Mr. Vishal Monga and Dr. Purvanshi Sharma from Chandigarh University.

The points presented were met with cheers and applause from the spectators.

Some arguments even made the audience reconsider certain facts. The room was brimming with talent as arguments were made and proven. The competition was highly engaging, showcasing a variety of perspectives by equally stating the merits and demerits of each debate topic. The aim of the debate competition was to hone the public speaking skills of the students and teach them to be articulate while expressing their thoughts and opinions.

Saurav Gupta installed as President of Rotary Club, Chandigarh



RAJIV JAIN CHANDIGARH, JULY 28

Saurav Gupta was installed as the new president of the Rotary Club at an installation ceremony held at Rotary District 3080 in Sector 31. The ceremony began with the collaring of Saurav Gupta and was attended by several prominent figures including MP Manish Tiwari, who graced the event as the chief guest.

The event saw the presence of notable Rotary Club members such as M.P. Gupta, Madhukar Malhotra, Dr. Rita Kalra, CA Rachit Goyal, Jagdeep Chadha, Akash Mittal, Dr. Bhushan Gupta, Dr.

Vanita Gupta, Ritu Mittal, and Jagdeep Chadha. In his address, newly appointed President Saurav Gupta outlined his vision for the upcoming term. He emphasized the importance of making people self-reliant, and the club's focus on education, healthcare, and building a strong community. Gupta assured that all team members would work diligently towards these goals. Manish Tiwari lauded the contributions of Rotary Club to social service over the past twelve decades. Expressing concern over global warming in 2023, Tiwari urged the Rotarian community to take concrete steps towards environmental conservation.

Green campaign gathers momentum: Bharat Singh's appeal

CHET RAM RATTAN NAWANSHAHR, JULY 28

The green movement and the mission to save the youth from drug addiction, which started as a solitary effort, has now turned into a widespread campaign. These were the words of Kulwinder Singh Bharta, President of Lok Kalyan Seva Society, Ludhiana (Regd.), during a tree plantation event in the village of Fabra. Expressing concern over the rising temperatures, Bharta said, "Punjab is turning into Rajasthan."

He emphasized that instead of planting trees, both the government and the people are continually cutting them down. Bharta made an earnest appeal to the people of Punjab to plant at least one shady, fruit-bearing tree in their villages, cities, homes, farms, and orchards. He announced that a special seminar on water conservation



would be organized in the first week of August.

Bishan Singh Kahma, former SHO Kumkalan, Sukhpal Singh Sandhu, Sub-Inspector Traffic Police Officer Ludhiana, Harminder Singh Pintu, PRO, Chet Ram Ratan, Senior Councilor and President of Kudrat Aashirwad Welfare Institute Nawanshahr, stated that under the leadership of social worker Kulwinder Singh Bharta and Vice President Varinder Kumar, the second phase of the green campaign was launched in Fabra village. Led by

Sarpanch Avtar Singh Laddu, the campaign included planting saplings throughout the town. They invited environmentalists to play a role in nurturing these plants as they would their children. The event was attended by Harmandeep Singh from the Forest Department Balachaur, Gagandeep Garcha from Banga, Dharampal, Karnail Singh Bhalwan, Santokh Singh, Sarpanch Tajpur, Ram Kishan Baggia, Mintoo from Transport Acquisition, Preet Hotel MD Lovepreet Singh Sodhi etc.

One arrested in theft case, motorcycle recovered



MANISH KUMAR AMBALA: As per direction of Superintendent of Police Surendra Singh Bhorla, during special campaign being run by Police to curb incidents of theft/robbery/snatching, in theft case registered at Police Station Ambala Cantonment, on July 27, Ambala Police took immediate action and arrested accused Surendra Kumar resident of village Boh, Police Station Maheshnagar District Ambala and sent him to judicial custody as per order of Court. Regarding this matter, complainant Mange Ram resident of village Antal, Police Station Handesra, District Mohali Punjab had lodged a complaint at Police Station Ambala Cantonment on July 27 that on 18 July, some unknown person had stolen his motorcycle from outside Civil Hospital Ambala Cantonment. On this complaint, police registered a case and took action and arrested accused along with motorcycle.

Om Prakash Gaso presents his 71st book 'Taaro Mein Se Tara Dhruv Tara' to readers



KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA: Famous novelist and Shiromani Sahityakar Om Prakash Gaso has turned 92 years old but his writing ability is still intact. Recently Om Prakash Gaso's 31st novel 'Taaro Mein Se Tara Dhruv Tara' has been published, which is his 71st book. Mother tongue Punjabi is a goal for writer Gaso and he is committed to establish the best form of this goal. Undoubtedly he has written about 20 books in Hindi language, but basically he is a writer of Punjabi language. Om Prakash Gaso is a worshipper of nature and it is by the grace of nature that he has done double MA and M. Phil. His creative vision is humanitarian and he keeps studying the atrocities happening with people from a sensitive point of view. Writer Gaso said in the conversation that the waves of the stream of life are a source of inspiration for him. His newly published novel 'Taaro Mein Se Tara Dhruv Tara' is a novel of sacrifice for the welfare of the people. The characters of this novel are concepts, which remain alive and awake like a creative scene. Therefore, strong perception can be called the root of the subject matter of this novel. While presenting his views openly on life, society, politics and feudalism, he said that these days he is writing his next novel 'Main Ek Awaaz Haan'.

Youth made aware about drug effects through sports

MANISH KUMAR AMBALA, JULY 28

As per instructions of Superintendent of Police Surendra Singh Bhorla is making youth aware about drug prevention through sports competitions during Haryana Uday Community Policing Program by Police Ki Pathshaala. A large number of youth are participating in the Police Ki Pathshaala Sports Competition Program and taking oath to stay away from drugs and use their energy in good works. Youth were made aware about staying away from drugs by sports competitions in Thana Barara, Thana Shahzadpur and various police station areas. During the "Haryana Uday Program Police Ki Pathshaala" sports competition, youth present were made aware about staying away from drugs, ill effects of

At 24.6 °C, Srinagar records 3rd hottest minimum temp in 132 years

AGENCY SRINAGAR, JULY 28

Amid sweltering heat and hot and humid weather conditions, Srinagar experienced the season's hottest minimum temperature during the intervening nights of Saturday and Sunday at 24.6°C, officials said.

Today's minimum temperature was 5.8°C above normal, the 3rd highest in the past 132 years in the summer capital of Jammu and Kashmir.

The 2nd all-time highest minimum temperature was recorded on July 26, 2021, at 24.8°C, while on July 21, 1988, the minimum temperature was recorded at 25.2°C, MeT Director Mukhtar Ahmad told UNI.

Today's nighttime temperature in Srinagar was comparable to the daytime temperature usually



experienced in mid-May, an independent weather forecaster, Faizan Arif, said.

He said at 8.30 am in the morning, Real Feel temperature reached 29.8°C (28.0°C in actuality with 63% Relative Humidity).

The minimum temperature recorded in other places of Kashmir Valley was also recorded above normal by 3°C to 8°C during the intervening nights of Saturday and Sunday.

He said the hot and humid weather conditions will persist in the Kashmir valley, with a chance of a few spots that may record thunder-showers towards the afternoon or during the night today. "There is a possibility of rain chances standing at 55 percent in some parts of Kashmir Valley amid hot and humid weather on July 29, and with that, the temperature may come down by 1°C to 4°C," he added.

TGT teachers recruited with transparency ensuring deserving poor children selected: Dr. Pawan Saini



VIJAY KAUSHIK BABAN: Former MLA of Ladwa Dr. Pawan Saini has told Congress leaders that before asking our government for account of 10 years, they should look into own conscience. In rule of Congress, jobs were sold for money but in BJP government, even children from poor families are getting government jobs without any expense or slip. Government has recruited 7400 TGT teachers with complete transparency in which thousands of deserving children from poor families have been selected. State government has given jobs to more than one lakh youth of state with complete honesty and transparency which is an example. He said that nepotism and regionalism were dominant in Hooda government but BJP government has risen above regionalism and has done development work equally for every constituency. He said that instead of asking for our account, Congress leaders should first give the account of their government's tenure so that the public can know the truth.

BJP will give account of atrocities on Dalits during Hooda's rule: Pawan Saini

VIJAY KAUSHIK LADWA, JULY 28

Former MLA of Ladwa and senior leader of Bharatiya Janata Party Dr. Pawan Saini visited dozens of villages on Sunday. On this occasion, he announced grants of lakhs of rupees for building Chaupal, community center, lanes and roads in the village. He announced to give grants worth more than Rs 75 lakh for development works in Saini villages Duda, Salempur, Barot, Jainpur, Baraichpur, Bapda, Bapdi, Baraunda, Badarpur, Barhan, Nivarsi.

Dr Saini said that today the Congress was demanding accountability from the Bharatiya Janata Party. But he says that the accountability should be given by the Congress that

'Global Parents' Day' celebrated at Tandon International School

KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA: Tandon International School, a recognized educational institution of the area, celebrated 'Global Parents Day' today. In which the parents of UKG and the first children participated. On this occasion, sports activities were held from 6 am to 9 am. In which many



games were held for parents and their children. In the second round, the SAFE competition for parents was held from 9 am to 12 pm. In which many food

items were made by parents. Parents of children participated in every activity with enthusiasm and enthusiasm. The principal and vice principal

of the school honored and congratulated the winning teams of children and parents. School MD Shiv Singla ji, Principal V.K. Sharma ji and Vice Principal Madam Shalini Consul ji explaining the importance of this day said that 'Global Parents Day' provides a special opportunity to appreciate the sacrifices.

POWERGRID celebrates 25th Kargil Vijay Diwas by felicitating Kargil war Heroes

BUREAU JAMMU, JULY 28

25th Kargil Vijay Diwas 2024 was celebrated across the country today to pay tribute to the bravery and valor of the Indian soldiers who made the ultimate sacrifice for the country during the Kargil War in 1999.

The day commemorates the victory of Operation Vijay, which was a significant military victory over Pakistan during the Kargil War in 1999.

To commemorate this day of National Importance, Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (POWERGRID), organized various functions in its establishments across Northern Region-II. At its Leh Substation Executive Director Northern Region-II, Sh. Rajesh Kumar along with Senior officers and employees participated in this program. Homage was paid to Indian soldiers'



staunch bravery and sacrifices during the intense three-month-long war. Kargil War Heroes who had fought Kargil war while serving in Ladakh Scouts Regiment of Indian Army and are currently giving their services in the security contract of POWERGRID were felicitated on this occasion. Sh. Dorjay a security staff recalled how motivated he felt when he was ordered to march towards forward post, despite losing his fellow soldiers he kept on marching and helped army in capturing the post. Another security

guard Sh. Tashi who was deployed as porter for maintaining essential supplies, played his important role in victory of India.

Anil Sharma, Chief General Manager(I/C) Pang-Kaithal Project, Sh. Arindam Chakraborty, CGM(Projects) NR-II, Mrs. Sangeeta Kumar, Patron Shrishti Mahila Samiti, Northern Region-II and Senior officers were present on this occasion. In his brief address, Sh. Rajesh Kumar highlighted the role of Indian Armed forces in making our lives comfort-able.

PPSC successfully conducts Joint Competitive Examination for Legal Assistant and Law Officer Recruitment



RAWEL BHINDER PATIALA: The Punjab Public Service Commission (PPSC) has successfully conducted a joint competitive written examination for the recruitment of 35 Legal Assistants and Law Officers across various departments. Approximately 600 candidates participated in the exam, held at the College of Engineering, Punjabi University.

PPSC Chairman Jatinder Singh Aulakh personally supervised the examination, ensuring smooth and transparent operations. He emphasized that the commission implemented stringent measures for identity verification and confidentiality, supported by comprehensive security arrangements. Chairman Aulakh highlighted the specific distribution of the posts: 1 Legal Assistant for the Animal Husbandry, Fisheries, and Dairy Development Department, 2 for the Excise and Taxation Department, 7 for the School Education Department (Secondary), 22 for School Education (Subordinate Offices), and 3 Law Officers for the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Listening to Shiv Mahapuran Katha increases faith in religion: Sandeep Garg



NARESH GARG LADWA: In the holy month of Sawan, a seven-day Shiv Mahapuran Katha is being organized by all the city residents in Vikas Nagar of Ladwa. On the seventh day of which BJP leader and social worker Sandeep Garg participated as the chief guest and performed the Puja. Katha Vyas Pushp Murari Babu said in his discourses that 'Shiv Puran' sheds light on the life character of Shiva and especially describes his lifestyle, marriage and the origin of his sons. Lord Shiva is always philanthropic and beneficial. Among the Tridevs, he is also considered god of destruction. Shiva worship is considered very simple. At the same time, BJP leader Sandeep Garg said that in the month of Sawan, everyone should participate enthusiastically in the story of Shiv Mahapuran, because it increases faith in religion. This seven-day grand event being organized by the city residents is commendable. A large number of women devotees participated in the Katha.

3cr saplings will be planted in Pb for environmental protection: Meet Hayer

KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA, JULY 28

Lok Sabha Member of Sangrur Lok Sabha Constituency Gurmeet Singh Meet Hare said that the Punjab government has set a target of planting 3 crore saplings to increase greenery in the state, under which 5 lakh saplings will be planted within the boundaries of Barnala district. This is expressed by S. Gurmeet Singh Meet Hare organized the planting of saplings at Inderlok Colony. He said that Chief Minister Punjab Under the leadership of Bhagwant Singh Mann, efforts are being made on a large scale to make Punjab green. He said that along with planting the plants, their maintenance work should also be done so that the planted plants can become trees in time. Answering the questions of the journalists, he has raised three important burning issues of the highways projects with the Union Minister Shri Nitin Gadkari. These include construction of flyovers at Cheema-Jodhpur and Badbar and widening of two roads in Barnala city. They demanded the construction of a flyover at Cheema-Jodhpur on Barnala-Moga National Highway 703. He said that due to the two villages of Cheema



and Jodhpur on both sides of the road, the residents of these villages face the problem of crossing near the bus stand and there is a risk of accidents due to the absence of a flyover. Similarly, there is a great need for a flyover at Badbar village on Barnala-Sangrur National Highway 64.

Tips given to teachers in the workshop to improve the conduct of children



BD AGGARWAL REWARI: Resource person Simpi Gera said that every child wants attraction towards himself. Simpi was giving tips to teachers to improve the conduct of children in a workshop organized at Gera Jain Public School. He taught the skills of teamwork and team management through various activities.

Media in-charge of the school, Gopal Sharma said that in the workshop organized at Vidya Sharanalaya, Principal Sonal Chhabra literally congratulated the resource person Mrs. Gera. In the workshop, teachers were asked to increase closeness to children through various activities. He said that teachers should establish emotional attachment with their colleagues as well as children. Avoid speaking negative words to children and try to build self-confidence by encouraging them in a positive environment.

Under special campaign, BLOs will sit at booths and cast votes on 3rd, 4th, 10th and 11th Aug: DC

BD AGGARWAL REWARI: DC and District Election Officer Rahul Hooda said that under the second special brief amendment campaign issued by the Election Commission of India, the second special brief amendment campaign of the photo voter list will be started in the district from Friday, August 2, considering July 1, 2024 as the qualifying date. will be. Election Commission of India will run a special campaign to collect new votes at the polling stations on Saturday 3rd August, Sunday 4th August, Saturday 10th August and Sunday 11th August. Where the concerned BLO will do the work of filling Form No. 6 for making new votes at the polling station. He said that the Election Commission of India is giving an opportunity to eligible persons to get their votes made, under which the work of making new votes will be done by BLOs at all the polling stations considering July 1, 2024 as the qualifying date. He said that the objective of the program is that no eligible person should be deprived of voting. BLOs will go door to door to get the errors corrected and the final voter list will be published on August 27.



Common people should actively participate in 'One Tree in the Name of Mother' plantation campaign. DC

RAMAN GUPTA KAITHAL: DC Prashant Panwar said that the government and administration are completely serious towards environmental protection and promotion. Taking a step towards environmental protection, the government has started 'One Tree in the Name of Mother' plantation campaign. Everyone should actively participate in this campaign and plant as many trees as possible during the monsoon season. He said that the problem of greenhouse gas emissions is increasing day by day.

The only natural way to deal with this is tree planting. Trees can absorb poisonous gases present in the air such as sulfur dioxide, nitrogen oxides and small particles. DC Prashant Panwar said that after planting the saplings, it is equally important to take care of them. A plant becomes a tree and provides valuable oxygen free of cost.

He said that in view of environmental pollution and rising temperatures, it is very important to have greenery around us. Human development is possible only through the development of forests.



Best dairy farmer will get a prize of Rs 5 lakh under National Gopal Ratna Award: DC

DR ASHOK KUMAR KARNAL: Deputy Commissioner Uttam Singh said that last date to apply online for National Gopal Ratna Award given by Union Ministry of Animal Husbandry and Dairy is August 31. Interested animal breeders can apply till August 31 through National Award Portal Awards.gov.in. Deputy Commissioner informed that under National Gokul Mission, with aim of encouraging milk producing farmers, dairy cooperatives/FPOs and artificial insemination technicians (AIT), department has continued the sequence of awarding the National Gopal Ratna Award in three categories during 2024, including best dairy farmer rearing registered indigenous cattle, Murrah buffalo breeds, best dairy cooperative society (DCS)/milk producing company (MPC)/dairy farmer producer organization (FPO) and best artificial insemination technician (AIT).He informed that in National Gopal Ratna Award 2024, the first two categories i.e. best dairy farmer and best DCS/FPO/MPC will be given a certificate of merit, a memento and a cash prize, in which Rs 5 lakh will be given for first place, Rs 3 lakh for second place and Rs 2 lakh for third place. At the same time, in case of the best artificial insemination technician (AIT) category, all three categories will be honored with a certificate of merit and a memento. He informed that these awards will be given on the occasion of National Milk Day on 26 November.

Editorial

A song for the past

No one in this time of YouTube follows inconveniently timed events live anymore. And so it was that I watched Celine Dion's show-stopping, Eiffel-elevated finale to the opening ceremony of the Olympics the morning after it happened, in the loo on my mobile phone. And it was still magnificent; the kind of glorious hokum that makes you want to giggle and cry at once. She sang a song made famous by Edith Piaf, in a long white dress, picked out by spots in the gathering dark, halfway up the Tower, itself lit from within to look like a filigreed monument to Modernity.

The opening ceremony needed the lift that Dion gave it. The organisers had decided to replace the normal, stadium-bound spectacle with an open-air procession of boats down the Seine, but it rained so hard on this waterborne parade that spectators along its riverside route had to swap Parisian chic for transparent plastic ponchos. There's a brilliant photo of Keir Starmer in a hoodie, looking like your archetypal Everyman, flanked by a poncho-ed public, watching this wet republican spectacle. But the politician for whom this spectacle really mattered was Emmanuel Macron who had hoped the Paris Olympics would be a celebration of his second and final term as president. French presidents have traditionally had a weakness for the grand project or occasion and Macron is no different; not for nothing is he called Jupiter.

By the time the Olympics came around, Macron was a lame duck. His Centrist coalition had lost its majority in the National Assembly because of the elections that he had impetuously called and he faced the prospect of seeing out his second term hamstrung by a legislature he couldn't control. Thanks to a coalition improvised by France's left-wing parties, Macron had avoided the awful prospect of cohabitation with a neo-fascist prime minister. Still, Marine Le Pen's National Rally had won more votes than any other political party and the thwarted but very real surge of the far-Right loomed over France like a warning.

And not just France. More than America (which came before), France is the mother of all republics. It's not for nothing that so many republics, including our own, have a tricolour for their flag. France's red, white and blue stripes were a break from the clutter of crosses and eagles and coats of arms that marked royal standards. The idea of the rights-bearing citizen whose civic identity explicitly transcends race, faith and inherited status is French republicanism's enduring legacy to the modern world. To see this heroic ideal marginalised by a gathering prejudice against France's Muslim minority, stoked by the far-Right but amplified by the complicity of Centrist liberals, feels like an inflection point not just for France but the very notion of a civic, non-ethnic nation-state.

Gandhi's bust in Tokyo

External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar on Sunday unveiled the bust of Mahatma Gandhi at Freedom Plaza in Edogawa, Tokyo on the sidelines of the Quad Foreign Ministers meeting.

Jaishankar attended the ceremony in the presence of Edogawa Mayor, Takeshi Saito, Sibi George, the Ambassador of India to Japan and other ministers, with a group of schoolchildren singing Gandhi's favourite prayer, "Raghupati Raghav Raja Ram."

The Indian Embassy in Tokyo in a post on X said, "Unveiling of bust of Mahatma Gandhi by Hon'ble External Affairs Minister Dr. S. Jaishankar @DrSJaishankar at Freedom Plaza in Edogawa, Tokyo. Watch the live telecast here - <https://youtube.com/live/vgvOrys-LVPo?si=Ks7t4Vp5vQPvgzSs>

#ConnectingHimalayasWithMountFuji"

Jaishankar said that through this gesture, Japan wishes to deepen its ties with India.

"We have gathered here today because Edogawa ward and Mayor Takeshi Saito have decided that they will build a relationship with India by having this wonderful statue of the father of our nation, Mahatma Gandhi. At this venue and at this park, which they will be naming after him."

Jaishankar said that Gandhi is a global icon as his messages through his life are timeless.

"We have to ask ourselves today,



why is it important to have this statue here... the achievements of Gandhi have far outlived his times, with the passage of time, they have become more important. What he taught us, was important then as well as now. I was told that this place is called 'Little India'. I hope it becomes bigger!"

The venue is a place where the Indian community in Tokyo gathers in large numbers.

Jaishankar said that without Gandhi, Indian independence struggle would have taken "much longer" or could have gone to a "different direction."

"Indian independence was the beginning of a very momentous event as

it began a cycle of decolonization of the world. When India became free, other parts of Asia, Africa and Latin America became free. Today as we say India is the 5th largest economy in the world, the world is heading towards multipolarity and when the G7 becomes G20, in a way, all this started as a result of what Gandhi did in his life," he said.

Jaishankar said that Gandhi's message that no solution comes from the battlefield and that no era should be that of war applies today as much as it did 80 years ago.

"At a time when there is so much conflict, tension, polarization and bloodshed in the world, it is important

that we apply Gandhi's message into practice," he said.

The EAM said that Gandhi was an original Prophet of sustainable growth. "We all think of sustainability, climate friendliness, green growth and policies. Gandhi was the greatest advocate of how to live in harmony with nature. The message of Gandhi was that this is not what just government should do, it was for everyone to do in personal lives," he said.

Jaishankar added that Gandhi was an advocate of inclusiveness. "We see this practise in India and abroad."

He jested that Japan is not 'like' his second home, but is one.

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Olympic Committee apologises to South Korea over opening ceremony gaffe

The International Olympic Committee (IOC) on Saturday apologised for a blunder in the Paris Olympics opening ceremony where South Korea was incorrectly introduced as North Korea during the parade of athletes, Seoul-based news agency, Yonhap News reported.

Jang Mi-ran, the second Vice Minister of the South Korean sports ministry sought a meeting with the International Olympic Committee President Thomas Bach after being a witness to the incident, Yonhap News said. Subsequently, the IOC apologised for the error in its official Korean X account. In a post on X, the The International Olympic Committee said, "We deeply apologize for the mistake that occurred when introducing the Korean athletes during the broadcast of the opening ceremony." In a statement, Jang Mi-ran asked the country's top delegate, Jeong Gang-sun to ask for an explanation from



the Olympics' local organising committee and the IOC, Yonhap News reported. "We also asked the foreign ministry to lodge a strong complaint with France on a government level. The Korean Sport & Olympic Committee immediately asked the Paris organizing committee to prevent a recurrence of similar cases and will submit an official protest under our chef de mission. The committee will also meet with the IOC," Yonhap News Agency reported, quoting the sports ministry.

East Turkistan National Movement reaffirms region's quest for independence amid China's repression

The East Turkistan National Movement (ETNM) declared that China's severe repression of Uyghurs in East Turkistan will not deter the region's quest for independence.

On the contrary, ETNM said that Beijing's harsh policies of colonization and suppression are only fortifying the resolve of the East Turkistani people.

The ETNM on social media platform X, asserted, "China's ruthless Uyghur genocide in occupied East Turkistan will fail to prevent East Turkistan's independence. Instead, China's brutal campaign of colonization, genocide, and occupation only fuels the unwavering determination and resilience of the East Turkistani people, strengthening their resolve to reclaim their independence and liberty. East Turkistan will rise again! Independence is inevitable!"

The East Turkistan National Movement (ETNM), is a non-profit organization dedicated to human rights and political advocacy. It was established in Washington DC in June 2017 by Salih Hidayar, a Uyghur American consultant and graduate student. East Turkistan is a name used historically, and by

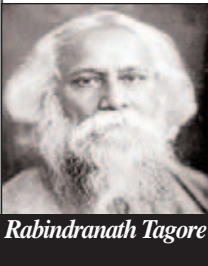


many advocacy groups to refer to the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region (XUAR). Reports on human rights violations in Xinjiang highlight a range of severe abuses against Uyghur Muslims and other minority groups. According to investigations by human rights organizations and international media, over one million Uyghurs have been detained in so-called "re-education camps" or "vocational training centres" that the Chinese government describes as measures to combat extremism. Cultural and religious repression is evident through the destruction of Uyghur mosques and cemeteries, as well as restrictions on religious practices.

POEM

Parting Words

When I go from hence let this be my parting word, that what I have seen is unsurpassable. I have tasted of the hidden honey of this lotus that expands on the ocean of light, and thus am I blessed ---let this be my parting word. In this playhouse of infinite forms I have had my play and here have I caught sight of him that is formless. My whole body and my limbs have thrilled with his touch who is beyond touch; and if the end comes here, let it come ---let this be my parting word.



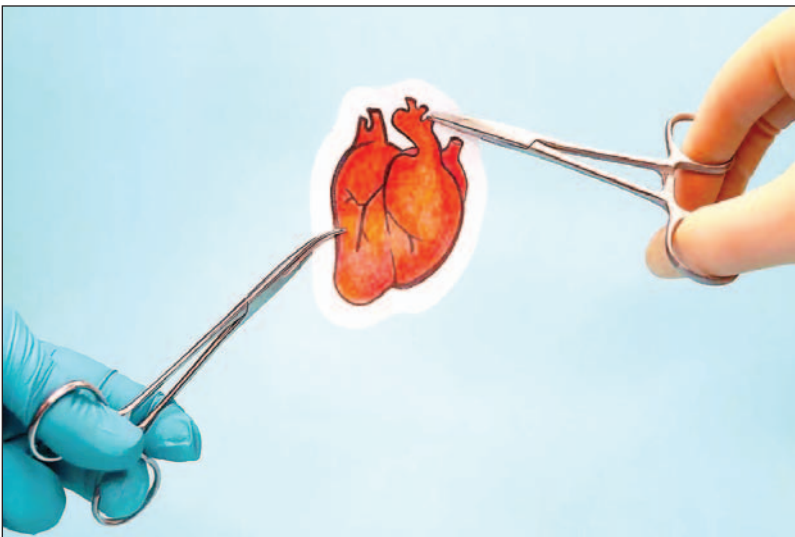
Rabindranath Tagore

Study finds how artificial blood vessels improve heart bypass outcomes

The treatment of cardiovascular disorders may be revolutionized by 3D-printed blood arteries, which closely resemble human veins in their characteristics.

Experts state that strong, flexible, gel-like tubes made with a new 3D printing technology could replace artificial and human veins used in heart-bypass">heart bypass surgery to redirect blood flow, potentially improving results for patients.

The development of synthetic vessels could help limit scarring, pain and infection risk associated with the removal of human veins in bypass operations of which some 20,000 are carried



out in England each year. The products could also help allevi-

ate the failure of small synthetic grafts, which can be hard to in-

tegrate into the body.

In a two-stage process, a team of researchers led by the University of Edinburgh's School of Engineering used a rotating spindle integrated into a 3D printer to print tubular grafts made from a water-based gel.

They subsequently reinforced the printed graft in a process known as electrospinning, which uses high voltage to draw out very thin nanofibers, coating the artificial blood vessel in biodegradable polyester molecules.

Tests showed the resulting products to be as strong as natural blood vessels.

The 3D graft can be made in thicknesses from 1 to 40 mm in diameter, for a range of applications, and its flexibility means that it could easily be integrated into the human body, the team says.

The next stage of the study will involve researching the use of the blood vessels in animals, in collaboration with the University of Edinburgh's Roslin Institute, followed by trials in humans. The research, published in Advanced Materials Technologies, was carried out in collaboration with Heriot-Watt University. Dr Faraz Fazal, of the University of Edinburgh's School of Engineering and lead

author, said: "Our hybrid technique opens up new and exciting possibilities for the fabrication of tubular constructs in tissue engineering."

Dr Norbert Radacsi, of the University of Edinburgh's School of Engineering and principal investigator, said: "The results from our research address a long-standing challenge in the field of vascular tissue engineering - to produce a conduit that has similar biomechanical properties to that of human veins."

"With continued support and collaboration, the vision of improved treatment options for patients with cardiovascular disease could become a reality."

Kotak Mahindra Bank Appoints SK Honnesh as Group General Counsel

CHANDIGARH:Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd. ("KMBL" / "Bank") today announced the appointment of SK Honnesh as Group General Counsel. With over 25 years of distinguished experience in Legal and Compliance, Honnesh brings valuable expertise to the role. As Group General Counsel, he will oversee Legal, Secretarial, and Compliance functions across the Kotak Group.Honnesh joins Kotak from Piramal Enterprises Limited, where he served as Group General Counsel for nearly 12 years. Prior to this, he held the position of Vice President – Legal at Reliance Industries Limited.

TKM Honoured with Prestigious EEPC Export Excellence Awards

CHANDIGARH: Toyota Kirloskar Motor (TKM) has been recognized for its outstanding export performance with two prestigious awards at the EEPC India (Engineering Export Promotion Council of India) Southern Region Export Award ceremony held recently. TKM was presented with the 'Engines and Turbines & Parts Thereof' - Large Enterprise' award for 2019-20 and the 'Gold Trophy' for Top Exporters under the Merchant Exporter category for achieving Export Excellence in Engineering products in 2020-21.

Turkish Airlines Showcases its New Luxurious Crystal Business Class Suite

CHANDIGARH: Turkish Airlines, the airline that flies to more countries than any other, has revealed the details of its brand-new state-of-the-art Business Class suite at the Farnborough International Airshow 2024 in Hampshire, UK. The new Crystal Business Class suite marks a new era for luxury air travel for business passengers and is the first from Turkish Airlines to feature an adjustable suite door and privacy panel for enhanced in-flight privacy.

Here's how customers can enjoy unlimited 5G data on Airtel

For customers who are missing out on unlimited 5G benefits, Airtel has launched new booster packs, allowing users with 1GB/day and 1.5GB/day plans to upgrade to unlimited 5G. These affordable upgrades can be activated on existing data packs to enable customers to enjoy unlimited 5G data benefits. The upgrade plans also offer additional 3GB, 6GB, and 9GB data on top of the Unlimited 5G data benefit to customers at INR 51, INR 101, and INR 151 for the rest of their current plan validity.

Spreading awareness on water-borne hepatitis need of the hour: Dr Sahni

Mohali: Screening and early detection are the only ways to tackle hepatitis, also known as the silent killer. The disease can cause chronic liver damage, without symptoms, until it reaches the terminal illness stage in the form of liver cancer or liver cirrhosis. While the various forms of Hepatitis are A, B, C, D and E, vaccination is available for Hepatitis A and B. To raise awareness on hepatitis and its related complications, World Hepatitis Day is observed on July 28 every year. The theme of World Hepatitis Day-2024 is "It's time for action". To commemorate World Hepatitis Day, an informative session was organised at Fortis Hospital here today. The session was headed by Dr Arvind Sahni, Director Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Fortis Hospital, Mohali.

While speaking on the occasion, Dr Sahni, said, "Cases of Hepatitis A and E are quite common during the monsoon season and are transmitted by contaminated water and food. Both the viruses are transmitted through the fecal oral route, which happens when an uninfected person ingests water or food that has been contaminated with fecal matter of an infected person. On the other hand, Hepatitis B and C are blood-borne viruses which are spread through contaminated blood, blood products, contaminated needles, syringes etc." Dr Sahni further said, "The exact prevalence of Hepatitis A and E is difficult to estimate. The case fatality rate of hepatitis A is age related with an approximately death rate of 0.3% which increases almost 5 times beyond the age of 50 years. Hepatitis E has a very high mortality in pregnancy which is 15-25%." Stating that spreading general awareness about hepatitis was the need of the hour, Dr Sahni, added, "General awareness about sanitation, boiling of water, avoidance of eating cut and open food items, elimination of open defecation and managing municipal solid waste via modern techniques are some of the measures to help and control the spread of hepatitis A and E."

Protecting Against Water-borne Diseases: Monsoon Challenges and Prevention Efforts

Ludhiana- With the changing climate and onset of monsoon, health experts are warning of an anticipated surge in waterborne diseases, urging the public to prioritize clean water consumption and thoroughly washed fruits and vegetables. Waterborne diseases are illnesses caused by pathogens such as bacteria, viruses, and parasites that are transmitted through contaminated water. These diseases can affect people who consume or come into contact with water contaminated by human or animal feces containing the pathogens. Emphasizing the severity of the condition Dr. Sanjeev Gupta Senior Pediatrician and Vaccine expert, Ludhiana, states, "The incidence of viral hepatitis, particularly Hepatitis A, is becoming increasingly frequent, stemming from contaminated water, fruits, vegetables, and inadequate hand hygiene practices. While 95% of cases are self-limiting and resolve within two to four weeks, complications can arise in 5% of patients, with 1 to 2% facing potential liver failure.[1] Even though this percentage seems small, severe cases can lead to significant mortality rates."

Vishwajit Singh become the first centurion of Allengers Gully Cricket Tournament

Chandigarh, Vishwajeet Singh scored the first century of the Second edition of the Allengers Gully Cricket tournament being organised by the UT Cricket Association and Chandigarh Police. In the match played between Team No. 102 and Team 101 at GMSSS Sector 37, Vishwajit Singh remained unbeaten at 120. Batting first, Team No. 102 scored 270 runs for the loss of one wicket in the stipulated ten overs. Vishwajit smashed 11 boundaries and 11 sixes in just 32 balls. Kristina Dhiman (70) and Piyush Verma (49) supported him decently. In reply, the opposition team managed to gather 397.

3 foods you must eat and avoid during the monsoon season

The onset of the monsoon season brings much-awaited relief from the scorching summer heat but also raises significant health concerns. Due to weather changes and constant rains, people often experience various health issues such as dengue, typhoid, gastrointestinal infections, respiratory problems, and skin issues. The monsoon can also affect immunity, underscoring the importance of maintaining a balanced and nutritious diet. Dr. Rohini Patil, MBBS and nutritionist, advises incorporating nutrient-rich foods like almonds, fresh fruits, and seasonal vegetables into daily meals. She highlights that these foods are packed with essential nutrients that not only boost energy but also strengthen immunity.

In this article, Dr. Patil shares foods to eat and avoid during the monsoon season. Take a look.

WHAT TO EAT? Almonds: Incorporating small changes in your life can make a major difference. For instance, consuming a handful of almonds daily and working out regularly can help maintain a healthy lifestyle



and overall well-being. Almonds may appear to be tiny, but they are rich in 15 essential nutrients like copper, zinc, folate, and iron, which contribute to maintaining and boosting immunity. A strong immunity helps fight infections and other illnesses that usually occur during the monsoon season. Additionally, almonds keep you energetic, making them a

perfect addition during lethargic rainy days. Dr. Rohini Patil recommends incorporating almonds into your everyday diet for a healthier and happier body.

Fresh fruits: Fresh fruits like apples, pomegranates, berries, and bananas are high in vitamins and antioxidants that help strengthen immunity and aid digestion. They are rich in

vitamin C and fiber, promoting healthy digestion, preventing constipation, and reducing the risk of infections. Adding finely chopped almonds to these fruits or consuming them as snacks can make a healthy difference in our lives. Almonds are a rich source of protein, which not only provides energy but also contributes to the growth and maintenance of

muscle mass.

Vegetable soup and herbal tea: With changing weather, it's important to keep your body relaxed and warm. Vegetable soup is easy to digest, helps keep the body warm, boosts immunity, and provides essential hydration. Additionally, ginger, tulsi, and lemongrass teas are beneficial for their anti-inflammatory properties

and can help prevent infections. A hot bowl of soup or herbal tea can soothe a sore throat and alleviate symptoms of the common cold, thanks to their natural antibacterial and antiviral properties.

WHAT TO AVOID? Junk food: During the monsoon season, it's essential to steer clear of unhygienic street food and heavy, oily dishes as they can worsen digestive discomfort and raise the likelihood of foodborne and waterborne illnesses. Fried foods, especially when prepared in stale oil, can lead to bloating, indigestion, and increase the risk of food poisoning. Opting for freshly prepared meals is advisable to prevent stomach infections, promote better digestion, and enhance overall well-being during this seasonal transition.

Stale or Leftover Food: During the monsoon season, leftover food can rapidly become a breeding ground for bacteria, leading to food poisoning. To prevent this, avoid consuming stale food and always store leftovers in airtight containers in the refrigerator. Additionally,

consume refrigerated leftovers within a day or two to ensure their safety and freshness.

Leafy and raw vegetables: During the monsoon season, it's important to exercise caution when consuming certain leafy and raw vegetables due to the heightened risk of contamination and bacterial growth in humid conditions. Vegetables such as spinach, cabbage, and lettuce, often eaten raw or lightly cooked, should be avoided unless they are thoroughly washed and cleaned to remove potential harmful bacteria. It's safer to choose vegetables that are thoroughly cooked and sourced from clean and trusted sources to minimize the risk of foodborne illnesses during this time.

Incorporating these dietary tips during changing weather can enhance overall health and protect the body from common seasonal ailments such as colds, coughs, and digestive issues, which are more common in humid and unpredictable weather.

Congress and BJP both are anti-constitution: Kanta



Chandigarh: Mission Ekta Party's National President Kanta Allaria and Global Republican Party's National President and Baba Saheb Bhimrao Ambedkar's grandson Bhimrao Yashwant Ambedkar, Kanta Allaria's residence in Rohtak, alleged that even after 77 years of independence of the country, the Congress and BJP governments have not implemented the Constitution made by Baba Saheb. Both the leaders alleged that Rahul Gandhi claims to be a Dalit-friendly person by holding the Constitution in his hand, but when there was a Congress government in Haryana, the Constitution maker was insulted on the orders of the Congress Chief Minister, and his father Ranbir

Hooda was glorified. Dalits were lathi-charged for protesting and were put in jails in the dark of night. With what fate is Deepender Hooda talking about saving the Constitution today? Bhupendra Hooda and Congress are the most anti-Dalit and anti-Constitution. Also, with the instigation of former BJP minister Manish Grover, Baba Saheb's statue was broken in Rohtak Park and the hand that wrote the Constitution was thrown in the drain. BJP has always been anti-Dalit and anti-Constitution, due to which no action has been taken against those who broke Baba Saheb's statue till date. Both parties use Dalits and the Constitution in their elections; both parties are staunch opponents of Dalits.

Honour for RBU Vice-Chancellor

Mohali: Dr Parvinder Singh, Vice-Chancellor of Rayat Bahra University, has been honored by the advisory board of the National Scientists grandson Table Conference (NSRTC) in recognition of his outstanding contributions to science and engineering and his scientific acumen.

The advisory board members at the Dr Vishwanath Karad MIT World Peace University, Pune, presented a citation of honor in acknowledgment of his life-long dedication and contributions to advancing research and the developmental goals of the nation.

Dr Vijay P Bhatkar, Founder Director of the NSRTC, said throughout his illustrious career, Dr Singh had made significant strides in the fields of education management and research, earning numerous accolades for his impactful work. Your pensive research has been widely disseminated through publications in prestigious international journals and presentations at major conferences, influencing both academic and national development.



The citation reads "Currently serving as Vice-Chancellor at Rayat Bahra University, you have played a pivotal role shaping the academic landscape and guiding the next generation of scientists and educators. Your steadfast commitment to expanding knowledge frontiers and fostering innovation has left an indelible academic community and contributed significantly to the broader national educational agenda on the academic community."

Varinder Brar drops a soul-stirring heartbreak song Kyu

When love goes wrong, and the heartbreak is real, Varinder Brar knows how to channel that pain into music. "Kyu" is a ballad that hits hard and cuts deep into an emotional rollercoaster through the raw and unfiltered feelings of betrayal and lost love.

If you've ever been ghosted, cheated on, or left questioning everything, "Kyu" is the anthem you didn't know you needed. "Kyu," is a poignant exploration of love turned sour, capturing the universal pain of broken hearts everywhere. The song's raw emotion and haunting melody will stay with you long after the last note fades. "Kyu dives into the raw, unfiltered

emotions of heartbreak and betrayal. This song differs from anything I've done before because it doesn't just tell a story, it relives an experience many of us have faced. The vibe is intensely emotional, and I wanted every note and every word

to resonate with the listener's journey through love and loss. I hope it offers a sense of understanding and solace to anyone who's ever felt the sting of betrayal" says Varinder Brar. Varinder Brar is a powerhouse in the music scene, known for his commanding vocals and compelling rhymes. His music is a testament to his journey and growth, blending powerful storytelling with infectious beats, making him an artist to watch in the Punjabi music industry.



Lenovo Xiaoxin Pad Pro 12.7 With Dimensity 8300 SoC Launched Alongside 'Comfort Edition' Variant

Lenovo Xiaoxin Pad Pro 12.7 was launched in China on Saturday. The tablet is equipped with a 12.7-inch display with a 144Hz refresh rate. It is powered by a MediaTek Dimensity 8300 chipset and is available with up to 12GB of RAM and up to 256GB of built-in storage. The tablet runs on Android 14 and packs a 10,200mAh battery that can be charged at 45W. It is also available in a 'Comfort Edition' variant that offers a smoother, paper-like texture on the display and low-latency stylus support. Lenovo Xiaoxin Pad Pro 12.7 price in China starts at CNY 2,099 (roughly Rs. 24,200) for the base model with 8GB of RAM and 128GB of storage, while the 8GB+256GB and 12GB+256GB variants are priced at CNY 2,199 (roughly Rs. 25,400) and 2,499 (roughly Rs. 28,900), respectively. Meanwhile, the Xiaoxin Pad Pro 12.7 'Comfort Edition' is available in two variants — 8GB+128GB, priced at CNY 2,399 (roughly Rs. 27,700), and 8GB+256GB which costs CNY 2,599 (roughly Rs. 30,000). Lenovo hasn't unveiled a 12GB RAM configuration for this variant. Both versions of the Lenovo Xiaoxin Pad Pro 12.7 are available for purchase via the company's website and via JD.com. There's no word from the company on whether the tablet will be introduced in markets outside of China.

Successful Treatment of Advanced Cervical Cancer at American Oncology Institute (AOI) in Hisar Using Cutting-Edge Technology

Hisar : American Oncology Institute (AOI) in Hisar has successfully treated a advanced case of carcinoma of cervix. The patient was diagnosed with cervical cancer invading the lower uterine segment and the upper third of the vagina with para-aortic lymphadenopathy stage IIIC2, she received comprehensive cancer care under the expertise of Dr Mohal Lal and the dedicated oncology team at AOI Hisar.



The treatment plan involved concurrent chemoradiation with advanced radiotherapy technique Image-Guided Radiation Therapy (IGRT) and chemotherapy. She received radiation with simultaneous integrated boost (SIB) technique, combined with five cycles of weekly chemotherapy followed

by four sessions of intra cavitary brachytherapy (ICBT), ensuring precise targeting of the tumor while sparing healthy tissue.

Dr Mohal Lal, Radiation Oncologist, AOI Hisar, stated, "Our approach to this case involved advanced Image-Guided Radiation Therapy (IGRT) combined with chemotherapy. IGR allows us to target the tumor with remarkable precision, adjusting the radiation dose in real-time to account for any movements. We used a simultaneous integrated boost (SIB) to deliver a higher radiation dose directly to the tumor while sparing surrounding healthy tissue. This was paired with five cycles of chemotherapy to enhance the effectiveness of the treatment. Following this, the

patient underwent four sessions of brachytherapy, which involves placing a radioactive source directly into the tumor with computer-based treatment planning system. This comprehensive treatment course ensures maximum impact on the cancer cells while minimizing side effects to surrounding structures, significantly improving the patient's prognosis and quality of life."

Dr Amit Dhawan, RCOG, AO Hisar, commented, "The successful treatment of this patient underscores our commitment to use the latest technology and comprehensive treatment plans to fight cancer. Our team at AOI Hisar is dedicated to delivering personalized care that meets the highest standards of clinical excellence. We are proud to offer such advanced treatment options to our community."

IDFC FIRST Bank Q1 FY 25 PAT at Rs. 681 crores, Core Operating Profit up 30.2% YoY

Chandigarh : The Board of Directors of IDFC FIRST Bank, in its meeting held today, approved the unaudited financial results for the quarter ended June 30, 2024. Total Deposits of the Bank increased by 35.8% YOY from Rs. 1,54,427 crore as of June 30, 2023 to Rs. 2,09,666 crore as of June 30, 2024. Customer Deposits increased by 37.8% YOY from Rs. 1,48,474 crore as of June 30, 2023 to Rs. 2,04,572 crore as of June 30, 2024. CASA Deposits grew by 36.1% YOY from Rs. 71,765 crore as of June 30, 2023 to Rs. 97,692 crore as of June 30, 2024. CASA Ratio stood at 46.6% as of June 30, 2024. Retail Deposits grew by 43.5% YOY from Rs. 1,14,272 crore as of June 30, 2023 to Rs. 1,64,001 crore as of June 30, 2024. Retail Deposits constitutes 80.2% of total customer deposits as of June 30,

2024. Legacy High Cost Borrowings reduced from Rs. 16,055 crore as of June 30, 2023 to Rs. 10,084 crore as of June 30, 2024. The Bank opened 11 new branches during Q1 FY25 to reach branch count of 955 by June 30, 2024. Loans and Advances (including credit substitutes) increased by 22.0% YOY from Rs. 1,71,578 crore as of June 30, 2023 to Rs. 2,09,361 crore as of June 30, 2024. The Bank continues to wind down infrastructure financing as per the stated strategy and now constitutes only 1.3% of total funded assets as of June 30, 2024. Exposure to top 20 single borrowers improved from 7.0% as of June 30, 2023 to 5.4% as of June 30, 2024. Credit to Deposit Ratio improved from 107.3% as of June 30, 2023 to 98.1% as of June 30, 2024. Incremental Credit to Deposit ratio between

Ola Electric to Launch IPO on August 2, Valuation Said to Be at Around \$4.4 Billion

SoftBank-backed Ola Electric's IPO will open for retail subscription on Aug. 2, the Indian electric scooter maker said on Saturday, a stock offering that according to two sources will value the company between \$4.2 billion to \$4.4 billion. The issue, which will open for institutional investors a day earlier on Thursday, will close for retail subscriptions on Aug. 6, the final IPO prospectus filing showed. Ola founder Bhavish Aggarwal will offer 37.9 million shares in the IPO, around 20% lower than estimated in the draft IPO prospectus. Ola's expected valuation is about 18.5% to 22% lower than in its last funding round in September, which was led by Singapore's investment firm Temasek and valued the country's largest e-scooter maker at \$5.4 billion. "Some marquee investors are being offered the IPO at the lower end of the \$4.2 billion-\$4.4 billion valuation," said one of the sources with direct knowledge of IPO planning. Ola is planning the IPO at a lower valuation to ensure higher participation from investors bidding for the IPO shares, the two sources said. Ola Electric's IPO, a first for an Indian EV maker, is also one of India's biggest in a year where the country's equities markets have scaled multiple record highs and also overtaken Hong Kong to become the world's fourth-largest bourse.

Satish Kumar Arora is the new TiE Chandigarh President

Chandigarh: The 21st Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) of TiE Chandigarh was held at Hyatt Regency, Chandigarh. Satish Kumar Arora (Co-Founder, AppSmartz) was announced as the new President of TiE Chandigarh. The event was attended by 250+ entrepreneurs including 70+ women entrepreneurs.

The AGM was followed by the Chapter Awards and a Networking Dinner. An engaging session featuring Kapish Mehra (Managing Director, Rupa Publications) with moderator Manraj Grewal (Resident Editor, The Indian Express Chandigarh) gave insight into the publishing world and demand for new-age content formats. Mr. Rakesh Verma (Director, STPI Mohali) along with 8 past Presidents of TiE Chandigarh gave away the awards during



the Annual Awards ceremony. The Indus Entrepreneurs (TiE) is a not-for-profit global body founded in 1992 in Silicon Valley by a group of successful entrepreneurs, corporate executives, and senior professionals with roots in the Indus region. TiE Chandigarh is the sole chapter beyond Delhi NCR, with strong roots in Chandigarh, Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, and Jammu & Kashmir.

TiE Chandigarh is a Not-for-Profit organization run by Entrepreneurs for budding entrepreneurs & startups. It is

the only organization in the region fostering entrepreneurship across industries. It runs various programs for School students and Universities across the region. Recently, a 6th-class student of a school from Ludhiana presented TiE Chandigarh at the TYE Global event in Hyderabad.

Puneet Verma (Founder, Cybrain Software Solutions) TiE Chandigarh Treasurer and Joint Secretary read out TiE Chandigarh's financial report highlighting the increase in income during the last year.

CA body ICAI organized Seminar on Union Budget

Chandigarh, The country's apex CA body- The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) organized a 'Seminar on Union Budget' aligned with Union Budget presented by Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman wherein nearly 250 CAs of tricity benefited from the session. The seminar was aimed to appraise CAs fraternity about the budget-related provisions to be implemented from the upcoming financial year so that they can further appraise their customers about its complexities. Additional Commissioner, GST Jai Shankar Upadhyay (IRS) as the chief guest while New Delhi-based ICAI's National Vice President CA Charanjot Singh Nanda graced the occasion as the keynote speaker. CA Abhishek Singh Chauhan, Chairman of ICAI Chandigarh Branch, in his welcome address emphasized that while



ICAI welcomes the budget, on the other hand, it also understands its responsibility to help the general public understand the complexities of the budget and the taxation related to it in a simple manner. The role of a CAs is vital in domestic, institutional, big corporate houses and any financial matters and these professionals have an understanding of the revised taxation proposed in the budget and have the ability to disseminate these

complexities to others in a simple manner. CA Nanda expressed his views on the impact of the budget on the stock market, CA SK Aggarwal on search and seizure closure matters, CA Hans Raj Chugh on import and export, CA Raj Chawla on small industries and CA Girish Ahuja on income tax. CA Atul Kumar Gupta, CA Avinash Gupta, CA Prateek Bindal, CA Mastan Singh Chambhalyal and CA Pramod Vats also expressed their viewpoints in the related subjects.

Single-Shot Vaccine: Vital in Managing Hepatitis A Outbreaks Effectively

Amritsar-- Hepatitis A, a global health challenge, affects more than 300 million individuals annually, leading to over 1 million deaths worldwide. This viral liver disease, characterized by sporadic outbreaks across the globe, is primarily spread through ingesting contaminated food or water, particularly in environments lacking proper sanitation. The monsoon season exacerbates this risk, often leading to waterborne outbreaks when sewage-contaminated water mixes with drinking water sources. Dr. Kamal Khanna, Pediatrician and Vaccine expert, Amritsar, concerned about the ongoing outbreak, underscores the vulnerability of certain groups. "While Hepatitis A can affect anyone, hostel residents and frequent outdoor diners face elevated risks," Dr. Kamal Khanna states. "Residents in low-lying and poorly sanitized areas are also at heightened risk, necessitating strict adherence to hygiene practices. Simple precautions such as choosing packaged foods, avoiding exposed items, and maintaining thorough handwashing can significantly mitigate infection risks." Vaccination has been a critical strategy in preventing Hepatitis A. The single-shot Hepatitis A vaccine provides robust protection against the virus, and unlike many vaccines that require multiple doses, the one-shot Hepatitis A vaccine is convenient and highly effective. This vaccine works by stimulating the body's immune system to produce antibodies against the virus, providing protection if exposed to HAV. It is recommended that children must receive this vaccine by 12 months of age. For those who miss this window, consulting with a pediatrician for catch-up vaccination is essential to ensure continuous protection.

KARANPREET KARAN BARNAL: Trident Limited, one of the largest vertically integrated Textile (Yarn, Bath & Bed Linen) Paper (Wheat Straw-based) and Chemical manufacturer announced its Earnings for first quarter ended, June (Q1FY25). Financial Highlights for Q1 FY25: Standalone Total



Income for Q1FY25 stood at INR 1749.6 Cr., up by 18.36 % in the corresponding quarter and grew by 2.94 % in the sequential quarter. Standalone Earnings Before Income, Depreciation, Tax, and Amortization (EBIDTA) for the quarter ended Q1FY25 stood at INR 238.5 Cr. compared to INR 228.4 Cr. in the sequential

quarter, Q4FY24; showing a growth of 4.42%. Standalone Net Profit | Profit After Tax (PAT) for the quarter ended Q1FY25 stood at INR73.6 Cr. as compared to INR 64.2 Cr. in Q4FY24; showing a growth of 14.64% sequentially. EPS stood at INR 0.15 in Q1FY25 vs INR 0.13 in Q4FY24.

BJP workers key to winning Haryana again: Kanwar Pal

RAHUL KOHLI JAGADHRI, JULY 28

Agriculture Minister Kanwar Pal emphasized that the strength of the BJP lies in its dedicated workers, who are pivotal in securing a third consecutive term for the BJP government in Haryana. This was highlighted during the BLA 2 training session for Jagadhri and Yamunanagar constituencies, held at the BJP district office in Yamunanagar. The event saw the presence of Agriculture Minister Kanwar Pal, MLA Ghanshyam Das Arora, and District Training In-charge Vishal Seth.

Minister Kanwar Pal urged BJP workers to intensify their efforts in preparation for the upcoming assembly elections, which are fast approaching. He highlighted the crucial role of BLA 2



workers and party officials in ensuring the party's success. He also mentioned the availability of the Voter Helpline Mobile App and the Voter Helpline number 1950 for voter registration. District Training In-charge Vishal Seth guided the BLA 2 workers, emphasizing the importance of booth-level operations in the election campaign. He pointed out that BLA 2 workers are responsible for

new voter registrations and the removal of duplicate or deceased voters from the rolls. He stressed that each BJP worker should aim to add at least 50 new voters per booth to secure a significant lead in the elections.

Seth also informed that all government BLOs would be present at their respective booths on July 28, August 3, and 4. He encouraged those who turned 18 by July 1,

2024, to register to vote, ensuring their participation in the democratic process. Special dates have been set for the preparation of the revised voter list, during which BLOs will be at polling stations to assist with voter registration.

Yamunanagar MLA Ghanshyam Das Arora highlighted the ongoing efforts by the Election Commission to create new voter lists and register new voters. He stressed the role of BLA 2 workers in adding new young voters and removing outdated entries of deceased individuals to prevent fraudulent voting. He called on school and college administrators to encourage students who have turned 18 to register to vote and urged BJP workers to promote the party's policies among the public.

No one can stop India from becoming great and prosperous: Satish Kumar

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, JULY 28

Swadeshi Jagran Manch organised a one-day morning training and discussion in Karnal. On this occasion, representatives from all the districts of Haryana province participated. In its closing session, Satish Kumar, All India Organizer of Swadeshi Jagran Manch and Swabhalvi Bharat Abhiyan, delivered the keynote address on the topic of India prosperous and great in 2047. He said there are eight pillars to make India prosperous and great in 2047. He said that the youth will have to play a special role in this. The youth should become entrepreneurs and job providers. There is no limit to growth in entrepreneurship. He said that intelligence and enthusiasm are necessary for success. Success and failure



should be taken in the same way. He said that no one can stop India from becoming a great power in 2047. Earlier, different topics were discussed in the three sessions organized. This session was inaugurated by state convener Anakeshwar Prasad by lighting the lamp. He garlanded the picture of Bharat Mata. On this occasion, the guests were welcomed and introduced by the officials.

On this occasion, information was given about the proposals made

in the National Council meeting of Swadeshi Jagran Manch held in Lucknow. On this occasion, industrialists Vijay Setia, Gurvakh Manchanda were present as special guests. In this program, state co-convenor Prof. Ranbir Singh said that a worrying proposal regarding the total fertility rate in the educated class was discussed. He said that it is a matter of concern that the fertility rate is decreasing in the educated class.

Van Mahotsav celebrated by organizing artistic competitions in SMS College



JAIBIR RANA THUMBAD

BARARA: In campus of Sant Mohan Singh Khalsa Labana Women's College of the town, under guidance of Principal Dr. Indu Vij and under supervision of National Service Scheme Program Officer Dr. Pooja Bairagi, all students of National Service Scheme were explained need and importance of environmental cleanliness by calling for 'one student one plant' on weekly program of 'Van Mahotsav'. Competitions like slogan writing, poster making, seminar, group discussion and debate were organized on topic of Van Mahotsav. Dr. Daljit Kaur and Dr. Pooja Bairagi played role of jury. According to results of competitions, Preeti, Meenakshi, Kalpana stood first, 2nd and 3rd respectively in slogan writing and Surabhi, Chetna, Vanshika in poster making competition. Volunteers of National Service Scheme and other students participated enthusiastically in Van Mahotsav activities and reiterated their commitment to make campaign a success.

988 constables dedicated to public service after graduation ceremony

SUBHASH SISODIA GHARAUNDA, JULY 28

988 constables have committed themselves to public service by taking the oath of office during the convocation ceremony at the Haryana Police Academy in Madhuban. Haryana Police Director General Shatrugit Kapoor, the chief guest at the event, emphasized the importance of empathy and understanding in police work, noting that the police represent law and order in society.

Kapoor reviewed the parade of Recruit Batch No. 90, expressing that joining the police force is not just a profession but a call to serve with honesty, courage, and compassion. He reminded the new constables that their journey involves bearing the



trust and hopes of the citizens and that their actions would directly impact the public's faith in the Haryana Police. Kapoor also stressed maintaining justice, impartiality, and human dignity as per their oath.

He highlighted the continuous efforts by the government and police headquarters to upgrade the

police force and improve police welfare. This includes approving a 20% training allowance for instructors at all training centers, increasing uniform and ration allowances, tripling the ex-gratia amount for families of martyrs, providing financial assistance to dependent women, and offering ex-gratia jobs to 281 dependents since 2019.

Sunita Kejriwal given warm welcome in Sadhaura

PREETI SAINI

SADHAURA: In Sadhaura, Aam Aadmi Party's Lok Sabha Secretary Ambala gave a grand welcome to Arvind Kejriwal's wife Sunita Kejriwal in the assembly Sadhaura. Aam Aadmi Party supremo Arvind Kejriwal's wife Sunita Kejriwal participated and promised 5 guarantees before the elections in Sadhaura, which included free health, electricity, water, employment and education. She said that after the coming of Aam Aadmi Party in Delhi and Punjab, it has become a role model in India. In this way, we will bring the government in Sadhaura with five guarantees and will develop Sadhaura. In the conference held in Sadhaura grain market today, all the Sadhaura residents came in the jam-packed city in favor of change and the people of Sadhaura are now fed up with the old governments. They want change. This was proved by the loud slogans of Inquilab Zindabad raised by the people of Sadhaura and gave a warm welcome to all the party workers. Today, a blend of secularism was seen in Sadhaura in which people of all religions gave full support.



Formation of Student Council under Investiture Ceremony at St. Lawrence International School, Bilaspur



RAJNI SONI

YAMUNANAGAR: Under the Investiture Ceremony at St. Lawrence International School, Bilaspur, the Student Council was formed in a disciplined manner under the guidance of Chairperson Dr. Rajni Sehgal. First of all, the lamp was lit while worshipping Goddess Saraswati and Lord Ganesha and flowers were offered. Chairperson Dr. Rajni Sehgal and Managing Director Dr. MK Sehgal congratulated all the selected students for their selection by presenting them with badges and sashes. Head boy Prabhdeep welcomed everyone. Vice Principal Shelly Chauhan made the selected students aware of their responsibilities by telling them the rules of the Student Council. The newly elected members of the Student Council chosen by the Principal were given an oath that they will perform their assigned duties with integrity. The selected students assured the school management committee that they will fulfill their responsibilities with full hard work and dedication.

Govt must answer for Smart City scam in Karnal: Tarlochan Singh



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

KARNAL: Congress District Coordinator Trilochan Singh has accused the government of massive corruption under the guise of the Smart City initiative in Karnal. He claimed that over Rs. 1,000 crore has been spent, yet the condition of the city has deteriorated. Singh questioned the government and district administration about where this money has been spent, as there are no satisfactory answers. He alleged a significant scam under the Smart City project.

Singh made these remarks while addressing people at Guru Ravidas Temple in Vakilpura as part of the "Haryana Demands Accountability and Karnal Demands Answers" campaign. He distributed posters listing ten questions directed at the BJP government regarding the Smart City project. Singh criticized the government for failing to take substantial action against crime and corruption in Karnal. He accused the BJP government of allowing criminals and officials to act with impunity and of creating problems for the public without offering any solutions.

Creation of positive thinking in youth with 'Hridya Parivartan' by ADGP OP Singh is proving to be effective



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

FARIDABAD: Today, to deal with the problem of pollution, not only is it necessary to plant as many trees as possible, but we also have to become environment lovers. We need to bring some change in our daily life by ignoring what people will say and think. These words were said by Dr. Ashok Kumar Verma, Deputy Inspector of Haryana State Narcotics Control Bureau. He was roaming on a bicycle on the roads of Faridabad today. Dr. Ashok Kumar Verma, Awareness Program and Rehabilitation Incharge/Police Deputy Inspector of Haryana State Narcotics Control Bureau, rides a bicycle for the drug-free campaign, different from the crowd in various districts of Haryana. People praise him after seeing him and many people have also decided to ride a bicycle after taking inspiration from him. Dr. Ashok Kumar Verma, in-charge of awareness programme and rehabilitation of Haryana State Narcotics Control Bureau, who works day and night against drug abuse, was specially invited to St. Anthony Secondary School, Faridabad for a lecture against drug abuse.

Maharaj Shri Daksha Prajapati birth anniversary celebrated



JAGBIR UPLANA

KARNAL: Maharaj Shri Daksha Prajapati birth anniversary was celebrated with great pomp at Prajapati Chaupal located in Vikas Colony. In which dignitaries from all over the state as well as people of the society participated. District Council Member Representative Surendra Udana participated as the chief guest in the birth anniversary celebration. People from all over the state welcomed Surendra Udana with flowers and garlands. The programme was presided over by PWD SDO Dharmveer Arya. Prajapati Chaupal Karnal's Pradhan Ramkumar, Secretary Mahendra Kumar Saroha and BJP leader Paleram Dhanakar also participated. People who reached the programme bowed to the statue of King Daksha Prajapati and worshipped Daksha Prajapati with due rituals. Addressing the Daksh Prajapati Jayanti function, senior BJP leader and Zila Parishad member representative Surendra Udana said that the people of the society need to unite.

Subhash Chandra listens to PM's 'Mann Ki Baat' with villagers at Taraori Booth



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

TARAORI: Today, in the Taraori Mandal of Nilokheri constituency, Swachh Bharat Mission Haryana's Executive Vice Chairman Subhash Chandra listened to Prime Minister Narendra Modi's 'Mann Ki Baat' along with villagers at Booth No. 168. The event saw participation from children to elders who gathered to hear the Prime Minister's inspiring thoughts and guidance. Following the broadcast, Subhash Chandra addressed the villagers, emphasizing that Prime Minister Modi speaks about advancing India through politics and diplomacy. He encouraged everyone to support and align with these efforts. Chandra noted that the Prime Minister consistently raises social and public interest issues, which serve as a source of inspiration for all, boosting morale and sharing valuable experiences for the country's development. Chandra highlighted the enthusiasm among the public and BJP workers for this program. He mentioned that today's session provided significant insights into the activities and contributions of individuals dedicated to nation-building. Additionally, Prime Minister Modi appreciated those working on environmental initiatives.

Sohil Sadhaura joins Bhim Army, Azad Samaj Party with large support



PRITI SAINI

SADHAURA: On Sunday, a significant joining event was organized by the Azad Samaj Party Haryana at a private restaurant in Sadhaura. Sohil Sadhaura, accompanied by hundreds of his supporters from various religions and castes, joined the Bhim Army and Azad Samaj Party.

The event was graced by Azad Samaj Party's state in-charge Himanshu Valmiki, state president Kamal Kumar, district president Pradeep Gautam, Ankit, Sandeep Marwa, and other officials. Supporters assured the leaders of their unwavering support in amplifying the community's voice. Sohil Sadhaura emphasized his commitment to strengthening the hands of Member of Parliament Chandrashekar Azad. He criticized the ruling authorities for neglecting the needs of the poor, laborers, farmers, women, and students, stating that peaceful demands for rights are often met with police brutality. Sohil pledged to be the voice for laborers and farmers, addressing the issues of the Sadhaura constituency, which has been consistently ignored by the government in terms of health and education. He assured that his team would continue to raise these issues with dedication.

BVP workshop held



KAPIL ARORA

SHAHABAD MARKANDA: A workshop for the Kurukshetra and Yamunanagar districts of Bharat Vikas Parishad was organized by the Shahabad branch at a private hotel. The event was conducted by Secretary Avshish Sharma and commenced with the lighting of a lamp in front of Bharat Mata and Swami Vivekananda. The workshop was presided over by Dheeraj Bhatia, President of Haryana North Province.

During the workshop, various activities organized by Bharat Vikas Parishad were discussed. Regional Joint Secretary Dr. Paramjit Pahwa, Regional Secretary Deepak Rai Anand, Provincial General Secretary Kapil Gupta, and Provincial Finance Secretary Manish Malik shared their thoughts on the occasion. Yamunanagar District Coordinator Sandeep Paruthi and Kurukshetra District Co-Coordinator Anil Arora provided details about the participation of all branches within their districts. Provincial Organization Secretary Suresh Sharma discussed branch expansion and programs related to students, including the "Know India" initiative, Guru Tegh Bahadur Martyrdom Day program, and group singing competitions.

Plantation drive by Rotary Club on 41st foundation day



RAHUL KOHLI

JAGADHRI: On the 41st foundation day of Rotary Club Radaur, a plantation drive was conducted in Maharana Pratap Park of the city on Sunday. In the campaign conducted under the supervision of the club's founder head Pandit Gyanprakash Sharma, the club planted 20 saplings in the park and gave the message to everyone to keep the environment green. On this occasion, on behalf of the club, head Nirmal Singh and secretary Master Devidayal Arora honored the 3 oldest members of the club, Pandit Gyanprakash Sharma, Dr. Ashok Miglani and Dr. SC Saini by presenting them mementoes. All the three honored members have been working for the club for the last 40 years. On this occasion, founder member Pandit Gyanprakash Sharma said that the Rotary Club was formed in Radaur on 28 July 1984. Since then the club has been continuously working for the welfare of humanity in the city and the region. On this occasion Pandit Gyanprakash Sharma, Pradhan Nirmal Singh, Secretary Master Devidayal Arora, Dr. SC Saini, Dr. Ashok Miglani, Mohanlal Arora, Sachin Puruthi, Sunil Matia, Dari Manchanda, Rajiv Arya Sunny, Karma Chanani, Malkhan Singh Sadhura, Sandeep Saini, Master Gurcharan Singh etc were present.

Rower Balraj Panwar qualifies for quarter-finals in men's rowing

Paris : Rower Balraj Panwar pulled off a clinical performance to qualify for the quarter-finals in men's rowing at the Paris Olympics on Sunday. India's sole representative in the event, Balraj, finished second in the repechages of men's single sculls by clocking 7:12.41s. Balraj, who hails from Haryana, got off to a quick start and led in the beginning stages of the event. At the halfway mark, Balraj continued to give Monaco's rower Quentin a tough time. With the final 200m left, the race continued to heat up, with Balraj and Quentin overtaking each other for the top finish. Monaco's rower eventually overtook Balraj and finished at the top with a timing of 7:10.00s. Indonesian rower La Memo settled for the third spot by clocking 7:19.60s. On the opening day, Balraj had the opportunity to secure his spot in the quarter-finals however, he got off to a shaky start in his Olympic campaign. In the first heat race of the men's single sculls, Balraj clocked 7:07:11s to finish in the fourth spot out of six competitors in his heat. Only three players from each heat race could make it to the quarterfinals directly. In heat one, New Zealand's Thomas Mackintosh finished in the number one spot with timings of 6:55.92s. Greece rower Stefanos Niouskos earned second place with a time of 7:01.79s.

Paris Olympics: India's women's archery team faces disappointment in quarterfinals

Paris: India's women archery team faced a disappointing defeat at the hands of the Netherlands in the quarterfinals of the Paris Olympics. The Dutch team proved too strong for the Indian trio, winning the match with a decisive 6-0 scoreline. The Indian team, consisting of Anika Bhakat, Bhajan Kaur, and Deepika Kumari, struggled to find their rhythm throughout the match. While Bhajan Kaur showed glimpses of brilliance, her teammates Anika Bhakat and Deepika Kumari struggled to maintain consistency. This defeat is a significant setback for the Indian archers, who had high hopes of medalling at the Olympics. The loss was particularly disheartening given the expectations placed on the team to deliver strong results on this prestigious stage. However, the team will now redirect their focus to the individual events, with Deepika Kumari in particular looking to make a strong impact. Despite the disappointment, the Indian archers have an opportunity to learn from their mistakes and come back stronger in future competitions. The Olympics is a highly competitive stage, and the Indian team will need to elevate their game to match the world's best. The ability to bounce back from such setbacks is crucial for athletes at this level, and the Indian team will be keen to showcase their resilience and determination in the individual events.

India's table tennis veteran Sharath Kamal falls to Slovenia's Deni Kozul

Paris: India's table tennis veteran Sharath Kamal faced a disappointing defeat against Slovenia's Deni Kozul in the men's singles round of 64 at the 2024 Paris Olympics on Sunday. The match concluded with a score of 2-4, with set scores of 12-10, 9-11, 6-11, 7-11, 11-8, and 10-12. Despite a strong start, Sharath Kamal was unable to maintain his momentum against Kozul's resilient performance, ultimately leading to his exit from the competition. Earlier in the day, India's top-ranked table tennis player, Sreeja Akula, delivered an impressive performance to advance to the round of 32. She secured a decisive 4-0 victory over Sweden's Christina Kallberg. Sreeja, who made history as the first Indian paddler to win a WTT Contender singles title, showcased her dominance with set scores of 11-4, 11-9, 11-7, and 11-8, completing the match in just 30 minutes. Sreeja encountered little difficulty in winning the first set, demonstrating her superior skill and strategy. Her aggressive play and precise shots left Kallberg struggling to keep up, resulting in an easy 11-4 win for the Indian star. However, the second set proved to be more challenging. Kallberg, determined to put up a fight, improved her game, making Sreeja work harder for each point.

Chelsea head coach Maresca pinpoints difference between both teams after enduring 4-1 hammering against Celtic

Netro Dame: Chelsea head coach Enzo Maresca analysed their 4-1 thrashing by Celtic in the pre-season game and believes that "physical conditioning" played a role in their heavy defeat. Chelsea, with almost their full-strength squad, were humbled by Celtic at the Notre Dame Stadium. Despite starting the game brightly by orchestrating three goal-scoring chances, they soon faded as the game progressed. Celtic netted twice before the first-half, with Matt O'Neilley and Kyogo Furuhashi scoring a goal each. Chelsea tried to make a comeback in the second half but found themselves trailing by four goals before the 80th minutes. Celtic scored twice within three minutes to seal their win. Christopher Nkunku scored a late consolation goal for Chelsea to end the game 4-1. After the game, Maresca gave his take on the game and said, as quoted from the club's official website, "The result is always important [but] for sure at this moment, we need to analyse the game in general."

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AGENCY PARIS : With the Paris 2024 Olympics in full swing, India's sporting icon, Neeraj Chopra, has shared his excitement and support for the Indian contingent. In a heartfelt tweet, the javelin star conveyed his anticipation and encouragement for the team. The tweet from the 2021 Olympic gold medalist in javelin read, "It's so exciting to watch Team India in action at Paris 2024. I can't wait to join them soon. Good luck to the entire contingent." Chopra's message reflects the anticipation and unity among Indian athletes and supporters as they prepare to showcase their talent on the global stage.

Neeraj Chopra, who made history by becoming the first Indian to win an Olympic gold in track and field, has been a beacon of inspiration for many aspiring athletes in India. India's participation in athletics at the Paris 2024 Olympics is particularly noteworthy, with a strong lineup of athletes competing in various track and field events. The country's sports authorities have placed a significant emphasis on athletics, investing in comprehensive training and development projects. This strategic focus aims to build on the successes of past games and improve India's medal tally in this discipline. From sprints to long-distance running, and from jumps to throws, Indian athletes are ready to make



their mark and bring pride to the nation. Chopra's anticipation to join the contingent soon suggests that he is not just a spectator but also a participant in the upcoming events. His presence will undoubtedly boost the morale of the Indian team,

which is striving to bring glory to the nation. As the games unfold, the hopes and dreams of over a billion Indians rest on the shoulders of these athletes. Neeraj Chopra's words resonate with the sentiments of millions who are cheering for Team India, hoping for a

memorable and victorious Olympic campaign. The Paris 2024 Olympics promises to be a spectacular event, and with the support of legends like Neeraj Chopra, Team India is poised to make an indelible mark on the international sports arena.

Sri Lanka beat India by 8 wickets to clinch Women's Asia Cup 2024



AGENCY DAMBULLA: Outstanding batting performances from Harshitha Samawickrama and Chamari Athapaththu guided Sri Lanka Women to victory over India Women by eight wickets in the final of the Women's Asia Cup 2024 at the Rangiri Dambulla International Stadium on Sunday. Chasing a total of 166 runs, the hosts didn't get the start they wanted as they lost the wicket of opener Vishni Gunaratne in the second over. She was sent back to the dressing room through a run out when the team score was 7 runs.

Following Gunaratne's dismissal, Harshitha came out in the middle to

bat along with Athapaththu. The Islanders brought up the 50-run mark on the penultimate ball of the seventh over as Athapaththu slammed a boundary on the bowling of the left-arm spinner Radha Yadav. Athapaththu completed her fifty in the 10th over as she hit a boundary on the second last ball of the 10th over on the bowling of right-arm seamer Renuka Thakur.

Sri Lanka lost their second wicket in the 12th over as Athapaththu was sent back to the pavilion as off-spinner Deepti Sharma cled her up. Before going back the right-hand batter scored 61 runs off 43 balls with the help of nine fours and two sixes.

AGENCY NEW DELHI : After Manu Bhaker's historic medal at the Paris Olympics, President Droupadi Murmu congratulated the Indian shooter for 'opening India's medal tally' at the multi-sport event.

The Indian shooter finished third to secure a bronze medal in the final of the Women's Air Pistol event at the Paris Olympics on Sunday.

President Murmu took to her official X handle and said that India is proud of her achievement. The President added that Manu Bhaker's landmark will inspire many sportspersons in the country. "Heartiest congratulations to Manu Bhaker for opening India's medal tally with her bronze medal in the 10 metre air pistol shooting event at the Paris



Olympics. She is the first Indian woman to win an Olympic medal in a shooting competition. India is proud of Manu Bhaker. Her feat is going to inspire many sportspersons, especially women. I wish she scales greater heights of accomplishment in the future," the President of India wrote on X. The 22-year-old became the first Indian woman to win a medal in shooting at the Olympics. Bhaker brought India's first medal in the ongoing

mega event as she won a bronze medal with a score of 221.7. It was a redemption arc for Manu after her pistol malfunctioned at the Tokyo Olympics. She made history by becoming the first Indian woman in 20 years to reach a shooting final in an individual event of the Olympics since Suma Shirur in 2004.

South Korea's Ye Jin clinched the gold medal with an Olympic record of 243.2 points. Her compatriot, Kim Yeji, settled for silver with 241.3 points. On the opening day, Bhaker finished third in the qualification round of Women's 10 Metre Air Pistol to qualify for the final at the ongoing Paris Olympics on Saturday. While Rhythm Sangwan failed to make her place in the final after finishing in 15th place.

Nikhat Zareen advances to women's 50kg pre-quarterfinals



AGENCY PARIS : In a thrilling display of skill and determination, two-time world champion Nikhat Zareen powered her way into the women's 50kg pre-quarterfinals at the Paris Olympics. Zareen faced Germany's Maxi Karina Kloezer in a hard-fought 32-round bout. The 28-year-old Indian boxer emerged victorious with a 5-0 unanimous decision win on Sunday.

Zareen's journey in this Olympic campaign has been nothing short of impressive. The bout was challenging and messy, yet Zareen's experience and tactical prowess saw her through to the next round.

Looking ahead, Zareen is set to face top-seeded Asian Games champion and reigning flyweight world champion Wu Yu of China on Thursday. Meanwhile, in another moment of glory for India, shooter Manu Bhaker secured a bronze medal in the Women's Air Pistol event, marking a historic achievement at the Paris Olympics 2024. Bhaker's performance on Sunday was a testament to her skill and perseverance, as she became the first Indian woman to win a medal in shooting at the Olympics. The 22-year-old shooter finished with a score of 221.7.

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	3. Mrs. Shashi Mathur W/o Mukesh Kumar R/o 1072/23, Gur Mandi, Aggarwal Gal, Sonipat Haryana 131001 India		25-June-2024	Rs. 66,00,000/- (Rs. Sixty Six Lakh Only)

PROPERTY ADDRESS OF SECURED ASSETS:- All Piece & Parcels Of Site Comprising Of Rooms & Open Space, Having Total Area 1132 Sq. Yds. Approx. (i.e. 1k- 17 M=) 0k-14m Being 14/58 Share Of 2k-18m, Now Comprised In Khewat No. 896 Min. Khata No. 1054, Rect No. 36, Killa No. 14/21(2-18) II) 0k-14m-3s Being 14/66 Share Of 2k-18m, Comprised In Khewat No. 896 Min. Khata No. 1054, Rect. No. 36, Killa No. 14/21(2-18) 0k-1m-7s Being 14/68 Share Of 0k-8m, Comprised In Khewat No. 896 Min. Khata No. 1053, Rect. No. 36, Killa No. 14/26(2/0-8), III) 0k-8m-8s(A) 0k-3m-0s Bring 1/14 Share Of 2k-2m, Comprised In Khewat No. 149 Min. Khata No. 175, Rect. No. 36, Killa No. 14/11(2-2)+B) 0k-5m-2s Being 1/11 Share Of 2k-18k, Comprised In Khewat No. 896min, Khata No. 1054, Rect. No. 36, Killa No. 14/21(2-18) +C) 0k-0m-5s Being 1/11 Share Of 0k-8m, Comprised In Khewat No. 896min, Khata No. 1053, Rect. No. 36, Killa No. 14/22(2/0-8), As Per Sale Deed: For The Year 2011-18 Read With Sate No. 13, Situated At Village Lehara, Tehsil & District Sonpat Now In The Vicinity Of Mohan Nagar, Ward No. 14, New Baba Colony, Near Naveen Public School, Sonipat, Which Is Bounded As Under:- East: Property Of Others, West: Gali/Rasta North: Road/Rasta South: Gali/Rasta

2	M/s Kishan Chand Badal Parkash Through Its Proprietor, R/o Shop No-6 Anaj Mandi Ratia, Tehsil- Ratia District Fatehabad, Haryana -125051	2. Mr. Raj Kumar S/o Krishan Chand R/o House No.63, Village Lal Block-1, Tehsil- Ratia District Fatehabad, Haryana -125051	27-06-2024	Rs. 61,98,000/- (Rs. Sixty One Lakh Ninety Eight Thousand Only)
			28-June-2024	Rs. 46,20,231/- (Rs. Forty Six Lakh Twenty Thousand Two Hundred Thirty One Only)

PROPERTY ADDRESS OF SECURED ASSETS:- All Piece & Parcels Of Residential/Commercial Shop/Property Measuring 1250 Sq. Ft (10 Ft X 125 Ft), Bearing Shop No. 2, B. Situated At Anaj Mandi, Ratia, District Fatehabad, Haryana In The Name Of Mrs. Bira Bai W/o Kisan Chand, Vide Original Sale Deed No. 996 Registered On Dated 28-07-2009 From Sub-Registrar Ratia, Boundaries As Per Sale Deed: North - As Per Sale Deed - South - As Per Sale Deed - East - As Per Sale Deed - West - As Per Sale Deed

3	1. Mrs. Simranjeet Kaur W/o Fatesh Singh R/o 1062, Adarsh Nagar Colony Pipli Kurukshetra District- Kurukshetra Haryana 136131 Also At- Mrs. Simranjeet Kaur W/o Fatesh Singh R/o Village Nalvi Shahabad, Near Ravi Dass Mandir District- Kurukshetra Haryana 136135	2. Mr. Fatesh Singh S/o Sh. Balwan Singh, R/o Village Nalvi Shahabad, Near Ravi Dass Mandir District- Kurukshetra Haryana 136135	30-04-2024	Rs. 55,47,541/- (Rs. Fifty Five Lakh Forty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Forty One Only)
			04-July-2024	Rs. 46,40,000/- (Rs. Forty Six Lakh Forty Thousand Only)

Also At- Mrs. Simranjeet Kaur W/o Fatesh Singh R/o House No. 660/10 NA Lucky Colony Shahabad, Majra Mohalla Shahabad District- Kurukshetra Haryana 136135

PROPERTY ADDRESS OF SECURED ASSETS:- All Piece & Parcels Of Site Comprising Residential Property Khewat 124khatauni 129 Kharsa No. 67/8(1/2)-1/2) Of 5/66 Share i.e. 0k-01m-18cm And Khewat 1351 Khatauni No. 67/8(2/1)-1/7) Of 1/11 Share i.e. 0k-01m-03s Total Area 0k-03m, Situated At Village Jhama Shahab H B No. 253, Tehsil Sahababad, District Kurukshetra, In Favour Of Smt. Simranjeet Kaur W/o Fatesh Singh, Vide Reference Regd. Sale Deed No. 3147/1 Dated 28-02-2019, Jamabandi For The Year 2014-15, Mutation No. 19783.22007, Which Is Bounded As Under:- East: 38° Other Owner House Smt. Geeta West: 38° Other Owner House Sh. Bansi Dhirga North: 21° Other Owner House Sh. Jasbir Singh Sandhu South: 21° Street/Gali

4	1. M/s Rohtash Trading Company Through Its Proprietor, R/o Shop No. 23, Anaj Mandi Kharkhoda District Sonipat, Haryana -131402	2. Mr. Rohtash Dahiya S/o Ram Singh R/o Village Rohna Sonipat District Sonipat, Haryana -131402 Also At- Mr. Rohtash Dahiya S/o Randhir Singh R/o Ward No. 7, Partap Colony Kharkhoda District Sonipat, Haryana -131402	27-06-2024	Rs. 32,42,350/- (Rs. Thirty Two Lakh Thirty Five Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Only)
			4-July-2024	Rs. 32,49,000/- (Rs. Thirty Two Lakh Forty Nine Thousand Only)

Sonipat, Haryana-131402 3. Mrs. Naseeb Kaur W/o Rohtash R/o Village Rohna Sonipat District Sonipat, Haryana -131402 Also At- Mrs. Naseeb Kaur W/o Rohtash R/o Ward No. 7, Partap Colony Kharkhoda District Sonipat, Haryana-131402 4. Mr. Vikash Dahiya S/o Rohtash Singh R/o Ward No. 7, Partap Colony Kharkhoda, Sonipat District Sonipat, Haryana -131402

5	1. M/s Shri Ram Trading Company Through Its Proprietor, R/o Shop No. 51, New Grain Market Mohna, Faridabad District -Faridabad Haryana -121004	2. Mr. Ramnath Sharma S/o Zile Singh R/o Gali No. 1, Shiv Mandir Colony Safiyabad Border, Narela North West Delhi, Delhi-110040 3. Mrs. Ompati W/o Ramnath Sharma R/o Gali No. 1, Shiv Mandir Colony Safiyabad Border, Narela North West Delhi, Delhi-110040	30-06-2024	Rs. 1,32,77,380/- (Rs. One Crore Thirty Two Lakh Seventy Seven Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Only)
			5-July-2024	Rs. 1,30,18,205/- (Rs. One Crore Thirty Lakh Eighteen Thousand Two Hundred Five Only)

PROPERTY ADDRESS OF SECURED ASSETS:- All Piece & Parcels Of Equitable Mortgaged Of Industrial Property Address Kharsa No. 28/6/2, Area As Per Deed 04k-07m Situated In Village Safiabad, Pana Paposian District Sonipat Haryana 131001 Area 2158.30 Sqm Ownership Of Mrs. Ompati W/o Ramnath Sharma Through Deed No. 1661 Dated 28-07-2014 And Bring Ciu Memo No. 16933 Dt 07-06-2018, Boundaries As Per Sale Deed: North - Road South - Agri Land Of Others East- Agri Land Of Others West M/s Rv Reddy Const. Company & Others

6	Mr. Gourav Kumar S/o Santosh Kumar, R/o House No. 239/10 Near Hari Mandir Village - Barara District - Ambala Haryana -133201	2. Mrs. Anita Rani W/o Santosh Kumar, R/o House No. 239/10 Near Hari Mandir Village - Barara District - Ambala Haryana -133201	30-01-2024	Rs. 30,32,542/- (Rs. Thirty Lakh Thirty Two Thousand Five Hundred Forty Two Only)
			16-July-2024	Rs. 28,50,000/- (Rs. Twenty Eight Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)

PROPERTY ADDRESS OF SECURED ASSETS:- All Piece & Parcels Of Commercial Property / Residential Property House No. 239/10, Measuring 0k-06m (182 Sq. Yards) Near Hari Mandir Barara, Tehsil Barara, District- Ambala Vide Sale Deed No. 2207 Dated 13-01-2006 In Favour Of Smt. Anita Rani W/o Santosh Kumar, Boundaries As Per Sale Deed: North - House Of Sanjeev Thakral South - House Of Shyam Lal East- House Of Krishan Lal West - Street 10' Wide

7	M/s Madhokra Trading Company Through Its Proprietor, R/o Shop No. 13, New Grain Market Piliukhara District -Jind Haryana -126113	2. Mrs. Roshni Devi W/o Ram Singh R/o Village Piliukhara District -Jind Haryana -126113	12-07-2024	Rs. 44,31,510/- (Rs. Forty Four Lakh Thirty One Thousand Five Hundred Ten Only)
			16-July-2024	Rs. 50,95,000/- (Rs. Fifty Lakh Ninety Five Thousand Only)

PROPERTY ADDRESS OF SECURED ASSETS:- All Piece & Parcels Of Equitable Mortgaged Of Commercial Property Plot/Op No. 13 Having Area Measuring 188.08 Square Yards (20x85) Vide Registered Sale Deed No. 1316 Dated 17-03-2017 Belonging To Smt. Roshni Devi W/o Sh. Bhim Singh S/o Mugla Ram. Now Situated At New Anand Piliukhara, Witiin M.C. Limit Piliukhara, District Jind, Boundaries As Per Sale Deed: North - 20' Ft Road South - 20' Ft Mandi Phad East- 85' Ft Shop No. 14 Ms Ram Sal Narayan West 85' Ft Shop No. 12 Sh. Satish

In the circumstances as aforesaid, the notice is hereby given to the above borrowers, co-borrowers and/or their guarantors (where ever applicable) to pay the outstanding dues as mentioned above along with future interest and applicable charges within 60 days from the date of the publication of this notice failing which further steps will be taken after the expiry of 60 days of the date of this notice against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the borrowers and the mortgagors under Section 13(4) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and the applicable rules thereunder. Please note that under Section 13 (13) of the said Act, no Borrower shall, transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise any of his secured assets referred to in the notice, without prior written consent of the secured creditor.

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India's PV Sindhu begins hunt for third Olympic medal with straightforward win against Fathimath


AGENCY PARIS : India's star shuttler PV Sindhu began her quest for her third Olympic medal with a straightforward win against the Maldives' Fathimath Nabaaha Abdul Razzaq in the women's singles event at the Paris Olympics on Sunday. Sindhu displayed grit and confidence and restricted her opponent to single digits in both games. She began her campaign with a 21-9, 21-6 win in a game that lasted for 29 minutes.



once again, history repeated itself in Paris. The first game began with both shuttlers going neck-to-neck against each other. Sindhu took a point lead, and Razzaq fought back to level the scoreline. The trend lasted till the scoreboard read 4-4. Sindhu upped her game and went on a spree, which saw her claim ten points in a row. Razzaq eventually managed to break Sindhu's 10-

point spree, but the first game was almost out of her hands. An angled flick from Sindhu, showcasing her class, made the scoreline 19-6 in her favour. Razzaq fought back, fighting hard for a late comeback by winning three consecutive points. An exquisite drop shot made the scoreline 19-9. Sindhu eventually sealed the first game in 13 minutes with a scoreline of

21-9. The second game was a similar story for the Maldives shuttler. She failed to overcome Sindhu's technical prowess. Within a blink of an eye, the Indian shuttler clinched three consecutive points before her shot was stopped by the net. This opened a window of opportunity for Razzaq to make a comeback and she exploited it to its best. She won three consecutive points, making the scoreline 4-3, leaving her just a point behind Sindhu. However, the short-lived rallies didn't do any favour for Razzaq as she eventually started to trail just like in the first set. Razzaq's defence didn't do her any favour, allowing Sindhu to seal the match following a 21-6 win in the second game.



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Film fraternity hails Manu Bhaker's bronze medal win at Paris Olympics 2024

The Indian film industry has erupted in celebration as ace shooter Manu Bhaker clinched a bronze medal in the Women's 10-metre Air Pistol final at the Paris Olympics 2024 on Sunday.

Bhaker's achievement is historic, marking the first time an Indian woman has won an Olympic medal in shooting. Taking to her Instagram Stories, Kareena Kapoor Khan congratulated Bhaker by writing, "First win is home! Congratulations @bhakermanu, you've made all of us sooo proud!." Veteran actor Jackie Shroff also lauded Bhaker's Olympics win. "Account opened.. Manu Bhaker wins Bronze in 10 mt air pistol event, India's first medal in Paris Olympics," he wrote on his Instagram story.

Kangana Ranaut also shared a congratulatory message for Bhaker as she wrote, "India's first medal

#ManuBhaker Ye Hindu betiyaan," adding India's flag and flower emoticons. Rajkumar Rao took to his Instagram story and wrote, "@bhakermanu We all are so proud of you." Other stars including Suniel Shetty, Sidharth Malhotra, Shilpa Shetty also congratulated Manu Bhaker for her historic win. At just 22 years old, Bhaker scored 221.7 to secure third place, making her the first Indian woman to earn an Olympic shooting medal. Her performance not only represents a personal triumph but also brings India its first medal of the ongoing Games. Bhaker's journey to this medal is one of redemption. After a disappointing experience at the Tokyo Olympics where a malfunctioning pistol derailed her chances, Bhaker has now cemented her place in Olympic history. Her feat is especially

significant as she is the first Indian woman to reach an individual shooting final in two decades, with Suma Shirur last achieving this milestone in 2004. In the Women's 10 Metre Air Pistol final, South Korea's Ye Jin set a new Olympic record with a score of 243.2 to win gold, while her compatriot Kim Yeji took silver with 241.3 points.

On the opening day of the competition, Bhaker secured her spot in the final by finishing third in the qualification round, while Rhythm Sangwan, another Indian shooter, did not advance past the qualifiers, ending in 15th place. Bhaker's historic win has drawn widespread praise and admiration from across the film fraternity and beyond, highlighting her remarkable perseverance and skill on the global stage.

Vicky Kaushal drops new pic flaunting his muscular body, fans call him 'hot'

Actor Vicky Kaushal, Newz,' has once again

Taking to his Instagram, water. In the picture, the confident. Along with the photo, Vicky thodi aa patlo!" View this (@vickykaushal09) Fans of the 'Uri' actor quickly pleeeeeejj, ek he jaan hai kitni released on July 19, seems to Kareena Kapoor Khan, roles. This film takes a hilarious chaotic world of dads, one mom, and one bun Hiroo Yash Johar, Karan romantic comedy stars actors 'Bad Newz' also has special



who is currently enjoying the success of his recent film 'Bad grabbed everyone's attention with his latest post.

Vicky shared a striking photo of himself posing in the 'Masaan' actor flaunts his muscular body, looking fit and added a playful caption that reads, "Gaane vangu mukde post on Instagram A post shared by Vicky Kaushal

flooded the comments section. One fan wrote, "Vicky baar loge." Another simply commented, "hot." The film, be a successor to the 2019 hit 'Good Newz,' which starred Akshay Kumar, Kiara Advani and Diljit Dosanjh in the lead

detour from the usual rom-com tropes, diving into the heteropaternal superfecundation--a fancy way of saying two in the oven! 'Bad Newz' is co-produced by Tiwari along with Johar, Apoorva Mehta, and Amritpal Singh Bindra. The Vicky Kaushal, Ammy Virk, and Triptii Dimri in lead roles. cameos by actresses Ananya Panday and Neha Sharma.



Actors share the unique Ice Cream flavours they want to try!

Chandigarh: National Ice Cream Day is a delightful celebration dedicated to one of the world's most beloved desserts. Celebrated annually, it invites ice cream enthusiasts everywhere to indulge in their favourite flavours and discover new ones. &TV artists reveal the most unique and unusual ice cream flavours they are eager to try. These include Tejaswini Singh, who will be soon seen playing the title role of Bheema, Vyom Thakkar (Young Atal from Atal), Geetanjali Mishra (Rajesh from Happu Ki Ultan Paltan), and Shubhangi Atre (Angoori from Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai). Tejaswini Singh, aka Bheema from the upcoming show Bheema, shares, "I love ice creams. It's my favourite dessert, and I never miss a chance to ask for it. Whenever my parents ask me 'Kya chahiye tumhe?' I reply, 'ice cream' (laughs). According to my mother, I've tried almost all the flavours in the world, but I still have a list of unique ice creams I'd like to taste. These include Rose Petal ice cream, which I've heard is aromatic, infused with the essence of rose petals and paired with a hint of cardamom." Vyom Thakkar, aka Young Atal from Atal, says, "Ice cream has always been my favourite dessert and a source of refreshment. I mostly love chocolate-flavoured ice creams, but I have some flavours in my mind that I've never tried before and would love to. One such flavour is Chocolate Samosa Ice Cream. I saw this online—chocolate-filled samosas in a chocolate ice cream base, offering a blend of sweet and savoury flavours. Samosa and chocolate are both my favourites, and it will be interesting to taste them combined (laughs)."

Abrar Qazi's fan-sourced make-up room on the Kumkum Bhagya set!

Chandigarh: An actor spends most of his time in his make-up room when he is on set and not shooting. Between takes, it's every actor's little personal space to unwind, de-stress, run through their lines and rejuvenate themselves before they get ready for their next scene. Recently, Abrar Qazi (Rajvansh) from Kumkum Bhagya transformed his makeup room into a cozy space full of positivity, calling it his home away from home. He has put up frames, small gifts, slam books and mementoes gifted by his fans and created a corner with a table and chair which gives aesthetic cafe vibes. He likes to have his food there, and even sketch during his free time. By creating a relaxing environment filled with love from his fans, Abrar ensures he is in a good mood throughout the day.

Abrar said, "My make-up room on the sets is the place where I get my 'me' time amidst the hectic shoot schedule. Hence, it has to be the comfiest place for me. But mainly, it is decorated with the love that my fans often send me in the form of gifts-like wall hangings, art pieces, and different photo frames. I cherish each and everything they do for me, looking at them I feel motivated to work harder and do justice to the character that I portray, only for all their love. My fans are one of my prized possessions, hence their love is all over my makeup room."

While Abrar is kicked about the way he has done up his make-up room, Rajvansh and Poorvi (Rachi Sharma) have started to fall in love with each other. What will Monisha (Srishti Jain) do now? Will she be able to win Rajvansh back?



"Extensive training as a classical dancer has played a crucial role in shaping me as an actor," says Bhagya Lakshmi's Parakh Madan

Chandigarh: Bhagya Lakshmi's Parakh Madan has been turning heads with her fantastic portrayal of Aanchal, the grey character that has brought in a lot of drama into the show as well as Rishi (Rohit Suchanti) and Lakshmi's (Aishwarya Khare) life. Her acting

chops have garnered the actress a lot of praise over the years, but the character of Aanchal has really caught everyone's attention. What's interesting is that she started her journey as a classical dancer where she learnt a lot about the art of conveying so much through

the subtlest of expressions and body language cues. As she grew as a dancer, she discovered her love for acting and started her journey on TV in 2006 and there's been no looking back since then. Parakh said, "My extensive training as a classical dancer has played a crucial

role in my acting career. It helped me overcome my stage fear and develop a strong on-camera presence. While I never professionally learned acting, my dance background taught me a wide range of facial expressions and body language, which has greatly

contributed to my versatility as an actor. Since the start of my career, I have played multiple roles and fans have always appreciated my performances, whether it has been a negative role or a positive one." While viewers surely love Parakh's character, it will

be interesting for them to see some gripping drama unfold with Lakshmi fainting inside the borewell after entering it to rescue daughter Paro (Trisha Sarda) and two other children who are trapped there. Will Rishi be able to save Lakshmi and the kids in the nick of time?



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