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NEWS BRIEF

BJP leader and former Haryana minister Bachan Singh Arya resigns from the party



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CHANDIGARH: Former Haryana minister and BJP leader Bachan Singh Arya has resigned from the party after being denied a ticket for the upcoming elections. Arya, from Safidon in Jind district, voiced his disappointment with the decision. Instead of Arya, the BJP has selected former JJP MLA Ramkumar Gautam to run for the Narnaund seat. Arya, who narrowly lost the 2019 elections by 3,000 votes, had been preparing for the 2024 elections. His resignation follows a trend seen among other leaders like Laxman Napa and Ranjit Singh Chautala, who also left the party over ticket disputes.

6 arrested in Ferozepur triple murder case after overnight operation

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AURANGABAD: In an overnight operation, the Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar Aurangabad city police arrested six shooters involved in the recent Ferozepur triple murder case. The accused were apprehended while fleeing along the Nagpur-Mumbai Samruddhi Super Expressway. Along with the shooters, the police also arrested the driver of the vehicle, who is from Nanded. Police Commissioner Pravin Pawar confirmed that the city police successfully executed the operation, arresting seven individuals. The operation was carried out effectively, and the forces managed to arrest the accused who were trying to escape in a multi-purpose vehicle (MPV), which was reportedly picked up from Nanded, said Pawar.

Drunk driver damages hotel after being denied food, arrested

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PUNE: A police officer arrested a drunk driver after he crashed his truck into a hotel when he was refused food in Indapur taluka on Saturday. The incident, which took place at Hotel Gokul on the Pune-Solapur Highway, has gained widespread attention on social media. According to a police report, the driver, travelling from Solapur to Pune, stopped at the hotel and asked for food. The hotel owner declined, stating that the establishment was closed for the day.

India sends 2,300 kgs of humanitarian assistance to Chad

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NEW DELHI: India on Saturday sent 2,300 kg of humanitarian assistance comprising life-saving antibiotics and general medicines to Chad, in response to a deadly fire incident in the African country. The MEA spokesperson in a post on X said: "Extending Humanitarian Assistance to Chad: India - Vishwabandhu, a friend to the world ! "India extends medical aid consisting of Essential Life-saving Antibiotics and General Medicines to the government of Republic of Chad, in response to a deadly fire incident.

'God punished you': Brij Bhushan accuses Vinesh Phogat of cheating, Congress of conspiracy

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, SEPT 7



Former Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) president, Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh lashed out at wrestler Vinesh Phogat, a day after she and Bajrang Punia joined the Congress ahead of the Haryana Assembly polls and accused her of cheating at the Olympics.

Singh on Saturday claimed that their entry into politics confirmed his long-standing assertion that the 2023 protests by athletes were a politically motivated conspiracy against him, plotted by the Congress.

The former BJP MP, who has been defending himself against sexual assault allegations that sparked a major protest by wrestlers in January 2023, reiterated his belief that the accusations were part of a plot led by Congress and Bhupinder Hooda.

"Back in January, when the protest began, I told the media that this was all a conspiracy against me, and now it is clear. The script was written by Congress, and it has been exposed at their party office," he remarked.

The remarks came after Vinesh Phogat and Bajrang Punia joined the Congress on Friday, with Phogat set to contest the upcoming Haryana Assembly elections from the Julana constituency.

Brij Bhusan Singh further expressed his disappointment, accusing both wrestlers of damaging the sport and dishonouring athletes, particularly female wrestlers.

"They have not only caused me harm but also harmed the sport and insulted women athletes," he said.

The Former WFI president questioned the legitimacy of Vinesh Phogat's athletic achievements.

"I want to ask Vinesh Phogat whether a player can give trials in two weight categories in one day and can these trials be paused for five hours after the weigh-in? You went there by cheating, and you did not win any medal because God punished you for your actions," Singh stated.

He also accused Bajrang Punia of participating in the Asian Games without completing his required trials, adding that the Congress was using these athletes to further their political agenda. "I have not insulted women, Congress has. They are the ones using girls for politics," he added.

Denying the sexual assault allegations against him, the former BJP MP argued that the truth would eventually come out in court.

"One day, a court verdict will prove that I was not in Delhi when the alleged incidents took place. For one accusation, I was in Serbia, and for the other two, I was in Lucknow. The reality is evident, and the people will decide," he claimed.

Brij Bhusan also accused Congress of hypocrisy, asserting that while they claim to respect women, they are the ones who truly disrespect them. "I am not guilty of dishonouring daughters. If anyone is, it's Bhupinder Hooda, who wrote this script," he said.

'We will fix the system even if it takes time to fix it', says Pb CM during appointment letter distribution ceremony

AGENCY
CHANDIGARH, SEPT 7



Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann assured the youth of job security and criticised the previous government for not being considerate towards the youth of the state while speaking at an appointment letter distribution ceremony in Chandigarh on Saturday.

A total of 293 people received their appointment letters to various departments in the ceremony. While congratulating the new appointees, the Chief Minister said that the government is preparing even bigger positions for the people.

"Congratulations to you and your family. Nothing is impossible in this world. In the past, the youth had given up hope, but now their hopes have been fulfilled. Our government is preparing even bigger chairs for you." said the CM.

He further criticised the previous state government for not thinking about the young people of the state and misappropriating tax funds. "The government's job is to give relaxation to the people and not to harass them. Earlier, the leaders of the government used to live in their palaces, they did not know about the ground reality. The tax money did not reach the government. Instead, it used to go to the previous leaders' houses," he added during the speech. The CM urged the new appointees that unlike previous leaders, they should never take a bribe in their position. "The system was bad for 75 years, but we will fix it slowly even if it takes time to fix it. You people have come from humble backgrounds, so I appeal to you that in your new positions, do not take any bribes from people," the CM said.

33 people killed in floods & incessant rains in AP



AGENCY
VIJAYAWADA, SEPT 7

The heavy floods and incessant rains during the last seven days have cost the lives of 33 people in Andhra Pradesh while two persons were found missing.

An official release here on Saturday said that 25 deaths were reported in NTR district, seven deaths reported in Guntur district and one death due to floods and rains reported in Palnadu district. As many as 462 cattle including 106 big animals and 356 small animals were killed while 61,974 poultry birds perished. The official set up 131 health camps especially for livestock where 14,092 animals have been treated. As many as 7 electrical sub-stations and two 33 KV feeders were damaged due to flooding and they were later repaired. A total 3,913.90 KMs length of surface road was damaged while roads breached at 63 places. The release stated that crops in 1,81,538 hectares in 20 districts were affected due to floods and incessant rains and 2,05,194 farmers incurred crop losses. Horticulture crops were damaged in 19,686 hectares, affecting 30,877 farmers in 12 districts.

Due to incessant rains and floods, 6,44,133 people were affected and 230 relief camps were set up for them while 344 pregnant women were set up to the medical camps from the flood ravaged areas.

The release added that 18 SDRF, 23 NDRF and two navy teams have been deployed to the flood hit areas to carry out relief operations in NTR district while six helicopters, two from Indian navy and 4 from Indian Air Force were airdropped food packets and water in the flood hit areas.

Indian medal tally continues, Sharad Kumar soars high in para athletics

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NEW DELHI, SEPT 7

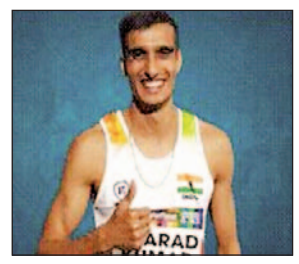
India's para-athelete Sharad Kumar added another feather to his cap by securing the silver medal in Men's High Jump T63 at the Paris Paralympics 2024.

His performance was a source of immense pride for the nation, further solidifying his status as one of India's premier para-athletes.

Sharad Kumar's journey has been one of remarkable courage and perseverance.

Born on March 1, 1992, in Motipur, Bihar, Sharad contracted polio at the tender age of two. His early life was fraught with health complications, requiring visits to hospitals as well as spiritual rituals in a desperate attempt to heal him.

At the age of four, Sharad was sent to a boarding school where he faced yet another challenge—being excluded from sports activities. While others participated, Sharad was confined to the bench, a situation that deeply frustrated him. The desire to break free from these limitations sparked his interest in sports, specifically the high jump.



Inspired by his older brother, who was a school record holder, Sharad set his sights on high jump and never looked back.

Sharad Kumar's athletic career took off when he won gold at the 6th Junior National Para-Athletics Championship in 2009, marking the start of a journey that would see him excel on the international stage. This early victory led to his international debut at the 2010 Asian Para Games in Guangzhou, China.

Over the years, Sharad refined his skills, overcoming both personal and physical hurdles. Some of his key achievements include a bronze medal at the Tokyo Paralympics 2020 in Men's High Jump T42, silver medals at the World Para Athletics Championships in 2019 and 2017, and gold medals at the Asian Para Games in 2018 and 2014.

Additionally, he secured a gold medal at the Malaysia Open Para Athletics Championship, solidifying his status as one of India's premier para-athletes.

Sharad Kumar's success in para-athletics has been greatly bolstered by the Indian government's robust support through various schemes. Financial assistance has been provided for his training, competitions, and expert coaching, which has been essential for his development and performance.

Sikh youth from Malerkotla killed in Canada's Edmonton

AGENCY
MALERKOTLA, SEPT 7

A 22-year-old Sikh youth was allegedly killed with a sharp-edged weapon in Downtown Edmonton parking, Alberta, on Wednesday. The victim, identified as Jashandeep Singh Mann, had arrived in Canada as an international student eight months ago. The Edmonton Police have charged 40-year-old Edgar Whisker with second-degree murder. Reports say that the suspect remained at the scene following the incident. Jashandeep was a native of



Badla village in Malerkotla district, Punjab.

The weapon used in the attack is believed to be a box cutter. "We can confirm that both men were not known to one another and this appears to be an isolated incident," Staff Sergeant Colin Leathem with EPS Homicide Section was quoted saying in the official release. Former sarpanch Bharpur Singh and his wife have demanded a probe by senior officials of the Canadian police into the sequence of incidents leading to the death of their son. "We just want to know what provoked the attacker, that he ruined our world by snatching Jashandeep from us," said Bharpur Singh, who is in a shock. Residents led by the Punjab Pradesh Congress Committee delegate Pritpal Kaur Badla have urged the Union government and the Punjab government to help expedite in repatriation of the body.

Abu Dhabi crown prince to visit India on Sept 9-10 on PM Modi's invite



AGENCY
NEW DELHI, SEP 7

Sheikh Khaled Bin Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi, will be on a two-day official visit to India from September 9, accompanied by a high-level ministerial and business delegation. The Abu Dhabi Crown Prince is visiting India at the invitation of Prime Minister Narendra Modi. This would be the first visit of Sheikh Khaled to India as the Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi. He will meet PM Modi on Sep 9 and hold discussions on a wide range of areas of bilateral cooperation. He will also call on President Droupadi Murmu, a statement said.

He will visit Rajghat to pay tribute to Mahatma Gandhi. On September 10, the UAE Royal will visit Mumbai to participate in a Business Forum, in which business leaders from both countries will participate.

India and UAE share historically close and friendly ties. In recent years, the Comprehensive Strategic Partnership between India and UAE has deepened in a wide range of areas including political, trade, investment, connectivity, energy, technology, education, and culture. The Crown Prince's visit will further reinforce strong India-UAE bilateral relations and open avenues for partnership in new and emerging areas, the statement added.

A UAE statement said: Sheikh Khaled will engage in discussions with senior Indian officials to explore opportunities to further strengthen cooperation across key economic sectors, building on the significant milestones already achieved for the mutual benefit of both countries and their people.

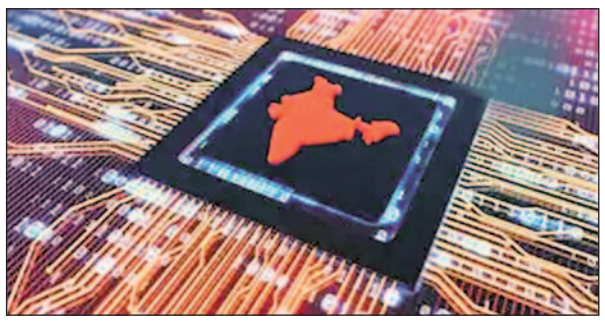
Sheikh Khaled will be accompanied by a high-level delegation, including ministers, senior officials, business leaders, and prominent economic partners from the UAE. The Abu Dhabi Crown Prince will also attend several activities that reflect the economic and cultural bonds shared by the UAE and India.

As US chips away at Chinese capacity, India takes big first steps

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, SEPT 7

Back-to-back developments in the past few days show how the future may see radical rebalancing of global technological power as China tries hard to defend its semiconductor, or chips, industry while India takes bold steps to create its chips ecosystem. Prime Minister Narendra Modi accompanied by his Singapore counterpart Lawrence Wong on Thursday visited a leading Singaporean semiconductor company and also signed an MoU on India-Singapore Semiconductor Ecosystem Partnership. Around the same time Maharashtra cabinet panel approved a $10-billion (?83,947 crore) investment proposal by a joint venture between Israel's Tower Semiconductor and Adani Group to set up a semiconductor chip manufacturing unit at Taloja.

A few days earlier, the Union Cabinet had approved setting up of an Outsourced Semiconductor Assembly and Test (OSAT) facility in Sanand, Gujarat by Kaynes Semicon with a Rs. 3,307 crore investment. The capacity of this unit will be 63 lakh



chips per day.

Now, ET has reported that the Indian Semiconductor Mission (ISM) is likely to receive a second budgetary allocation of up to $ 10 billion ISM, a division within the Digital India Corporation tasked with furthering the country's semiconductor manufacturing, packaging, and design capabilities was first established in 2022 with a budgetary allocation of $10 billion. The government will have to seek fresh funding under the ISM as it has almost exhausted the funds in the first phase which saw approvals of $11 billion, an official has told ET. Before nod to Kaynes and Tower-Adani plants, India had approved five chip plants: two by the Tata Group in Assam and Gujarat; and one each by Micron and CG Power in Gujarat and by RRP Electronics in Maharashtra.

While India is taking mega steps to build its chip industry from scratch, China, which has a huge chip-making capacity built over more than a decade, is struggling to defend it from restrictions by the US and its allies. Just when India was approving big chip plants and mulling to infuse billions of more dollars in its chips sector, Bloomberg News reported that China warned severe economic retaliation against Japan if it further restricts sales and servicing of chipmaking equipment to Chinese firms. Toyota Motor privately told Japanese officials that Beijing could react to the curbs by cutting Japan's access to minerals required for automotive production, the report said.

BJP set to achieve a third consecutive victory with public support: Jagmohan Anand

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA

KARNAL: Jagmohan Anand, the BJP candidate from the Karnal Assembly constituency, met with party workers at the BJP office in Karnal on Saturday morning. The workers warmly welcomed Anand, congratulating him on receiving the party ticket and extending their best wishes for his victory in the upcoming assembly elections. Following this, a steady stream of well-wishers visited his residence to offer their congratulations.



Anand encouraged party workers to campaign vigorously and promote the party's policies. In response, the workers assured him that they are fully prepared to ensure BJP's victory. They expressed confidence that BJP will win the assembly elections with a significant majority, securing a third consecutive term in power.

Jagmohan Anand credited former Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar for the extensive development in Karnal, which has now become a notable district in the state. He also praised Khattar's policies for benefiting people across the state, allowing citizens to receive the advantages of various schemes from the comfort of their homes.

Anand further added that the current Chief Minister, Nayab Singh Saini, is continuing the rapid pace of development in Haryana.

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

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

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

Name of the Borrower, Co-Borrower and Guarantor Name / Legal Heirs / Address	NPA Date Date of Demand Notice Loan Amount Outstanding Amount
M/S. Harchand Ram Om Parkash Through Its Prop. Mr.ajit Kumar Additional/New Grain Market, Shop No. 141aa, Ahohar-Malout Road, Fazilka, Punjab -152123, **Also, At** M/S. Harchand Ram Om Parkash Through Its Prop. Mr. Ajit Kumar Village Tillan Wali, Po Shatirwala, Fazilka, Ferozepur. Punjab -152121. Ajit Kumar S/o Sh. Om Parkash Village Tillan Wali, Po Shatirwala, Fazilka, Ferozepur. Punjab -152121. **Nakul Rinwa S/O Sh. Ajit Kumar** Village Tillan Wali, Po Shatriwala, Fazilka, Ferozepur. Punjab -152121. **Also, At** Nakul Rinwa S/O Sh. Ajit Kumar Near Bhagat Singh Chowk Tibbi-8, G.G. R Distt.hanumangarh -335526 **Having Loan Account No.** 923030006697652 & 923060050087897	**24TH -July-2024** **12th-Aug-2024** **Rs.6065648/-(Rupees Sixty Lakh Sixty Five Thousand Six Hundred Forty Eight Only)** **Rs.5894710 /-(Rupees Fifty Eight Lakh Ninety Four Thousand Seven Hundred Ten Only)**

PROPERTY ADDRESS OF SECURED ASSETS:- All that part and parcel of the Commercial Property/ Shop No. 141AA (20' x 125') Additional/New Grain Market, Tehsil and Distt Fazilka Registered in the name of Mr. Ajit Kumar s/o Om Parkash & Mr. Nakul Rinwa s/o Ajit Kumar vide Wasika/Sale Deed no.2019-20/56/1/1652 dt 17-07-2019. **Boundaries (As per Sale Deed) North:** Shop Ashok Kumar 125', **South:** Shop No.142, 125' **West:** Street 20' **East :** Street 20'

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.

Dated: 07.09.2024. , Place: Punjab **Sd/-, Authorized Officer, Axis Bank Ltd.**

CHANDIGARH HOUSING BOARD
(A Chandigarh Administration Undertaking)
8, Jan Marg, Sector 9-D, Chandigarh

PUBLIC NOTICE

Before Secretary, CHB Exercising the Powers of the Estate Officer, UT Chandigarh.

Subject: Mutation/Transfer of ownership right in respect of Dwelling Unit No. **2009-E (FIFTH FLOOR) Category THREE BED ROOM in Sector 63, Chandigarh and parking No. B-23-CSL-1194 IN BLOCK NO. B-23,** on the basis of Sale Deed in the name of **DR. NAVEEN KATARIA S/O SH. C.L. KATARIA (CHUNI LAL KATARIA)** from the name of allottee/transferee **S. BACHAN SINGH S/O S. BASANT SINGH.**

It is hereby notified for the information of the general public and all concerned that the Dwelling Unit No. **2009-E (FIFTH FLOOR) Category THREE BED ROOM in Sector 63, Chandigarh and parking No. B-23-CSL-1194 IN BLOCK NO. B-23,** stands in the name of allottee/transferee **S. BACHAN SINGH S/O S. BASANT SINGH.** Now **S. BACHAN SINGH S/O S. BASANT SINGH** has sold the above said dwelling unit to **DR. NAVEEN KATARIA S/O SH. C.L. KATARIA (CHUNI LAL KATARIA),** vide Sale Deed Executed and registered in office of Sub-Registrar Chandigarh **30.08.2024. DR. NAVEEN KATARIA S/O SH. C.L. KATARIA (CHUNI LAL KATARIA),** has requested this office for transfer the above said dwelling unit in his name on the basis of **sale deed.**

If any body has any objection upon the mutation of the said property in favour of applicant, he/she/they may submit the objection in writing to the undersigned within 21 days of the publication of this notice, failing which, the ownership of the said dwelling unit shall be transferred in favour of above said claimant(s).

Secretary,
Chandigarh Housing Board, Chandigarh

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(A Chandigarh Administration Undertaking)
8, Jan Marg, Sector 9-D, Chandigarh

PUBLIC NOTICE

Before Secretary, CHB Exercising the Powers of the Estate Officer, UT Chandigarh.

Subject: Mutation/Transfer of ownership right in respect of Dwelling Unit No. **2930-1 (FIRST FLOOR) Category of LIG in Sector 47-C, Chandigarh** on the basis of Sale Deed in the name of **MS. PINKY SINGH D/O SH. HARIVANSH SINGH** from the name of allottee/transferee **SH. RISHI SACHDEVA S/O SH. INDER SAIN SACHDEVA.**

It is hereby notified for the information of the general public and all concerned that the Dwelling Unit No. **2930-1 (FIRST FLOOR) Category of LIG in Sector 47-C, Chandigarh** stands in the name of allottee/transferee **SH. RISHI SACHDEVA S/O SH. INDER SAIN SACHDEVA.** Now **SH. RISHI SACHDEVA S/O SH. INDER SAIN SACHDEVA** has sold the above said dwelling unit to **MS. PINKY SINGH D/O SH. HARIVANSH SINGH,** vide Sale Deed Executed and registered in office of Sub-Registrar Chandigarh on **28.08.2024. MS. PINKY SINGH D/O SH. HARIVANSH SINGH,** has requested this office for transfer the above said dwelling unit in her name on the basis of **sale deed.**

If any body has any objection upon the mutation of the said property in favour of applicant, he/she/they may submit the objection in writing to the undersigned within 21 days of the publication of this notice, failing which, the ownership of the said dwelling unit shall be transferred in favour of above said claimant(s).

Secretary,
Chandigarh Housing Board, Chandigarh

CHANDIGARH HOUSING BOARD
(A Chandigarh Administration Undertaking)
8, Jan Marg, Sector 9-D, Chandigarh

PUBLIC NOTICE

Before Secretary, CHB Exercising the Powers of the Estate Officer, UT Chandigarh.

Subject: Mutation/Transfer of the transferee in respect of Dwelling Unit No.**3220-1 (First Floor) of LIG Category in Sector 41-D, U.T. Chandigarh** on the basis of Transfer Deed in the name of **SH. PAWAN KUMAR S/O SH. SADA RAM,** from the name of allottee/ transferee **SH. SADA RAM S/O SH. GARIB DASS.**

(FATHER TO SON)

It is hereby notified for the information of the general public and all concerned that the Dwelling Unit No. **3220-1 (First Floor) of LIG Category in Sector 41-D, Chandigarh** stands in the name of allottee/transferee **SH. SADA RAM S/O SH. GARIB DASS.** It has been reported by that **SH. PAWAN KUMAR S/O SH. SADA RAM** has applied for transfer of ownership right in respect of said Dwelling Unit on the basis of Transfer Deed in his name which was executed and registered in office of Sub-Registrar Chandigarh on **03.07.2024.**

If any body has any objection upon the mutation of the said property in favour of applicant, he/she/they may submit the objection in writing to the undersigned within 21 days of the publication of this notice, failing which, the ownership of the said dwelling unit shall be transferred in favour of above said claimant(s).

Secretary,
Chandigarh Housing Board, Chandigarh

CHANDIGARH HOUSING BOARD
(A Chandigarh Administration Undertaking)
8, Jan Marg, Sector 9-D, Chandigarh

PUBLIC NOTICE

Before Secretary, CHB Exercising the Powers of the Estate Officer, UT Chandigarh.

Subject: Mutation/Transfer of the transferee in respect of Dwelling Unit No.**152 (Ground Floor) Category III in Sector 55, U.T. Chandigarh** on the basis of Transfer Deed in the name of **SMT. RAJINDER KAUR W/O SH. LAKHBIR SINGH,** from the name of allottee/ transferee **SH. MANINDER SINGH S/O SH. LAKHBIR SINGH.**

(SON TO MOTHER)

It is hereby notified for the information of the general public and all concerned that the Dwelling Unit No.**152 (Ground Floor) Category III in Sector 55, U.T. Chandigarh** stands in the name of allottee/transferee **SH. MANINDER SINGH S/O SH. LAKHBIR SINGH.** It has been reported by **SMT. RAJINDER KAUR W/O SH. LAKHBIR SINGH** has applied for transfer of ownership right in respect of said Dwelling Unit on the basis of Transfer Deed in her name which was executed and registered in office of Sub-Registrar Chandigarh on **29.04.2024.**

If any body has any objection upon the mutation of the said property in favour of applicant, he/she/they may submit the objection in writing to the undersigned within 21 days of the publication of this notice, failing which, the ownership of the said dwelling unit shall be transferred in favour of above said claimant(s).

Secretary,
Chandigarh Housing Board, Chandigarh

CHANDIGARH HOUSING BOARD
(A Chandigarh Administration Undertaking)
8, Jan Marg, Sector 9-D, Chandigarh

PUBLIC NOTICE

Before Secretary, CHB Exercising the Powers of the Estate Officer, UT Chandigarh.

Subject: Mutation/Transfer of ownership right in respect of Dwelling Unit No. **5090-3 (Third Floor) of Category-III in Modern Housing Complex, Manimajra, Chandigarh** on the basis of Sale Deed in the name of **SH. JOGINDER PUNDIR S/O SH. MOHIRAM PUNDIR & SMT. SUNITA PUNDIR W/O SH. JOGINDER PUNDIR,** from the name of allottee/transferee **SH. SANDEEP RAJPAL S/O SH. S.K. RAJPAL & SMT. MANISHA RAJPAL W/O SH. SANDEEP RAJPAL.**

It is hereby notified for the information of the general public and all concerned that the Dwelling Unit No. **5090-3 (Third Floor) of Category-III in Modern Housing Complex, Manimajra, Chandigarh** stands in the name of allottee/transferee **SH. SANDEEP RAJPAL S/O SH. S.K. RAJPAL & SMT. MANISHA RAJPAL W/O SH. SANDEEP RAJPAL.** Now **SH. SANDEEP RAJPAL S/O SH. S.K. RAJPAL & SMT. MANISHA RAJPAL W/O SH. SANDEEP RAJPAL.** has sold the above said dwelling unit to **SH. JOGINDER PUNDIR S/O SH. MOHIRAM PUNDIR & SMT. SUNITA PUNDIR W/O SH. JOGINDER PUNDIR,** vide Sale Deed Executed and registered in office of Sub-Registrar Chandigarh **21.08.2024. SH. JOGINDER PUNDIR S/O SH. MOHIRAM PUNDIR & SMT. SUNITA PUNDIR W/O SH. JOGINDER PUNDIR,** have requested this office for transfer the above said dwelling unit in their names on the basis of **sale deed.**

If any body has any objection upon the mutation of the said property in favour of applicant, he/she/they may submit the objection in writing to the undersigned within 21 days of the publication of this notice, failing which, the ownership of the said dwelling unit shall be transferred in favour of above said claimant(s).

Secretary,
Chandigarh Housing Board, Chandigarh

CHANDIGARH HOUSING BOARD
A Chandigarh Administration Undertaking
8, Jan Marg, Sector 9-D, Chandigarh

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It is hereby notified for the General Public that the following person(s) have applied for the transfer of 2/3rd share allotment of the below said Dwelling Unit under the Blood Relation Transfer Policy (from sister & brother to sister) in their names under Regulation 16 of the Chandigarh Housing Board (Allotment, Management and Sale of Tenements) Regulations 1979 :-

SR. NO.	NAME OF THE APPLICANT (PROPOSED TRANSFEREE) Sh./Smt./Ms.	NAME OF THE ALLOTTEE/ TRANSFEREE (PROPOSED TRANSFEROR) Sh./Smt./Ms.	D.U. No.	CAT.	SECTOR
1.	SMT. SUSHMA KHER D/O SH. KASHI NATH (having 1/3rd share)	SMT. RAJ BALA WANGNOO D/O LATE SH. KASHI NATH BHAT, W/O SH. DILIP KUMAR WANGNOO & SH. RAJESH KUMAR S/O LATE SH. KASHI NATH BHAT (ALL HSVING 1/3 rd SHARE EACH)	367-1	LIG	41-A, CHANDIGARH

In case anybody has any objection in respect of transfer of the allotment of the above said dwelling units, he/she may submit the objection, if any, in writing within 21 days of the publication of this notice before the undersigned alongwith documentary evidence, if any.

Secretary,
Chandigarh Housing Board, Chandigarh

DIRECTORATE OF PUNJAB STATE LOTTERIES

DRAW TIME: 06:00 PM ONWARDS **DRAW DATE:07/09/2024**

RESULT OF PUNJAB STATE DEAR 10 MERCURY SATURDAY WEEKLY LOTTERY

MRP Rs 10/- Per Ticket

1st Prize Amount (10)Rs.10,000/-,Common to all series (On last 4 digits)
(Seller Prize Amount Rs.500/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.10500/- each)
3226

2nd Prize Amount (10)Rs.2000/-, Common to all series (On last 4 digits)
(Seller Prize Amount Rs.200/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.2200/- each)
6338

3rd Prize Amount (100)Rs.500/-, Common to all series (On last 4 digits)
(Seller Prize Amount Rs.50/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.550/- each)

0009 0267 0606 0754 4120 6881 7287 8685 8912 9213

4th Prize Amount (100)Rs.200/-, Common to all series (On last 4 digits)
(Seller Prize Amount Rs.20/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.220/- each)

1008 1307 3244 3636 4431 6061 6295 8247 8650 9137

5th Prize Amount (2000)Rs.100/-, Common to all series (On last 4 digits)
(Seller Prize Amount Rs.10/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.110/- each)

0014 0039 0097 0185 0216 0261 0271 0406 0442 0528
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PR-Advt. No :- 26/11/148/2023/37044

Issued by Directorate of PUNJAB STATE LOTTERIES
Kindly Check The Final Result With Official Gazette Notification

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HIMACHAL PRADESH PUBLC WORKS DEPARTMENT

HP.PWD Division Jawalamukhi, Distt. Kangra (H.P)-176031
Tel:-01970-222270, e-mail id: ae.pwdjmi@gmail.com

Sealed percentage rate tenders on the form 6 are invited by the **Executive Engineer Jawalamukhi Division HPPWD, Jawalamukhi** on behalf of the Governor of HP for the following works from the approved and eligible contractors (C&D Class) enlisted in HPPWD.

TENDER SCHEDULE:

1. Date and time of receipt of application for tender form:- 17.09.2024upto 4.00 PM
2. Date and time of issue of tender form:- 19.09.2024upto 5.00 PM
3. Date and time of receipt of tenders:- 20.09.2024 upto 11.00 AM
4. Date and time of opening of tenders:- 20.09.2024 at 11.30 AM

The tender forms will be issued against cash payment (non refundable). The earnest money in the shape of NSC/FDR/Deposit at call of any of Post Office/Bank in H.P duly pledged in the name of the Executive Engineer, Dehra Division HPPWD Dehra must accompany with each tender.

Sr. No	Name of work	Estimated Cost	Earnest Money	Time Limit	Cost of form
1.	Construction of Boundary Wall Health Sub Center at Sudhangal Tehsil Jawalamukhi Distt. Kangra H.P.(SH:- Construction of Boundary wall) Deposit work	Rs.499762/-	Rs.10000/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
2.	Construction of Main road Gugruhi Rajpootan Barota road to Mukesh Kumar House Km. 0/00 to 1/150 (SH:- P/L cement concrete pavement at RD 0/0 to 0/100 & R/wall at RD 0/030 to 0/040)Deposit work	Rs.499562/-	Rs.10000/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
3.	Construction of Link road G.P. Hiran to Roop Chand Sub Depot Hiran Km 0/000 to 0/060 Tehsil JawalamukhiDistt. Kangra H.P. (SH:-Providing and laying Interlocking Concrete Paver Block at RD. 0/0 to 0/060) Deposit work	Rs.245284/-	Rs.5000/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
4.	Construction of Link road to Durgesh Colony ward No. 4 & 5 in Km 0/000 to 0/700 (SH:- Providing and laying Interlocking Concrete Paver Block at RD 0/110 to 0/207.50) Deposit work	Rs.461122/-	Rs.9300/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
5.	Construction of Link road to Durgesh Colony ward No. 4 & 5 in Km 0/000 to 0/700 (SH:- Providing and laying Interlocking Concrete Paver Block at RD. 0/207.50 to 0/305) Deposit work	Rs.461122/-	Rs.9300/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
6.	VKV/2023/1135 Construction of Park & Shed Near Shaheed Sh. Prittam Singh Statue Bill Kwali Chowkhath Mohal & Tehsil Jawalamukhi Distt. Kangra H.P. (SH:- P/F Roofing flooring & P/L Paver block) Deposit work	Rs.350294/-	Rs.7100/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
7.	Construction of Boundary Wall Health Sub Center at Silh Tehsil Jawalamukhi Distt. Kangra H.P.(SH:- Construction of Boundary wall) Deposit work	Rs.499624/-	Rs.10000/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
8.	Special repair to existing Building Govt. Sen. Sec. School (Girl) Jawalamukhi Distt. Kangra H.P. (SH:-C/o Repair to Roofing for Sunshade Main Gate Back side internal Electrical Installation & Balance paver Block etc.) Deposit work	Rs.493803/-	Rs.9900/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
9.	A/R & M/O Various roads under Jawalamukhi Sub Division HPPWD Jawalamukhi Section Jawalamukhi (SH: Repair of pot holes) MMRRY	Rs.494840/-	Rs.9900/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
10.	A/R & M/O Various roads under Jawalamukhi Sub Division HPPWD Jawalamukhi Section Baroli (SH: Repair of pot holes) MMRRY	Rs.494750/-	Rs.9900/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
11.	A/R & M/O Various roads under Jawalamukhi Sub Division HPPWD Jawalamukhi Section Chambapattan (SH: Repair of pot holes) MMRRY	Rs.495870/-	Rs.10000/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
12.	A/R & M/O Various roads under Majheen Sub Division HPPWD Majheen Section Majheen (SH: Repair of pot holes) MMRRY	Rs.494635/-	Rs.9900/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
13.	A/R & M/O Various roads under Majheen Sub Division HPPWD Majheen Section Seorbala (SH: Repair of pot holes) MMRRY	Rs.495575/-	Rs.9900/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
14.	A/R & M/O Various roads under Khundian Sub Division HPPWD Khundian Section Khundian (SH: Repair of pot holes) MMRRY	Rs.494357/-	Rs.9900/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
15.	A/R & M/O Various roads under Khundian Sub Division HPPWD Khundian Section Lagru (SH: Repair of pot holes) MMRRY.	Rs.495780/-	Rs.10000/-	One month	Rs. 350/-
	The contractors/firms should possess the following documents (Photocopy to be attached): (I) Latest renewal of enlistment. (ii) PAN (Permanent Account No.) (iii) Registration under GST / (TIN No.). (iv) EPF (Employee Provident Fund Account No.)				
2	Ambiguous/telegraphic/conditional tenders or tender by Fax/E-mail shall not be entertained /considered in any case.				
3	The Executive Engineer reserves the right to reject/cancel any or all the tenders without assigning any reason(s).				
4	The offer of the tender shall remain valid upto 30 days after the opening.				

For terms and conditions kindly refer to website of the department.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer
HPPWD Division Jawalamukhi Distt. Kangra H.P
on behalf of Governor of Himachal Pradesh
HIM LOK SAMPARK

DPR-HP-1977/2024-2025

CHANDIGARH HOUSING BOARD
(A Chandigarh Administration Undertaking)
8, Jan Marg, Sector 9-D, Chandigarh.

PUBLIC NOTICE



Subject: Transfer/Mutation of Allotment/ Registration **D.U. No. 3143-3 of MIG UT Category in Sector 44-D, Chandigarh** in the name of **(1) SH. GULSHAN KUMAR S/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (2) SH. PAWAN KUMAR S/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (3) LEGAL HEIRS OF LATE SH. RAMESH CHAND ARORA S/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (a) SMT. SHASHI BALA W/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHAND ARORA, (b) MRS. MEENU D/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHANDER ARORA W/O SH. RAJINDER PAL (c) MS. JYOTI D/O LATE SH. RAMESH ARORA (d) MRS. KAVITA D/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHANDER, W/O SH. AMIT KUMAR MUKHERJI (e) SH. DHIRAJ ARORA S/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHAND ARORA (4) LEGAL HEIRS OF LATE SMT. NIRMAL D/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (a) MRS. NAMEETA KAUR D/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH, W/O SH. RANJEET SINGH (b) MRS. SUMAN CHHABRA D/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH, W/O LATE SH. SANDEEP CHHABRA (c) MRS. MADHU BALA D/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH BAJAJ W/O SH. JITENDER KUMAR (d) SH. HARSH BAJAJ S/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH (5) LEGAL HEIRS OF LATE SMT. USHA SONI D/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (a) SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI S/O LATE SH. HANSRAJ SONI (b) MRS. NEETA KAKAR D/O SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI W/O SH. SAURABH KAKKAR (c) MRS. GEETA REWARI D/O SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI W/O SH. RISSHI REWARI (d) SH.OM PARKASH SONI S/O SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI** on the intestate Demise of allottee/transferee **SH. KUNDAN LAL S/O SH. MAIYA DASS.**

It is hereby notified for the information of the General public and all concerned that **SH. KUNDAN LAL S/O SH. MAIYA DASS.** owner of **Dwelling Unit No. 3143-3 of Category MIG-UT Sector 44-D, Chandigarh expired on 18.05.1996 at CHANDIGARH** as informed by his legal heirs. **(1) SH. GULSHAN KUMAR S/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (2) SH. PAWAN KUMAR S/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (3) LEGAL HEIRS OF LATE SH. RAMESH CHAND ARORA S/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (a) SMT. SHASHI BALA W/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHAND ARORA, (b) MRS. MEENU D/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHANDER ARORA W/O SH. RAJINDER PAL (c) MS. JYOTI D/O LATE SH. RAMESH ARORA (d) MRS. KAVITA D/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHANDER, W/O SH. AMIT KUMAR MUKHERJI (e) SH. DHIRAJ ARORA S/O LATE SH. RAMESH CHAND ARORA (4) LEGAL HEIRS OF LATE SMT. NIRMAL D/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (a) MRS. NAMEETA KAUR D/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH, W/O SH. RANJEET SINGH (b) MRS. SUMAN CHHABRA D/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH, W/O LATE SH. SANDEEP CHHABRA (c) MRS. MADHU BALA D/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH BAJAJ W/O SH. JITENDER KUMAR (d) SH. HARSH BAJAJ S/O LATE SH. VED PRAKASH (5) LEGAL HEIRS OF LATE SMT. USHA SONI D/O LATE SH. KUNDAN LAL (a) SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI S/O LATE SH. HANSRAJ SONI (b) MRS. NEETA KAKAR D/O SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI W/O SH. SAURABH KAKKAR (c) MRS. GEETA REWARI D/O SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI W/O SH. RISSHI REWARI (d) SH.OM PARKASH SONI S/O SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI** has requested for transfer of ownership of Dwelling Unit No. **3143-3 of Category MIG UT Sector 44-D, Chandigarh** in his name on the basis of intestate demise of **SH. KUNDAN LAL S/O SH. MAIYA DASS.** They have further stated that no other legal heir has been left out.

In case anybody has any objection regarding the claim/right/interest in the dwelling unit which is proposed to be transferred by the Chandigarh Housing Board in favour of **(1) SH. GULSHAN KUMAR (son) (2) SH. PAWAN KUMAR (son) (3) (a) SMT. SHASHI BALA (Daughter-in-Law) (b) MRS. MEENU (Grand daughter) © MS. JYOTI (Grand Daughter) (d) MRS. KAVITA (Grand Daughter) (e) SH. DHIRAJ ARORA (Grand Son) (4) (a) MRS. NAMEETA KAUR (Grand daughter) (b) MRS. SUMAN CHHABRA (Grand daughter) (c) MRS. MADHU BALA (Grand Daughter) (d) SH. HARSH BAJAJ (Grand son) (5) (a) SH. AVINASH CHANDRA SONI (Son-In-Law) (b) MRS. NEETA KAKAR (Grand Daughter) (c) MRS. GEETA REWARI (Grand daughter) (d) SH. OM PARKASH SONI (grand son)** he/she may submit the objection in writing to the undersigned within 21 days of the publication of this notice, failing which the registration and allotment of the said dwelling unit shall be transferred in favour of the above claimant's.

Secretary,
Chandigarh Housing Board, Chandigarh

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Dam Capital Advisors Files DRHP With Sebi

Chandigarh: DAM Capital Advisors Limited has filed its Draft Red Herring Prospectus ("DRHP") with capital market regulator Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI"). DAM Capital is the fastest growing investment bank in India by revenue CAGR from Fiscals 2022 to 2024 with the highest profit margin in Fiscal 2024, among its peers. It also was one of the leading investment banks in India with a market share of 12.1% based on the number of IPOs and QIPs in Fiscal 2024. DAM Capital provides a wide range of financial solutions in areas of (i) investment banking comprising equity capital markets ("ECM"), mergers and acquisitions ("M&A"), private equity ("PE"), and structured finance advisory; and (ii) institutional equities comprising broking and research.
The company's initial public offering comprises an offer for sale of up to 32.06 million shares by the investor selling shareholders – Multiples Alternate Asset Management, RBL Bank, Easyaccess Financial Services and Narotam Sekhsaria. Promoter Dharmesh Anil Mehta, is also selling a small part of his stake. Nuvama Wealth Management Limited is the Book Running Lead Manager to the IPO.

Divyang and voters above 85 years can vote from home: Chief Electoral Officer

Every voter should exercise their Right to Vote in a democracy says Pankaj Agarwal

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Haryana Chief Electoral Officer, Sh. Pankaj Agarwal said that the Election Commission of India has made provisions for Divyang (Persons with Disability) voters and those over the age of 85 years to cast their votes from home as well, ensuring their participation in the democratic process. This facility is optional, and such voters can also choose to vote at the polling station if they prefer.

Sh. Pankaj Agarwal emphasised that every voter should exercise their right to vote in a democracy. Just like any other voter, Divyang individuals and those above 85 years of age should also exercise their right to vote. Therefore, this special facility has been made for them.

The Chief Electoral Officer stated that general elections, which occur once every five years, should be celebrated as a festival by every citizen. In Haryana, voting for the general elections of the Legislative Assembly will take place on October 5, 2024, and every voter should contribute to it by casting their vote.



To avail the facility of the home voting, Divyang voters and those over the age of 85 need to fill out Form 12-D and submit it to the Returning Officer within five days of the election notification (September 5, 2024). Apart from this, Divyang voters must submit a copy of their disability certificate of more than 40 percent and should also be marked in the electoral roll, added the Chief Electoral Officer.

He further stated that BLOs would collect Form 12-D from such voters' homes and also a list of these voters will also be provided to the candidates so that they can appoint representatives to monitor the home voting process.

The Chief Electoral Officer said that a team of polling officers would visit the homes of these voters to collect their votes. Voters will be informed in advance about the officer's visit. A videographer and a police security officer will accompany the polling officers to ensure the process is conducted according to the Election Commission's guidelines, while maintaining the confidentiality of the vote.

St. Thomas School, Jagadhri wins volleyball tournament



RAHUL KOHLI
JAGADHRI : St. Thomas School, Jagadhri wins the State Level Volleyball Tournament: Selected to represent North Zone in the National Volleyball Tournament

Jagadhri - The St.Thomas School U-19 girls volleyball team, under the leadership of the Principal Dr.Chandana Lall and guidance of Coach Ms.Punam Bhandari; representing the Haryana Zone won the State level Volleyball Tournament in a thrilling finale, . The team, comprising 6 girl players, defeated the team of Moga Zone in a nail-biting match, securing their place as champions of North Zone, to be competing against the South Zone in the National Volleyball Tournament, to be held in Kotagiri, Tamil Nadu, later in September 2024.

The St. Thomas School (Haryana Zone) team, led by captain Srishti, demonstrated exceptional skill and teamwork throughout the tournament. Their impressive performance earned them a spot in the finals, where they faced off against the team of Moga Zone.

The championship match was a nail-biter, with both teams trading points and neither able to gain a clear advantage. However, St. Thomas School's determination and strategy ultimately paid off, as they took the win in a thrilling two set match.

A Staggering 85%* of Indian Youth wake up fatigued, according to a Recent Supradyn Survey

CHANDIGARH : Supradyn, India's leading multivitamin brand from Bayer's Consumer Health division, commissioned the Supradyn Fatigue Survey, a study conducted across 10 cities, revealing that 85%* of young Indians wake up tired among other astounding findings. Released in conjunction with National Nutrition Week, the survey underscores Supradyn's mission of 'One Nation 100% Nutrition,' aimed at raising awareness of the growing nutrition gap and promoting self-care. The findings shed light on the alarming rise in fatigue among India's working population, with significant regional and demographic variations.

India, with its large and dynamic youth population, faces significant challenges related to fatigue and exhaustion. The Supradyn Fatigue Survey highlights the urgent need to address factors contributing to this issue and to implement supportive measures to enhance energy and well-being. Conducted by



Hansa Research Group, across 10 cities and involving men and women aged 25-45 from NCCS A and B categories, the study represents a population of 20 million. The survey states that 96% of Indians feel they lack essential micronutrients and multivitamins, leading to low energy levels.

The survey on fatigue among young Urban India in the 25-45 year age group reveals that 83% frequently need breaks due to tiredness, while 74% struggle with daytime sleepiness or staying alert hampering their productivity. Furthermore, 69% find it difficult to start or complete tasks, and 66% are unable to finish daily activities due to fatigue implying extremely low energy among our working population. Geographically as well, metros like, Pune (57%) and Bengaluru (59%) have the highest proportion of people who feel their diet lacks sufficient micronutrients. Moreover, 78% of those aged 25-35 experience daytime drowsiness, compared to 72% of the 36-45 age group. These findings highlight the significant impact of fatigue on daily life.

Sandeep Verma, Country Head of India, Bangladesh and Sri Lanka at Bayer Consumer Health Division, commented on the survey's findings, "Supradyn has led the conversation on nutrition and has been a strong advocate for the importance of addressing micronutrient deficiencies.

BMW Motorrad appoints Krishna Automobiles as its Dealer Partner in Ludhiana

CHANDIGARH: BMW Motorrad increases its dealer network footprint in India by appointing Krishna Automobiles as its dealer partner in Ludhiana, Punjab. The dealership is located at Grand Trunk Road, Dhandari Khurd, Focal Point, Ludhiana, Punjab and headed by Mr. Sachit Passi, Dealer Principal, Krishna Automobiles.



Mr. Vikram Pawah, President and Chief Executive Officer, BMW Group India said, "At BMW Motorrad, we don't just build exceptional motorcycles, we create moments that resonate for a lifetime. Each bike is a testament to our passion and precision, designed for every type of rider. We are thrilled to inaugurate Krishna Automobiles latest dealership in Ludhiana, a partnership that underscores our unwavering commitment to delivering unparalleled experiences to our vibrant community of motorcycle enthusiasts. This new facility, redefines the retail brand experience, transforming our showrooms into spaces where our community truly feels at home. With its striking exterior and warm, inviting interior, the dealership embodies our mission to enrich the riding culture in this region.".

Mr. Sachit Passi, Dealer Principal, Krishna Automobiles said, "We are immensely proud of our enduring partnership with BMW Motorrad and are excited to harness the burgeoning premium two-wheeler market potential in Punjab. The inauguration of our dealership in Ludhiana marks a significant milestone in providing unparalleled sales and aftersales services to motorcycle aficionados. Moreover, we are dedicated to fostering a robust riding community, celebrating the passion for exploration, and embracing the spirit of adventure with our motto, 'Make Life a Ride'." The dealership facility is spread across 2,600 sq.ft. The showroom showcases 7 motorcycles, a customer lounge and a wide array of BMW Motorrad accessories, riding gear and lifestyle merchandise. The aftersales facility has 2 mechanical bays for complete vehicle service.

Bahadurgarh Congress' Rajesh Joon resigns, removes pics of party leaders from posters

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
BAHADURGARH : After the declaration of the first list of its 32 candidates, the Congress has faced revolt in the Bahadurgarh Assembly constituency with its local prominent leader Rajesh Joon tendering his resignation from the party.

He also announced to contest the election as an independent candidate from Bahadurgarh after holding a meeting with his supporters today.

Joon had unsuccessfully contested as an Independent from Bahadurgarh in 2014 and secured 28,242 votes. He had also filed nomination papers in 2019 but withdrew in favour of sitting Congress MLA Rajendra Singh Joon.

The Congress has made Rajendra its nominee this time as well, leading to a revolt in the party.

"I have resigned from the post of delegate and have withdrawn the primary membership, deciding to jump into the fray as an Independent as asked for by my supporters who too are disappointed because of the Congress' disregard for me. I have worked for the party with full dedication and hard work over the past several years but it has cheated me by not giving the ticket. I have been used and thrown," said Joon while talking to the media in Bahadurgarh on Saturday. "The Congress leaders had promised to field me in this election. Following which, I had withdrawn my nomination papers but they failed to fulfil the promise forcing me to take this decision. I have launched my campaign and will file nomination on September 11," he added.

Kross Limited IPO opens on Sept 9

CHANDIGARH: Kross Limited ("The Company"), shall open its Bid/Offer in relation to its initial public offering of Equity Shares on Monday, September 9, 2024.
The total offer size ("Offer") includes a Fresh Issue aggregating up to ₹ 250 crore ("Fresh Issue") and an Offer for Sale aggregating up to ₹ 250 crore. ("Offer for Sale")
The Anchor Investor Bidding date shall be on Friday, September 6, 2024 and the Bid Offer will be closed on Wednesday, September 11, 2024.
The Price band of the offer is ₹ 228 to ₹ 240 per Equity Share. ("Price Band").
Bids can be made for a minimum of 62 Equity Shares and in multiples of 62 Equity Shares thereafter. ("Bid Lot").
The Company proposes to utilize net proceeds from the Fresh Issue towards (i) Funding of capital expenditure requirements towards purchase of machinery and equipment estimated to be ₹ 70 crore, (ii) Repayment or prepayment, in full or in part, of all or a portion of certain outstanding borrowings availed from banks and financial institutions estimated to be ₹ 90 crore; (iii) Funding working capital requirements estimated to be ₹ 30 crore; and balance amount towards General corporate purposes. ("Objects of Offer")
The Offer for Sale ("Offer for Sale") comprises of Equity shares aggregating up to ₹168 crore by Sudhir Rai and Equity shares aggregating up to ₹ 82 crore by Anita Rai. ("Promoter Selling Shareholders")
The Equity Shares are being offered through the Red Herring Prospectus of the Company dated September 2, 2024 ("Red Herring Prospectus" / "RHP") filed with the Registrar of Companies, Jharkhand at Ranchi ("ROC"), SEBI and the Stock Exchanges.

Xiaomi India onboards Katrina Kaif as brand ambassador: A Magical Reunion for a Smarter Tomorrow

CHANDIGARH : Xiaomi India, a global technology brand renowned for its innovation, today announced a strategic partnership with the iconic global actress Katrina Kaif. Kaif will serve as the brand ambassador for Xiaomi's diverse range of Smartphones, TVs, and Tablets. As Xiaomi celebrates a decade of excellence in India, this announcement stands as a testament to Xiaomi's unwavering commitment of innovation for everyone, and it encapsulates the essence of Katrina's global appeal and charismatic beauty perfectly.

Katrina Kaif, a celebrated actress in the Indian film industry and a global icon, embodies the spirit of innovation, style, and excellence that Xiaomi strives to embody. Her immense popularity and influence resonate deeply with the brand's growing customer base. With Katrina as its brand ambassador, Xiaomi further aims to strengthen its connection with consumers and reinforce its position as a preferred choice for aspirational Indians seeking cutting-edge technology.



In the wake of the exciting announcement, Anuj Sharma, Chief Marketing Officer, Xiaomi India, commented, "As we commemorate a decade of innovation in India, welcoming Katrina Kaif back to the Xiaomi family feels like the perfect way to celebrate. Her grace, widespread appeal, and deep resonance with our audience makes her an ideal ambassador for our next chapter. Both Xiaomi and Katrina have a unique ability to connect with millions of people in an endearing manner. Together, we'll continue to create magic with this association and bring innovative technology to everyone." Sharing her excitement on coming on board as Xiaomi's new face, actor Katrina Kaif said, "I am thrilled to be back with Xiaomi, especially at this exciting juncture when the brand is celebrating a decade of bringing magic to people's lives. Xiaomi is a household name in India and their commitment to innovation is something I deeply admire. It feels great to be part of a brand that is constantly evolving and contribute to its iconic legacy. I look forward to represent Xiaomi, a brand that is loved by people across the country and excited to further engage my fans in the innovative world of Xiaomi." Prateik Das, Associate Director, Marketing Partnerships and Alliances, Xiaomi India further added, "We're thrilled to announce this exciting collaboration between Xiaomi India and Katrina Kaif. This partnership brings together two iconic brands that resonate deeply with Indian audiences. We believe that Katrina's charisma and Xiaomi's innovative technology will create a powerful synergy that will inspire and delight audiences of all ages." Xiaomi India has cemented its place in households across the country as the most loved and trusted technology brand. Katrina Kaif, on the other hand, has established herself as an icon and symbol of elegance. Together, they promise to bring a new level of excitement to the festive season with a captivating campaign.

Metal Power Analytical launches Metavision-8i

CHANDIGARH : Metal Power Analytical Pvt. Ltd. (MPA), a leading Indian manufacturer of analytical instruments, today announced the launch of its latest product - the Metavision-8i. This innovative optical emission spectrometer (OES) is designed to provide the increasingly quality-conscious Indian metal industry with affordable, high-performance elemental analysis capabilities, allowing even MSMEs to make a leap up the value chain.



Traditionally, high-quality Optical Emission Spectrometer (OES) systems have been expensive for smaller manufacturers, which has limited their access to high-performance elemental analysis, and limited their access to high-value markets, both domestically and in exports. This latest innovation will help such MSMEs and businesses across stages get access to the high-specification solutions, helping them lower operating costs, while enhancing their ability to qualify for both domestic OEM contracts and export opportunities.

"Since its inception, Metal Power has been at the forefront of building innovations that benefit businesses across all stages. Our experience for over 35 years in the industry have given us a deep understanding of both the complexities as well as the value levers of metal analysis, and we strive to develop solutions that are both innovative and economical. Our latest product can analyse pure metals up to 99.98% and is set to redefine the market standard, offering unmatched quality, advanced features, and exceptional value, helping us to capture a significant market share," said Mukund Pant, Managing Director at Metal Power Analytical.

Ather Energy to mark its entry into second international market, Sri Lanka

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Ather Energy, one of India's electric vehicle manufacturers, has announced plans to expand to its second international market, Sri Lanka. Ather Energy will open its first experience centre in the Sri Lankan market in the upcoming quarter through collaboration with Evolution Auto Pvt. Ltd., a joint venture between Sensei Capital Partners, Atman Group, and Sino Lanka Private Limited. In November 2023, Ather established its presence in Nepal, which marked the company's entry into the international market.

As their national distributor, Evolution Auto Pvt Ltd will manage Ather Energy's sale and service operations in Sri Lanka. In addition, Ather will also focus on establishing



a network of fast-charging infrastructure across the country, to ease the process of electric vehicle adoption and make it a hassle free experience.

Speaking on this development, Ravneet Singh Phokela, Chief Business Officer, Ather Energy, said "We are thrilled to enter the Sri Lankan market. Sri Lanka has been a part of our global expansion plans after Nepal, where we established our presence last year. With the increasing cost of ownership of petrol vehicles and the economic and environmental benefits of electric vehicles, the Sri Lankan market has shown an increasing preference for EVs. Ather's electric scooters are known for their performance, design and reliability, through which we aim to appeal to new-age Sri Lankan customers, who appreciate quality modern products. Our partnership with Evolution Auto Pvt. Ltd. will enable us to deliver the customer experience that Ather is known for, to our customers in Sri Lanka, while also focusing on setting up well networked charging infrastructure for EV users."

Commenting on the partnership with Ather, Zahran Ziyawudeen, CEO, Evolution Auto, said "Our mission at Evolution Auto is to pioneer sustainable transportation in Sri Lanka, making eco-friendly electric mobility accessible and efficient for all.

SIU Announces SLAT 2025 Registration with December 2024 Test Dates: A Major Shift in Timeline

CHANDIGARH : Symbiosis International (Deemed University) (SIU) is pleased to announce the commencement of the registration process for the Symbiosis Law Admission Test (SLAT) 2025, the highly esteemed entrance test for the university's law programmes. This year marks a significant change as the application window officially opened on August 14, 2024, with the test itself now scheduled for December 13 (Friday) and December 15 (Sunday), 2024, a shift from its traditional May timeline. Prospective candidates are encouraged to visit the official SLAT website (https://www.slat-test.org/) for comprehensive details on the registration process, eligibility criteria, and other essential information. The test will be conducted twice, and the score from the best of the two attempts will be considered for evaluation.

Important Dates for SLAT 2025

- Last Date of Registration: November 22, 2024 (Friday)
- Admit Card Live: December 03, 2024 (Tuesday)
- Announcement of Result: December 26, 2024 (Thursday)

SLAT, previously a part of the Symbiosis Entrance Test (SET), serves as the gateway for admission to the four prestigious Symbiosis Law Schools (SLS) in Pune, Hyderabad, Noida, and Nagpur. Candidates aiming to join undergraduate law programmes such as B.A. LL.B (Hons), B.B.A. LL.B (Hons), B.A. LL.B or B.B.A. LL.B are advised to submit their applications according to the guidelines.

The test will be conducted in 77 cities across India and is designed to comprehensively evaluate the aptitude of candidates. The test format is as follows:

- Number of Questions: 60
- Test Duration: 60 minutes
- Test Mode: Computer-Based Test (CBT)

Test Sections:

- Logical Reasoning: 12 Questions
- Legal Reasoning: 12 Questions
- Analytical Reasoning: 12 Questions
- Reading Comprehension: 12 Questions
- General Knowledge: 12 Questions

The registration fee is INR 2250 per test, with an additional fee of INR 1000 per programme for college selection. Importantly, SLAT allows candidates to attempt the test twice, with the best score being considered for evaluation. The specific timings of the tests will be communicated to candidates via their Admit Cards. Notably, there is no negative marking in SLAT 2025, which differentiates it from other law entrance test .

Step-by-Step Guide to Register for SLAT 2025

Visit the official SLAT website: https://www.slat-test.org/

Click on "Register for SLAT" which will redirect you to: https://slat2025.ishinfosys.com/SLAT20Y25/Register/Index.aspx

Click on "Register" and start your registration process.

Read the instructions and accept the Terms and Conditions by clicking 'Continue.'

Fill in the required details, then click 'Save & Continue' to receive an OTP via email and SMS. Enter the OTP to complete the submission.

Upon successful registration, candidates will receive their SLAT ID and password via email and SMS.

Music is moonlight in the gloomy night of life.

Jean Paul

There's nothing like music to relieve the soul and uplift it.

Mickey Hart

Editorial

Elevation of Singapore ties a testament to shared values

The elevation of India-Singapore relationship to comprehensive strategic partnership status reflects the strong economic and people-to-people ties that the countries have enjoyed for close to 60 years now. A trip to Singapore — for Prime Minister Narendra Modi this was a fifth — is usually more like a business visit to share the warmth of enduring ties. The boost to a higher-level partnership with Singapore reflects India's rising economic heft and place in world affairs today. Adding a new dimension to Mr Modi's eastward trip was a visit to oil-rich Brunei, a first by an Indian PM, which may give impetus to collaborative efforts in the crucial semiconductor sector, which is going to define how the world is going to move forward in several breakthrough technology areas.

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A congruence of Singaporean and Indian views on most topics, particularly on growth and development, has been a feature of the special relationship that makes ties with Singapore the warmest as well as the least contentious, even if the situation in Myanmar, marked by most recent violence, had to be discussed to take in current developments.

Singapore has never let its closeness to China come in the way of a stable view of the aspirations of growth and development that it shares with India. So much so, this partnership between like-minded countries with strategic neutrality as a defining feature of their foreign relations shines as a beacon in an otherwise fractured world of clashing views and perspectives, particularly through the prism that shows China as a global powerhouse and a force to be reckoned with.

The maturity of the relationship is also reflected in the joint statement mentioning not only the need to maintain peace and stability in the South China Sea while pursuing peaceful resolution of issues but also Quad's recognition of Singapore's importance in the Indo-Pacific and the four nations accepting that there is no need not to disturb the island's centrality in regional affairs.

Does anyone give a damn for rape victims in India?

Take a look at the statistics: In 2022, around 32,000 rape cases were reported to the police across India. But on top of that, over 13,000 cases were pending from previous years, adding up to 45,000 cases that the cops were supposed to handle.

And chew on this: in seven out of 10 cases, rapists escape punishment. How come? Simply because we don't have a sufficient number of prisons to accommodate the staggering number of rapists running around, assaulting defenseless women. Rapists are like India's stray dogs: impossible to count or control. Seen as a menace to society and a threat to the vulnerable who they pounce on, they run wild and roam free. The statistics for unreported rapes are beyond computation. Experts say culprits get away with the crime because our overburdened police lack the time needed for a thorough investigation. The conviction rate in rape cases is a dismal 27.4 per cent. Shocked? I am not. The ugly truth is that rape does not count as a "serious" crime in our twisted society. Nobody really cares, no one bothers. Rape happens, we shrug. And move on to the next story.

Rape remains just another four-letter word. Didi has suddenly woken up to rape's seriousness. There has been a huge hungama over the stringent anti-rape bill that was unanimously passed by the West Bengal Assembly recently, which proposed the death penalty for rapists, no less. No half measures. Seedha maut. The Aparajita Women and Child (West Bengal Criminal Laws Amendment) Bill 2024 wants to alter sections of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS). The bill also recommends imprisonment of 3-5 years for disclosing the victim's identity. The West Bengal chief minister's critics accused her of milking the R.G. Kar Medical College and



Hospital tragedy to score political brownie points and hog headlines. It is a clumsy, misplaced attempt to demonstrate good intentions, after messing up big time. Unfortunately for Didi, the latest stunt has backfired and comes off as a loud, theatrical act that has raised more questions on the rape-murder scandal, without addressing the issues themselves. Is anything likely to change anytime soon? Will the passing of the bill transform the lives of women by ensuring their safety? Certainly not! This is an eyewash, and hogwash, that hasn't fooled anyone. So long as there is police apathy and appalling conditions at the workplace remain, the bill will be a piece of worthless paper. A footnote, best ignored.

It may be worth researching why women in the Northeast are relatively better off, with a lower rate of sexual crimes than the national average. Are they more valued in society? Better respected? Is the mindset of men from the Northeast significantly different from that of their counterparts in Delhi? Why is Delhi stuck with such a vile reputation? How come Delhi "leads" with one nasty incident per 700 women -- the country's highest? If India's capital can "boast" about this "achievement", is there any wonder why the rest of the country damns the "rape culture" there and families are reluctant to allow their daughters to seek employment in such a dangerous city? But Mumbai, with all its swag, is not much better, despite the perception of it being the safest metropolis in India. It is anything but! Millions of female Mumbaikars risk assault on a daily basis as they rush to work, looking over their shoulders constantly. Most cop stations are frightfully under-manned and the havaldars on duty barely look up when a woman walks in to file a rape complaint. She is treated like a nuisance who is wasting their precious time and keeping them away from more important cases.

With all the noise surrounding the Kolkata rape and murder case, the selective outrage also underlines the class discrimination faced by other rape victims, like the two Dalit teens who were found hanging from a tree in UP's Farrukhabad district. Officials claimed swabs were sent for testing "to rule out rape", after the family protested. Since when has the "swab test" become the definitive test to establish rape?

I am scratching my head to find some cheerful news worth sharing as we herald the forthcoming festive season. I am stumped! I can't get over the absurdity of all the stories surrounding the 35-foot steel statue of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj that toppled over at Rajkot Fort in Malvan. The impressive statue of the warrior king was inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi in December 2023 during the Navy Day celebrations. Nine months later, the gigantic statue fell off its pedestal during high winds. And all hell broke loose as rival political parties started the blame game. Meanwhile, the terrified sculptor disappeared! I am feeling really bad for 39-year-old Jaydeep Apte, whose track record has been pretty impressive so far. In 2019, Apte was commissioned by the UK-based Sikh Soldier organisation to sculpt a bronze bust of a Sikh soldier which was unveiled in West Yorkshire.

Literature & Health

Dental implants are not cosmetic

Sometimes, an injury, accident or an untreated tooth infection can lead to tooth loss. In most cases of infection, if treated in time, a root canal procedure, followed by capping of the tooth, can help save the tooth to some extent.

According to the Food and Drug Administration, USA, when a tooth is lost due to injury or disease, a person can experience complications such as rapid bone loss, defective speech, or changes in chewing patterns that can cause discomfort. Replacing a lost tooth or teeth with a dental implant can significantly improve a patient's quality of life and health.



A vacant, toothless space in the jawbone can cause the bone to deteriorate in the gap(s) due to the lack of stimulation. After extraction, if the gap is not filled up after a year, the jawbone loses its volume by up to 25 per cent and will continue to deteriorate. This can change the shape of mouth and face. A dental implant can restore stimulation, stabilise the jawbone and prevent jawbone loss, giving better chewing ability, preserving the health of the surrounding bone and gums and helping keep the adjacent teeth stable. With good dental hygiene, implants can last a lifetime. In case of a severely broken or cracked tooth or teeth, dental implants are a better option if your budget allows. Damaged teeth can pose risks of oral diseases as well as chewing issues. However, implants are not advised in persons who are younger than 18, who smoke or use tobacco products, have much jawbone loss, poor oral hygiene, lot of cavities, periodontal (gum) disease, etc.

Spinning out of control

A COUPLE of years back, actor Ayushmann Khurrana spoke about his struggle with vertigo. An inner-ear disorder, it affects over 7 crore people in India. A feeling of dizziness or spinning in severe cases, vomiting, nausea and sweating are the most common symptoms. These are most of the time mistaken for low blood sugar, high BP, anxiety or even heart attack.

This was exactly what happened with Kharar-based Charanjit. A sudden onset of head spinning, vomiting and sweating made his family suspect a heart attack and they rushed him to a hospital. All his tests, including an ECG and MRI, came out to be normal. He was then referred to an ENT specialist, who diagnosed it as BPPV or benign paroxysmal positional vertigo, the most common form of vertigo. It's caused when tiny calcium particles are dislodged from their normal location and collect in the inner ear or can be caused by head trauma, certain head exercises/movements and viral infections. BPPV is usually a self-limiting condition.



Vertigo is usually a symptom of many health issues rather than a disease itself, but it can occur along with other symptoms.

If a person is experiencing any vertigo symptoms, it is important to find out if the problem is originating in the ear, or in the brain. Besides BPPV, migraine associated vertigo is the second most common cause. Symptoms include spinning, imbalance, headaches, neck stiffness, intermittent blurring of vision, intolerance to bright lights and loud sounds.

POEMS

The Flower-School

When storm-clouds rumble in the sky and June showers come down. The moist east wind comes marching over the heath to blow its bagpipes among the bamboos. Then crowds of flowers come out of a sudden, from nobody knows where, and dance upon the grass in wild glee. Mother, I really think the flowers go to school underground. They do their lessons with doors shut, and if they want to come out to play before it is time, their master makes them stand in a corner. When the rain come they have their holidays.

Rabindranath Tagore

UK should check social media use to spread hatred, instigate violence

"When all compassion
Goes out of fashion
The sceptics have their way
When every loving notion
Is subject to commotion
The cynics win the day
But Bachchoo, even so
The faithful will still know
That white and black are merely dark
Or cleaned up shades of grey".

From Sweeter Kavita, by Bachchoo

This week a flimsy dingy carrying an overload of wretched asylum seekers trying to get to British shores across the English Channel sank, killing twelve people -- including several children.

This is a recurring tragedy. These asylum seekers are, most of them at least, fleeing persecution from countries such as Afghanistan, Sudan, Somalia and a hundred others.

They pay criminal gangs thousands of pounds to get them to Turkey, Europe and then to Britain. The Tory and now the Labour government say the solution is to target and eliminate these gangs. Easier said than done. The gangs operate from the countries where the asylum seekers originate, through subsidiaries in Europe and to flunkeys in France who are low-level members of the gangs and are entrusted with cramming perhaps ninety people onto a dingy meant to hold thirty or forty and setting them loose at night to sink or swim if the boat collapses.



The French authorities, whom the UK governments subsidise for the operations of crackdown on the people-smuggling gangs, have publicly stated that they blame Britain's lax employment laws, which facilitate cheap immigrant labour, which lure these asylum-seekers.

Those who survive the crossings are picked up by Britain's Royal Navy or the Coast Guard and lead a suspended life for months and even years while their claims to asylum are being assessed by what has been proved to be a slow and woefully under-manned department of the home office.

Accommodating the asylum-seekers during this process is seen by the rabble-rousers as an unnecessary drain on the exchequer and hence the British taxpayer.

In July this year three very young children were brutally murdered in a dance class in Stockport when a young man, with some acquaintance with this Taylor-Swift-themed dance class, entered with a sword and attacked the children and the adults who then confronted him.

His identity, under British law which forbids under-age criminals being named, was kept from the media. Rabble-rousers, people opposed to immigrants of any sort and others who have long felt and asserted that "Muslim" immigrants are responsible for horrible crimes, got in the act and onto the social media.

These included far-right politicians such as the leader of the Reform Party, Nigel Farage, who said on TV that the police were keeping the identity of the murderer under wraps because he was perhaps a Muslim immigrant.

I have to be clear here. Mr Farage did not say this explicitly. He merely said that we were not being told the whole truth. And yet in my estimation I think the people who vote for and follow the policies of Mr Farage and Reform would take the implication that the murderer was a Muslim asylum-seeker and that this manner of horrific slaughter was attributable to just such a person. The rabble-rousing worked. Riots followed in perhaps twenty cities of the UK from July 30 to August 5. Hundreds of rioters attempted to set fire to mosques and buildings where asylum seekers were housed and attacked the police who were on duty to preserve the peace. The Labour government was not going to stand by and Sir Keir Starmer and home secretary Yvette Cooper swiftly deployed the police in force to stop this thuggery.

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NEWS BRIEF

Seven-day NSS camp inaugurated in school



AVINASH CHAUHAN
AMB: The seven day National Service Scheme (NSS) camp was inaugurated on Saturday in Amb Avinash Chauhan Government Senior Secondary School, Behad Jaswan, under the chairmanship of Principal Parasram Thakur. This camp will run from 7th September to 13th September. This camp will work under the supervision of program officer Vijay Kumar and Madam Manju Wala. Eighteen girl students and thirteen boy students will participate in this camp. The principal, in his address, gave detailed information to the volunteers about topics like staying disciplined, importance of education, benefits of sports, participating in social work, etc. and also told them the benefits of working in a group. Program officer Vijay Kumar said that in these seven days, the students will clean the school premises, clean natural water sources, and clean the rural footpaths.

Bike rider dies after collision with bus

AVINASH CHAUHAN
AMB: A 27-year-old youth died after colliding with a bus in Kuthiyari of Amb. The deceased has been identified as Rajat Kumar 27 son of Ramchandra resident Thathal district Una. Police has registered a case on the basis of the statement of the passenger in the bus and has started further proceedings. According to the information, Matwar Singh Rana son of Mirza Ram resident Jaddu tehsil Sujanpur district Hamirpur, currently resident H. No. 68 Sukh Enclave Block C Kharar Punjab district Mohali Punjab has registered a case that on Friday night he was travelling in an HTC bus going from Chandigarh to Uhal. When this bus reached near Kuthiyari at around 10.15 pm, suddenly a motorcyclist came out of the link road with his motorcycle and came in the middle of the main road and started colliding with the bus. The bus driver showed alertness and turned the bus towards the other direction. Despite this, the motorcycle collided with the left side of the bus and fell down and got seriously injured. The youth was brought to Civil Hospital Amb through 108, where the doctor after giving first aid referred him to the Regional Hospital Una.

National Lok Adalat to be held in Una District on Sept 14

KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA: The District and Sessions Court of Una and the court complex at Subdivision Amb will host a National Lok Adalat on September 14. Various cases will be resolved based on agreements during this National Lok Adalat. Anita Sharma, Secretary of the District Legal Services Authority, informed that the Lok Adalat will address criminal compoundable cases, civil disputes, cheque bounce cases under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, consumer complaints, motor vehicle recovery cases, and more. Additionally, it will handle road accident claims, electricity and water-related issues, and land acquisition cases.

IRG organizes rally and nutritional awareness program on final day of Nutrition Week

SHANTI GAUTAM
BADDI: On the final day of Nutrition Week, the IRG NGO, in collaboration with the Child Development Project of Nalagarh, organized a grand awareness program in Billawali. The event saw the active participation of 25 Anganwadi workers from Baddi division, along with nursing students from Baddi University and Avasthi Institute of Nursing. The day began with a rally aimed at spreading the message of nutrition and health, where participants used slogans and messages to raise awareness about the importance of balanced nutrition.



CM vows to take over Shanan Project

Will approach Supreme Court for directing Punjab in the matter

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, SEPT 7



Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu, while presiding over a meeting of senior officers of the Energy Department here today, emphasized on the need to assert Himachal Pradesh's rightful claims in the Court of Law to maximize benefits to the people of the State. He said that 110 MW Shanan Hydel Project in Jogindernagar must be handed over to Himachal Pradesh, as the lease period of this project in favour of Punjab has expired.

He said that the State Government would urge the Supreme Court to direct the Punjab Government to handover the project back to Himachal Pradesh before 31st October this year. He said that the matter would also be taken up with the Government of India and Punjab Government to ensure prompt transfer of the project.

The State Government would also expedite the matter of securing Himachal Pradesh's legitimate rights in the BBMB, as adjudicated by the Supreme Court earlier, stated the Chief Minister. The State Government will leave no stone unturned to achieve this goal, he affirmed, adding that a notice of non-compliance of the implementation agreement will be served to JSW Company regarding the 1045 MW Karcham Wangtoo Hydro Power Project as well.

To safeguard the interests of the State in the hydel sector, it has been decided to ensure 12 percent, 18 percent and 30 percent royalty slabs in the power projects and after 40 years, the project will be handed over back to the State, reiterated the Chief Minister. He said that this step would also go a long way in strengthening the economy of the State.

Hydro power and tourism were the key sectors for the economy of the State and the present State Government was giving top priority to both these sectors. The State Government has envisioned making Himachal Pradesh a self-reliant State by the year 2027 and positioning it among the most prosperous States in the country by 2032, stated the Chief Minister.

Chief Parliamentary Secretary Sanjay Awasthy, Principal Advisor to Chief Minister Ram Subhag Singh, Chief Secretary Prabodh Saxena, Principal Secretary Finance Devesh Kumar, Secretary to Chief Minister Rakesh Kanwar, Secretary Law Sharad Kumar Lagwal, Managing Director HPSEBL Sandeep Kumar, Director Energy Harikesh Meena, Special Secretary Power Arindam Chaudhary and other senior officers were present in the meeting.

Jairam Thakur opposes tourist village in Agricultural University, urges focus on research

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, SEPT 7



Leader of Opposition Jairam Thakur has voiced his strong opposition to the government's proposal to establish a tourist village at Palampur Agricultural University. Speaking to the media, Thakur criticized the idea, calling it "ridiculous" and urged the government to build the tourist village elsewhere. He emphasized that the primary purpose of agricultural universities is to focus on agriculture-related education, training, and research, and that diverting university land for commercial purposes is unacceptable. Thakur revealed that similar proposals had been made during his government, but they were categorically rejected, as large areas of land are required for agricultural research. He suggested that if the current government finds the university's land underutilized, it should instead open more research institutions related to agriculture. Thakur stressed that using the university's land for non-agricultural purposes would hinder agricultural research, which is vital for India's self-sufficiency in food production. He further pointed out that agricultural universities worldwide have ample land for research, which is essential for long-term studies.

Members of Vyapar Mandal Amb give memorandum to SDO

AVINASH CHAUHAN
AMB, SEPT 7



Traders came out on the streets against the temporary market being set up during the Chintapurni Festival being celebrated in the sports ground of Amb's Nagar Panchayat. The traders kept their shops closed till 12:00 in the morning. They demonstrated their anger and raised slogans from Ramlila Ground to SDM office.

They submitted their memorandum to SDM Vivek Mahajan. Traders say that they have been facing the brunt of recession for a long time. Now when it is their time to do business, the administration is betraying them by allowing shopkeepers from outside areas to set up shops under the pretext of Chintapurni Festival. Traders coming from outside states sell their poor quality goods at cheap prices, due to which their business is adversely affected.

They have demanded from the administration that this permanent market should be closed. Traders say that if the administration does not close this temporary market, then the traders will continue their movement in protest and they will close their shops and hand over the keys to the SDM office.

The traders have also sent a copy of their memorandum to the Chief Minister of the state Sukhwinder Singh Sukhu, MLA of Chintpurni assembly area Sudarshan Singh Bablu, DC Una and President of Nagar Panchayat Amb Hindu Dhiman.

48 weather stations to be set up for early warning on rainfall and cloudbursts

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, SEPT 7



To enhance weather data accuracy and improve response to climate-related challenges, the State government signed an MOU with the Indian Meteorological Department (IMD) in the presence of Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu on Friday late evening. Under the agreement, 48 automatic weather stations will be installed across the state initially, providing real-time data to improve forecasting and preparedness, particularly for sectors like agriculture and horticulture. The network will later be expanded to the block level in a phased manner. Currently, 22 automatic weather stations are already operational, set up by the IMD. The Chief Minister stated that this network of weather stations would significantly improve the management of natural disasters like excessive rainfall, flash floods, snowfall and cloudbursts by enhancing early warning systems and emergency response capabilities.

Additionally, the State government reached a consensus with Agenc Française de Development (AFD) to provide Rs. 890 crore for a comprehensive disaster and climate risk reduction project. The Chief Minister said "The project will help transition the state towards a more resilient disaster management framework, focusing on strengthening infrastructure, governance, and institutional capacity."

He said that the funds will be directed towards strengthening the Himachal Pradesh State Disaster Management Authority (HPSDMA), District Disaster Management Authorities (DDMAs), and both state and district Emergency Operations Centers (EOCs). Additional efforts include conducting Climate Change Vulnerability Assessments (CCVA) at the village level and developing an Early Warning System (EWS) for various natural disasters.

The initiative will also expand fire response capabilities by establishing new fire stations in unserved areas and upgrading existing ones to handle hazardous material emergencies. It aims to build bioengineering nurseries for landslide mitigation, create earthquake-resistant infrastructure, and improve last-mile connectivity through an enhanced satellite network.

BJP gears up for Beed Bagehra Zila Parishad by-election amidst infighting

RAJNEESH SHARMA
HAMIRPUR, SEPT 7

In the upcoming Zila Parishad by-election for Beed Bagehra, located in Sujanpur Assembly constituency of Hamirpur district, both BJP and Congress are vying to overturn the results. Congress MLA Captain Ranjeet Singh and former MLA Rajendra Rana are pulling out all the stops to ensure victory for their respective candidates.

The BJP has fielded former Jandru Panchayat head Praveen Thakur as its candidate and has already launched its election campaign. On the other hand, despite the proximity of the election, Congress is yet to announce its candidate, even as the nomination process begins on September 11.

Several BJP leaders were keen to contest the Beed Bagehra by-election, including former Mandal president Virender Thakur, Baldev Rana, Captain Pyar Chand, and Anjana Thakur. Now that Praveen Thakur has been finalized as the BJP candidate, it remains to be seen how effectively the party can prevent internal sabotage during the campaign.

Notably, the BJP lost the Sujanpur Assembly by-election just two months ago, and it has been reported that the party's standing in the panchayats of Beed Bagehra is weak, with significant internal rifts affecting their performance.

Rajendra Rana, who was BJP's candidate in the Assembly by-election, will be aiming to defeat Congress MLA Captain Ranjeet Singh in his home turf. Meanwhile, Captain Ranjeet, who was previously the Zila Parishad member from the same Beed Bagehra seat, is determined to see the Congress flag fly high. This by-election is shaping up to be a tight and intriguing contest.

Nominations for the Beed Bagehra seat can be filed from September 11 to 13, between 11 AM and 3 PM. The scrutiny of nomination papers will take place on September 16 at 10 AM, with the last date for withdrawal of nominations set for September 18, between 10 AM and 3 PM.

Afterward, election symbols will be allotted to the candidates. Voting will take place on September 28, from 8 AM to 4 PM, and the counting of votes will occur on September 30.

In Tibet we see the guru as the root of the path: Samdhong Rinpoche

SANAJY AGGARWAL
DHARAMSHALA, SEP 7



Speaking at an event at Tsuglagkhang, the main Tibetan temple in McLeod Ganj, Professor Samdhong Rinpoche said that there is a dependence on the guru in action and thought. When you practice guru-yoga you do it in relation to a meditation deity with whom you have a special relationship. This text adopts an approach that is consistent with guru-yoga in the Supreme Yoga Tantra. Whatever you practice of the existence of the three potentials, it cannot be done without the guidance of a guru. In Tibet we see the guru as the root of the path.

He said that this life of freedom is more than a wish-fulfilling jewel and you will get such a life only once. It is rare, easily lost and as fleeting as the lightning in the sky. With this in mind, understand that all worldly actions are like chaff blowing in the wind, so you must constantly make the best use of this life day and night. I, a yogi, practice in this way, you who aspire to liberation should do the same. This precious human life is like a wish-fulfilling jewel. It is hard to get and it is easily lost. If you cannot take advantage of this opportunity, there will be no greater cause for regret. You should not think that you will get such a life again in the future. Therefore, put aside worldly activities and engage in spiritual practice. He said the Land of Snow is a place where sentient beings had not been subdued by previous Buddhas. In fact, the fourth Buddha of this fortunate age, Shakyamuni, had the opportunity to do so. And it was prophesied that Avalokiteshvara, the embodiment of the compassion of all Buddhas, the essence of the path, would be the guardian deity of the Land of Snow.

Courageous rescue operation under SP Baddi's supervision: Man saved from Bald Khadd, Police and Firefighters awarded



SHANTI GAUTAM
BADDI: On Friday, Baddi police received information that a man was trapped in the sudden surge of water in Bald Khadd. Acting swiftly, the police dispatched a team to the site and notified the NDRF and the fire department. In a joint rescue effort, Baddi police and the fire department successfully rescued Ajayveer, son of Ram Naresh, a resident of Ram Healthcare Company, Barotiwala, Himachal Pradesh, with permanent residency in Uttar Pradesh. SP Baddi, Alma Afroz, personally arrived at the scene and bravely supervised the entire rescue operation. Despite the heavy rainfall, she boosted the morale of the team and encouraged them throughout the challenging mission. The team from Barotiwala Police Station, including SI Neelam Sharma, ASI Naresh, Constable Maninder Singh, Constable Parvinder Singh, and HHC Hemraj, played a crucial role in the rescue.

Modern technology and public support will transform govt schools into world-class institutions: Dr. Pushpender

RAJNEESH SHARMA
HAMIRPUR, SEPT 7



Teacher's Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Lambloo Government Senior Secondary School. Senior Congress leader Dr. Pushpender Verma was the chief guest at the event, where the school's principal, Atul Sharma, and the School Management Committee (SMC) president and members, along with the local community, warmly welcomed him.

Dr. Verma began by extending Teacher's Day greetings to all the teachers, expressing his pride in adopting this government school under the "Apna Vidyalaya" initiative. He highlighted the vision of the Chief Minister, which aims to involve the public in school programs and infrastructure development, ensuring that free government education reaches more children and contributes to their overall development.

Dr. Verma mentioned that under this initiative, smart classrooms are being established, and modern sports equipment is being provided for students. Additionally, to address the shortage of staff in schools, the Chief Minister has recently hired 2,300 regular teachers across various categories in just the last one and a half months.

During the event, Dr. Verma also administered an oath to the students, encouraging them to stay away from drugs.

Efforts to connect students, parents, and teachers through Teachers' Day and educational dialogue at Tauni Devi

RAJNEESH SHARMA
HAMIRPUR, SEPT 7



Teacher's Day celebrations at the Government Senior Secondary School in Tauni Devi emphasized the profound role of teachers in Indian tradition and culture, a significance upheld since ancient times.

The school marked the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, India's second President, with enthusiasm and respect for the teaching profession.

The day began with students celebrating their favorite teachers by giving them greeting cards, gifts, and cutting cakes in their honor. Teachers, in turn, inspired students to follow in the footsteps of Dr. Radhakrishnan, wishing them a bright future. The school was beautifully decorated, adding to the festive atmosphere. In addition to the celebrations, the school held its first Shikshan Samvad (Educational Dialogue) between the school management and parents. Topics of discussion included the results of the first terminal examination, the Swachhata Pakhwada cleanliness campaign, the "Mera School Mera Abhimaan" initiative, ongoing development work in the school, and the district-level Under-19 boys' sports competition set to take place on September 24. Parents were also thanked for their support in providing Tithi Bhojan (community meals) during the mid-day meal program. Principal Rajneesh Rangra spoke about the life and philosophy of Dr. Radhakrishnan, highlighting his lasting contributions to the field of education. He emphasized the importance of discipline among students and said that if education is imparted correctly, societal ills can be eradicated. He urged teachers to go beyond the curriculum and impart life skills to students, reminding them that teachers are role models for children.

The principal expressed gratitude to the parents for participating in the dialogue, acknowledging the crucial role they play in their children's education. Teachers Vijay Kumar, Leena, and head Raman Malkania also shared their views, stressing the importance of communication between students, teachers, and the community for the school's progress.

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Teachers' Day celebrated at Baba Sheikh Farid High School



BALWINDER AZAD
BARNALA DEHATI: Teacher's Day was celebrated with full enthusiasm under the leadership of Principal Kuldeep Kaur at Baba Sheikh Farid High School Gursevak Nagar Barnala. On this occasion, Director of Baba Sheikh Farid High School, Jasveer Singh Sidhu, speaking during the event, said that the Teacher's Day is dedicated to the former President of India, Dr. Sarbappalli Radha Krishnan, and he has a great contribution in the field of education, and remembered his achievements.

'Sarkar Aapke Dwar' camp held in village Thuliwal, people take advantage of govt services



KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA: On the instructions of the Punjab government headed by Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, a camp was set up today at Big Gurudwara Sahib village Thuliwal under the series of 'Sarkar Aapke Dwar' camps in Barnala district, which was benefited by the people of Thuliwal, Manal, Mangewal, Gumti and Kurr. took Additional Deputy Commissioner (j) Latif Ahmed and Sub Divisional Magistrate Barnala Gurbir Singh Kohli arrived in this camp under the leadership of Deputy Commissioner Madam Punamdeep Kaur, who reviewed the services provided by various departments. On this occasion, almost all the departments, Labor Department, Horticulture, Fisheries, Social Security, Agriculture Department, Health Department, Service Center, Sanjh Center and various other departments put up their stalls and applied for government schemes. On this occasion, services of various certificates such as birth certificate, caste certificate, income certificate, NREGA job card etc. were provided by the service center.

Ex-servicemen landed in the field with tools to save people from accidents

JAIBEER RANA THAMBER
BARARA: The way the soldier serves people by staying on the border, similarly the soldier cares about the people within the country. Ex -servicemen have tightened up to save people from accidents due to bushes. Actually, there is a sharp goal on the road leading to Nahra-Dera Salimpur village of sub-division. At this turn and the rings of dense shrubs and trees are tilted towards the road. For this reason, vehicles coming and going face to face at this turn are not visible to each other. Due to which accidents occur often here. In which people are injured and vehicles are also damaged.

Environmental awareness program highlights dangers of plastic bags

DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHIARPUR: Under its CSR imitative-Vardhman Yarns &Threads Ltd, Hoshiarpur has initiated Environment Awareness Programme – PARIVARTAN under its CSR Intiative. In this regard, the awareness sessions has



been conducted in Govt. Sr. Sec. School- Ajram, Govt. Sr. Sec. School- Mengriwal & ITI-Hoshiarpur on 4th, 5th & 6th September '24. The objective is to educate the people of Hoshiarpur especially Children (citizens of tomorrow) regarding harmful effects of single use plastic for reduction in use of Polythene (Plastic) Bags & other single use plastic items which have been banned by the government. Parminder Singh Sr.VP-Engg & EHS, Vardhman, gave a presentation on the adverse effects of single use plastic and educated the students and teachers on how they can contribute in reducing single use plastic.

"Till there is no peace, no talks with Pakistan," says Amit Shah, slams NC-Congress manifesto

AGENCY
JAMMU, SEPT 7



Launching a scathing attack on Congress and the National Conference's manifesto, Union Minister and BJP leader Amit Shah said on Saturday that they want to bring back the old system and start talks with Pakistan but "till there is no peace, there will be no talks with Pakistan."

Criticising the Congress and National Conference's manifesto, Shah said that they want to spread terrorism, snatch reservations of Gujjars, Bakarwal, Paharis and Dalits, release criminals and start LOC trade with Pakistan in Jammu and Kashmir.

Stating the BJP's 10 agendas for elections, Shah said, "Congress and NC want to bring back two flags, article in Jammu and Kashmir, will you? They want to snatch the reservation of Gujjars, Bakarwal, Paharis and Dalits. I want to tell one thing to Rahul Gandhi: no matter how much effort you put in, we will not let the reservation of Gujjars, Bakarwal, Paharis and Dalits be touched. Abrogation of Article 370 has given rights to women, will you let them snatch their rights? They want to release the criminals wrapped up in terrorism, but we won't let them spread terrorism in Jammu, Poonch, Rajouri, and Doda. They say we will re-start LoC trade, but who will benefit from it? There profit will be used in spreading terrorism. They want to talk to Pakistan but I want to say that till there is no peace, there will be no talks with Pakistan."

"Three families want Jammu and Kashmir to incline towards terrorism. Gandhi, Abdullah and the Mufti family have looted money from Jammu and Kashmir; they want to restore the old system, which means there will be inequality in Jammu. No power can talk about giving autonomy to Jammu and Kashmir. They are fooling the people of Jammu and Kashmir. Rahul Gandhi should stop misguiding people. They want to snatch the reservation of Gujjars, Bakarwal, Paharis and Dalits," said Shah.

The Home Minister said that the alliance was fooling people by saying they would restore statehood to Jammu and Kashmir as only the government can do this and PM Modi will do this.

"Congress and National Conference are saying they will restore statehood. Tell me who can give it? It is only the Central government, PM Modi who can give it. So stop fooling the people of Jammu and Kashmir. We have said that at an appropriate time after the elections, we will give statehood to Jammu and Kashmir.

Arora inaugurates walking track on the bank of Sirhand Chow

SUMER GARG
SUNAM, SEPT 7



Punjab Cabinet Minister, Aman Arora while giving another important gift to the local residents inaugurated the newly built walking track along the Sirhand Chow and said that for a long time he had this idea in his mind that to protect the life of the people walking around the main roads, a project should be made, where people can enjoy a tension free walk in a pleasant environment. As soon as the government of Aam Aadmi Party was formed in Punjab, for the development of Sunam city he has started many projects, this walking track project was one of them, which has been dedicated to the public today. He said that the length of this walking track is 1300 meters and the width is 8 feet, in which other facilities will be ensured for the convenience of people in the coming time. He further said that seating arrangements have also been made here for the convenience of people taking advantage of the walking track and 3700 saplings are being planted to create a green environment, so that the walkers can get in touch with nature. Mr Arora said that under the leadership of Chief Minister, Bhagwant Singh Mann, efforts are being made in a phased manner to make Sunam assembly constituency (SAC) the leading constituency of the state in terms of development and under this series, works costing crores of rupees are under progress and after the completion of many pro-people projects have been dedicated to the people.

Congress will free people from BJP's misrule: Ashok Khurana

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL, SEPT 7



Ashok Khurana, a strong contender for the Congress ticket from the Karnal Assembly seat, vowed to address the issues faced by residents of Madras Colony if elected. He promised to prioritize development work in the colony and ensure the completion of the temple reconstruction, a key demand from the residents. During a public meeting, the colony's residents warmly welcomed Khurana and pledged their full support. Later, Khurana visited Prem Nagar with his team for further outreach.

Khurana expressed confidence that the day is near when the Congress will form the government in Haryana, bringing happier times for every citizen. He emphasized that only Congress can free the public from the ten years of BJP's misrule.

He also informed the colony's residents about Congress's manifesto and assured them that public interest issues will be included in the party's declaration. Several local leaders and supporters, including Harish Arya, Sanjeev Kumar, Praveen Arya, Amit Munjal, Sandeep Arora, and others, were present during the meeting.

Edu fiesta and Grandparents Day celebrated with great enthusiasm and fervor



RAHUL KOHLI
YAMUNANAGAR: Why are the values instilled in childhood so strong, and why do they tend to weaken later in life - Mr.Vijay Kapur,Chairman, DAV Public School Yamunanagar On September 7th, at DAV Public School, Professor Colony, Yamunanagar, Edu fiesta, and Grandparents Day for Nur,I and II,was organized in which there was a celebration of learning, innovation, and expression. Students showcased their creativity and learning through dynamic performances .The event held in the school Activity Hall was a testament to the students' enthusiasm for learning and ability to apply educational concepts in life. Our honorable principal and dignified grandparents inaugurated the Edu fiesta and Grandparents Day Celebration by kindling lamp virtually. Students performed skits and role play based on various themes, including sports, computers, moral values, and environmental awareness.Various performances like song and dance for expressing gratitude to Grandparents Day were presented by students.

VGFI and PIET collaborate for Skill India Projects



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL, SEPT 7

The renowned Global Foundation of India (VGFI) team visited PIET College, Panipat, where an MOU was signed between VGFI and PIET College. VGFI Chairman Rakesh Sachdeva, along with team members Kapil Madan (General Secretary), Mahesh Sharma (Communications Director), Rahul Sharma (Media Coordinator), and Aman Sharma (IT Cell), toured the ongoing projects in PIET's labs. They congratulated Chairman Hari Om Tayal and Vice Chairman Rakesh Tayal, extending their best wishes for future endeavors. Both institutions are set to collaborate on new Skill India projects aimed at creating a brighter future for students.

Barnala lawyers protest against police administration by stopping work



KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA: In connection with the arrest of those who beat up a lawyer and his family members at Sunam Udham Singh Wala, a group of lawyers under the leadership of District Bar Association President Jaswinder Singh Dhidsa today protested against the police administration by stopping their work. Demanded the immediate arrest of the attackers On this occasion, President Jaswinder Singh Dhindsa, Vice President Chamkaur Singh Bhathal and Secretary Sumant Goyal said that the police have registered a case against those who beat lawyer Sehal Bansal and his family members at Sanam Udham Singh Wala in the past, but they The arrest was not made, due to which the lawyers are protesting He said that the attacks on doctors and lawyers are increasing day by day, the government should take special measures to stop the attacks so that the lawyers can do their work without hesitation. demanded the Punjab government to implement the Advocate Protection Act for the protection of lawyers during the ongoing session and to ensure the safety of lawyers.

Teacher's Day celebrated with enthusiasm at Rayat Bahra Education City



DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHIARPUR: Teacher's Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Rayat Bahra Education City. Various programs were organized across all colleges in the campus to honor the teachers, with students presenting performances including dance, singing, and skits that captivated everyone. Gurvinder Singh Bahra, Chairman of Rayat Bahra Group, extended Teacher's Day greetings to the teachers and appreciated their contribution. He highlighted that teachers play an indispensable role in societal development. Bahra stated that teachers give direction to students' lives and help shape their personalities. He praised the dedication and hard work of teachers, noting that they not only impart knowledge but also teach students values such as morality and discipline. Campus Director Dr. Chander Mohan also spoke about the significance of teachers, stating that they are not just educators but also guides who help students lead successful lives. He urged teachers to focus on the holistic development of students and assist them in becoming responsible citizens of society.

MCM holds poster making competition on Dr. Radhakrishnan



BUREAU
CHANDIGARH: The Sophies Club, Department of Philosophy at Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women, Chandigarh, held an On-the-Spot Poster Making Competition on the theme 'Tribute to Dr. Radhakrishnan: The Philosopher and Teacher'. The competition envisioned to celebrate the life of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan and inspire the youth to learn from it. In total, 32 students participated in the competition, using their creativity to depict various aspects of the life of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan and his imperative role as a teacher and philosopher. and they were judged based on the creativity, relevance to the topic and overall presentation. Cash prizes were awarded to the first three position holders.

Principal Dr. Nisha Bhargava lauded this initiative of the Philosophy Department to educate students about the exemplary personality that Dr. Radhakrishnan was. She added that despite all his accomplishments and contributions, Dr. Radhakrishnan remained a teacher throughout his life as he firmly believed in the role of teachers as nation builders.

RR Bawa DAV College for Girls, Batala organises 'Sur-Sangam' event on 'Teachers' Day'



VERMA
BATALA: Under the patronage of Dr. Ekta Khosla, Principal RR Bawa DAV College for Girls, Batala and under the guidance of Miss Udesh Kumari (Head of Music Department), 'Sur-Sangam' event on the occasion of 'Teacher's Day' was organized in the college campus. The students of various departments participated in this event enthusiastically. The budding artists showcased their talents and performed Geet Ghazal, Shabad and Folk Songs etc.

On this occasion, Principal Dr. Ekta Khosla congratulated the participants for their mesmerising performances and wished them a bright future ahead. She also stated that these cultural events serve as are platform for the students to showcase their talents, creativity and team work. On this occasion, Dr. Indira Rani, Mrs. Deepti Kanda, Dr. Hardeep Kaur, Kumari Damanpreet Kaur, Mrs. Kulwinder Kaur, Dr. Navneet Kaur and Mr. Yogesh Kumar were also present.

Talent Hunt program organised at Lamrin Tech Skills University

JATINDER PAL SINGH KALER
BALACHAUR, SEPT 7



The University School of Commerce and Management, Lamrin Tech Skills University Punjab organized a Talent Hunt Program for the new students of the 2024 batch. The event was a spectacular display of the diverse talents of students across various fields. The Talent Hunt provided a platform for students to showcase their abilities, not only highlighting the talents of the participants but also encouraging other students to step forward and reveal their hidden potential.

The primary objective of the event was to discover the hidden talents of the freshers and to instill a sense of discipline among them. Students enthusiastically took part in various events, including poetic recitations, self-composed poetry, and a range of dance performances such as classical, Punjabi, and contemporary styles.

A standout feature of the event was the musical performances, where students showcased their singing abilities and even composed their own music. The audience was treated to a wide range of musical genres, including pop, rock, classical, and folk, reflecting the rich musical diversity within the university. The energy of the audience, filled with cheers and applause, created a supportive and vibrant atmosphere, fostering a sense of camaraderie between the performers and spectators.

Grand Parents Day celebrated in SBS School

KARANPREET KARAN
BARNALA, SEPT 7



Grandparents often hold a special place in our hearts. Often kind and generous, grandparents are a source of comfort whose memories of time spent with them last a lifetime. Grandparent's Day is celebrated to honor the grandparents of the grandchildren. Therefore, Grand Parents Day was celebrated by SBS Public School, Surjitpura to honor the love and respect of grandparents. Which was started by the teacher Harmanpreet Kaur with a poem. He told the children about the special importance of grandparents in life. He said that with the birth of grandchildren in the house, the grandparents are born again because they have a lot of pampering with their grandchildren.

They sacrifice themselves for the happiness of children. He was eager to fulfill every wish of the children. He said that grandparents are like a library in the house, who have a wealth of knowledge with the experience of age, due to which they give children original, religious, social education in the form of stories. Children from nursery to first class showed their love for their grandparents through dance. The fifth and sixth class children worshiped their grandparents with love and respect with choreography.

Barinder Singh Sohal takes charge as Sub-Divisional Engineer of Central Works Sub-Division Gurdaspur



VERMA
GURDASPUR: In the office of the Public Works Department Complex Gurdaspur, Engineer Barinder Singh Sohal took charge as the Sub-Divisional Engineer of the Central Works Sub-Division Gurdaspur. On this occasion, Harjot Singh (Executive Engineer), Lovjit Singh, and Amandeep Singh, both Sub-Divisional Engineers, along with their staff, congratulated Engineer Sohal by presenting him with a bouquet of flowers. During this time, Barinder Singh Sohal said that while serving as a Junior Engineer in Gurdaspur, he fulfilled his responsibilities with full dedication and would now perform the duties assigned to him by the Punjab government with honesty and commitment. He instructed his staff that the public's work should be prioritized.

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People are upset with performance of Lehra Bega Toll Plaza officials

RAMPURA PHUL (KULJIT SINGH DHINGRA): The toll plaza at Lehra Bega on the Bathinda-Zirakpur national highway has been negligent in repairing the road even after collecting the toll tax from the passers-by. There were cracks at many places on this road which have been negligently repaired. Because they have been filled and raised higher than the road which is a big mistake. When the passerby is coming on his vehicle, he goes out of control and there is a risk of an accident. But still the toll plaza officials are sleeping soundly. The people of Rampura Phool city are also angry with the toll plaza officials that this toll plaza is only 12 km away from Rampura Phul. Still not taken in 20 km radius. This is unfair to the people of the city. While the villages away from Rampura Phul are toll free.



NEWS BRIEF

Failure to return citizen bank's loan proved costly, FIR lodged against 5 people



HARPREET SINGH LEHAL
JALANDHAR: Raj Kumari wife of Trilok Kumar and Vikas son of Trilok Kumar had taken loan from Kishanpura branch of The Citizens Urban Cooperative Bank Limited. Due to non-payment of loan, the bank took possession of house number BX 883, Arjun Nagar, near Durga Shakti Mandir, Lamba Pind Jalandhar through court order. The said people obstructed the sale proceedings. On the complaint of bank manager Shri Ramesh Prabhakar, a case under section 329(4) 238,191(3) 190, 351(2) of the law was registered against Rajkumari, her son Vikas and Bharat Bhushan, Rakesh Kumar son of Vishambhar Das and Dharampal son of Das Ram.

Mandi board director inspected Bhakta Vali Dana Mandi



AMRIK SINGH
AMRITSAR: Mandi Board Director Geetka Singh reached Dana Mandi Bhagatanwala to take stock of the arrangements for the upcoming monsoon season. Where he met the aartis of Dana Mandi and listened to their problems very carefully and assured that their problems would be solved on priority basis. On this occasion, District Mandi Officer Amandeep Singh assured the aartis of Mandi Bhagatanwala that the farmers and aartis will not face any kind of difficulty during the coming season. While talking to the media, Geetika Singh while talking to the media during the visit to Vegetable Mandi Vallah said that due to the implementation of the Works of Defense Act 1903 due to Army's dump in the vegetable market, the development and works are being affected and the roads in the market are not being constructed. Efforts will be made to find a solution by talking to the higher officials of the Army about the difficulties in cleaning due to construction. During her visit to Vegetable Mandi Valla, the team members of Constituency East MLA Jeevanjot Kaur also arrived there as a dignitary and told Madam Geetka Singh about the problems facing the Vegetable Mandi. On which they assured to solve the problems faced by them by bringing them to the attention of the higher officials of Punjab Government/ Government of India. Deputy District Mandi Officer Harpreet Singh Bhullar, Secretary Market Committee Amandeep Singh, President of Mandi Bhagatan Wala Amandeep Singh Chhina, President of Vegetable Mandi Valla Charanjit Singh Batra, Incharge of Vegetable Mandi Jatinder Singh Gill were also present on this occasion.

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NITTTR Chandigarh celebrates 57th annual day

SHASHI PAL JAIN
CHANDIGARH, SEPT 7



National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research, Chandigarh (Ministry of Education, Government of India) celebrated its 57th Annual Day on 7th September, 2024.

The Annual Day function was graced by Sh. Gulab Chand Kataria ji, Hon'ble Governor, Punjab and Administrator, UT Chandigarh. Speaking on the occasion Hon'ble Governor congratulated NITTTR Chandigarh on being accorded the "Deemed to be University" status (Distinct Category) and expressed his best wishes for the Institute to take forward the vision of Viksit Bharat and nurture talent for the development of indigenous solutions towards technological advancements. In his speech, Sh. Kataria emphasized on the role and importance of teachers in the societal and economic development of any country by providing numerous examples for the same.

He specifically elaborated the vital part that NITTTR Chandigarh can play in this journey of making our nation a global leader across the domains. Prof. (Dr.) Binod Kumar Kanaujia, Director, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar was the Guest of Honour for the event. Prof. (Dr.) Kanaujia, laid down the need of quality educational institutes for the character building of the youth.Prof. (Dr.) Bhola Ram Gurjar, Director, NITTTR, Chandigarh presented the Institute Annual Report highlighting the achievements of the institute marking a significant milestone in its journey towards excellence in the higher educational domain and up-skilling of the technical workforce.

Meritorious students were awarded by the dignitaries during the function. Award for 'Best Polytechnic' and 'Best Engineering College' were also conferred to recognize their significant contributions as flag bearers of quality technical education in northern India.

The celebrations were marked by a number of other activities by NITTTR Chandigarh which included a panel discussion on 'Status of Implementation of NEP 2020 & the way forward in HEIs' involving Vice-Chancellors /Directors/ Principals of various HEIs. As an initiative to serving the society, an interactive session was also organized with number of senior officials from government and quasi-government organizations in and around tri-city to identify areas of improvement in enhancing quality of life in terms of infrastructure, needs for human resource development in engineering and allied areas.

In a special ceremony, the notable contributions of NITTTR Chandigarh's staff were also recognized by awarding them. The celebrations also included a vibrant cultural evening by students, staff and faculty of the institute.

Sensitize farmers for proper management of stubble : ADC



SUMER GARG
SANGRUR, SEPT 7

Under the directions of Deputy Commissioner, Jitendra Jorwal; Sangrur administration is on full alert to completely curb the trend of paddy stubble burning in district. In this regard, while instructing the officials of various departments at the district administrative complex here today, the Additional Deputy Commissioner(G), Amit Bambi said that while continuing the awareness activities vigorously, farmers should be made aware of proper management of stubble. During the last year, the place, where the progressive farmers had minimise the stubble burning with proper arrangements, efforts should be made in honoring those farmers, who had set an example through management. Bambi said that the Punjab government is providing agricultural machinery to the farmers as per their requirement under in-situ and ex-situ subsidy and before the paddy season, under the supervision of the concerned agricultural development officer, Sub Divisional Magistrate, the officials firstly should go to each village and farm and according to the needs of the farmers shall ensure them that adequate steps are being taken to ensure availability of machinery.

Additional Deputy Commissioner (D), Varjit Walia reviewed the work done by the officials of the department of agriculture, cooperative department, Punjab pollution control board and other departments so far in this regard. He said that in the villages, where there were a large number of incidents of stubble burning during the last year, while keeping special vigilance, awareness activities should be carried out in a planned manner and the farmers should be encouraged to contribute their efforts as protectors of the environment. He directed the agriculture department officials to organise awareness camps at the village level and asked the farmers to continuously motivate them to use surface seeder.

Besides others, Charanjot Singh Walia, Suba Singh, Rajesh Sharma, Pramod Singla, Amit Gupta and Vineet Kumar all SDMs; District revenue officer, Gurleen Kaur; Chief agriculture officer, Harbans Singh; Horticulture officer, Nirwant Singh; All circle revenue officers, block development and panchayat officers were present during the meeting.

Arora congratulates farmer's daughter Lieutenant Palvi

SUMER GARG
CHANDIGARH, SEPT 7



While adding another accolade to the list of achievements of Mai Bhago Armed Forces Preparatory Institute (AFPI) for Girls, SAS Nagar (Mohali), Palvi Rajput, an alumni of the institute, has been commissioned as a Lieutenant in the Indian Army. She successfully completed her training at the officer's training academy in Chennai on Saturday and participated in the passing out parade, which was overseen by Vice Chief of Army Staff, Lieutenant General, NS Raja Subramani PVSM, AVSM, SM, VSM.

Lieutenant Palvi Rajput, who was commissioned into the Artillery Regiment, is the daughter of Ravinder Singh, a proud farmer hailing from Pathankot District. While congratulating Lieutenant Palvi Rajput on her remarkable achievement, Punjab employment generation, skill development and training minister, Mr. Aman Arora expressed that her success will inspire more daughters of Punjab to consider careers in the defence services. Chief Minister, Bhagwant Singh Mann led Punjab government is actively supporting the aspirations of Punjab's daughters, who aim to serve as commissioned officers in the defence services. To facilitate this, the Punjab government established an NDA preparatory wing for Girls at Mai Bhago AFPI in July 2023, in addition to the existing graduate wing.

He further informed that the entrance exam for the third batch of the NDA preparatory wing is scheduled for January 2025. Mai Bhago AFPI has a fully residential campus with state-of-the-art infrastructure and the only one of its kind in the country, the cabinet minister added.

Expressing satisfaction over regular commissioning of the Institute's alumni as commissioned officers in the Defence Services, the Director of Mai Bhago AFPI, Major General Jasbir Singh Sandhu, performed at Star House on the foundation day of the bank and Ganesh Chaturthi.

PGIMER Chandigarh hosts public forum on "Obesity, Diabetes, and PCOS" as Part of National Nutrition Month Observance

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The Department of Dietetics , PGIMER, Chandigarh, successfully observed National Nutrition Month by conducting a Public Forum themed "Obesity, Diabetes, and PCOS" on Saturday, 7th September 2024, at the APC Auditorium.

The event, held from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., was organized under the banner of "Janta ke Saath PGI ka Haath," and aimed at fostering awareness and dialogue on the critical role of nutrition in health and well-being. The Public Forum brought together an impressive assembly of healthcare professionals, including renowned nutrition experts, to discuss strategies for promoting balanced nutrition, the latest research on dietary trends, and practical approaches to improving nutrition in daily life. Dr. Nancy Sahni, Chief Dietician and Head of the Department of Dietetics at PGIMER, shared her insights into the root cause of obesity and related disorders and that how nutrition plays a pivotal role in preventing and controlling the same. She stated that "The forum was a wonderful opportunity for the public to engage with experts.

RBU signs MoU with Nestorbird



LK BANSAL
MOHALI, SEPT 7

Rayat Bahra Group of Institutions today signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Nestorbird, marking the beginning of a collaborative partnership aimed at enhancing educational and technological opportunities for students and faculty. NestorBird is a company that offers digital transformation services, including ERPNext, a cloud-based open-source software for various industries. It helps businesses to modernize their legacy processes. The signing ceremony took place at Rayat Bahra University in the presence of senior functionaries of Rayat Bahra University and NestorBird. The MoU outlines a mutual commitment between Rayat Bahra Group and Nestorbird to collaborate on various educational initiatives. This partnership will bring access to Nestorbird's Career Shaper Platform, curated learning programs, faculty development sessions, industry visits, webinars, joint certification programs, and the establishment of Centres of Excellence.

Celebration of 119th Foundation Day of Bank of India



CHANDIGARH, SEPT 7

Bank of India completed its glorious journey of 118 years and celebrated its 119th Foundation Day on 07.09.2024. The day started with tree plantation drive with the theme named "A Tree in the Name of Mother". On this auspicious occasion Mr. Anil Kumar Verma, Field General Manager, FGMO Chandigarh and Mr. P. Navneet Krishnan, Zonal Manager, Chandigarh Zonal Office planted trees in KendriyaVidyalaya Sector 31 and presented gifts to the school children. Havan was performed at Star House on the foundation day of the bank and Ganesh Chaturthi.

On Occasion of 119th Bank foundation day Mr. Anil Kumar Verma FGM address the staff, in his address he said that the way the Bank has fulfilled its responsibilities in the building of the nation and the progressive development of its economy is unforgettable and priceless.

The bank has more than 5100 branches in the country which are working to meet the banking needs of customers. Currently, keeping in mind the needs of the financial market, expectations and requirements of every category of customers as per the changing scenario, the Bank is launching many innovative services and systems.

1208th birth anniversary of Gurjar emperor meher bhoj mahan celebrated with great fanfare

DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHIARPUR, SEPT 7



Akhil Bharatiya Veer Gurjar (Gujjar) Maha Sabha (Reg:) celebrated the 1208 th birth anniversary of Chakravarti Gurjar (Gujjar) Emperor Meher Bhoj Mahan and the International Gurjar Day with great pomp and show at the local Girls' College Rattewal. State President of Akhil Bharatiya Gurjar Maha Sabha Sh. Ashok Banth (retired IPS) who arrived as the chief guest in this state level event, started the program by lighting the sacred lamp and shed light on the biography of Gujjar Emperor Meher Bhoj and said that nations and community that keep their history, culture and culture alive and have love only progress He further said that we should take inspiration from their lives. On this occasion, a large number of dignitaries, intellectuals, political and social leaders associated with the Gujjar community from all over the region gathered to present the statue of Emperor Meher Bhoj Mahan and garlands.

On this occasion Professor Narinder Bhumbla Convenor of the program , Kabal Singh Chechi General Secretary Gujjar Mahasabha Pb,Subhash Banth retired Inspector and Ravindra Kasana Surapuri also shed light on the life of Emperor Meher Bhoj Mahan, his stories of bravery, the spirit of patriotism, the state, on the birthday of Gujjar Emperor Meher Bhoj Mahan, the protector of religion, and on the occasion of International Gurjar (Gujjar) Day. Congratulations to all the countrymen and residents of the area. On this occasion, Ashok Bhumbla, Numberdar Baldev Krishna Bajarh, Vijay Banth Sarpanch Jatt Majri, Master Dharminder Bajarh Gurshakti Bagri Mohan Majra, Happy Thopia, Kapur Chand, Vasdev Chaudhary, Navpreet Singh, Nitish Chechi were present in large number of local residents.

Satinder Sartaaj and Simi Chahal Starrer Hoshiar Singh announced with Muhurat Shot; Film to release Worldwide in Feb 2025



MOHALI (TILAK RAJ): In a much-anticipated announcement, renowned Punjabi singer-actor Satinder Sartaaj and popular actress Simi Chahal are set to star in the upcoming film *Hoshiar Singh*. The project, which has been eagerly awaited by fans of both stars, officially kicked off with a grand muhurat shot, marking the beginning of production. The film, which promises to be a compelling blend of drama, emotions, and inspirational storytelling, is expected to release globally in February 2025. Directed by a prominent filmmaker, Hoshiar Singh is generating buzz for its stellar cast and intriguing storyline.

While the plot details remain under wraps, early reports suggest that Satinder Sartaaj will portray the titular character, Hoshiar Singh, a role that is expected to showcase his acting depth and bring forth a powerful narrative. Simi Chahal, known for her versatile performances in Punjabi cinema, will play a pivotal role alongside Sartaaj, and their on-screen chemistry is already a major point of excitement for audiences. Both actors are beloved for their grounded portrayals of Punjabi culture.

Education: The key to bridging urban-rural, poverty-wealth, and gender-caste divide: Anurag Verma

RAKESH JINDAL
PATIALA, SEPT 7



Punjab Chief Secretary, Mr. Anurag Verma, emphasized that education is the most powerful tool to bridge societal divides, including those between rural and urban areas, poverty and wealth, as well as gender and caste.

During his visit to his native village, Chalela, Mr. Verma distributed uniforms to students of the local government school in remembrance of his late father, Prof. B.C. Verma. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Navdeep Verma, and their son, Ayaan Verma. The Chief Secretary also inaugurated a new Commerce stream at the school, providing students with broader academic opportunities. Addressing the students, Mr. Verma shared personal anecdotes about the transformative power of education within his own family. He encouraged both students and teachers to focus intently on studies, stating that hard work and dedication can propel any student from the village to great heights. "There are no limits to what you can achieve with persistence, and your efforts will surely be rewarded," he said.

Verma also recounted his family's educational journey, noting that his grandfather, a Patwari, advanced to the role of Kanungo. His father, Prof. B.C. Verma, began his education at the village school before continuing his studies in Patiala, eventually becoming a professor of chemistry and later a college principal. His mother, too, pursued education and rose to the position of a school principal. The Chief Secretary attributed his success to his parents' vision of providing their children with a quality education, which ultimately enabled him to reach the position of Chief Secretary.

Continuing his father's tradition of supporting local students, Mr. Verma distributed uniforms, bags, and books to those in need in honor of Prof. B.C. Verma's first death anniversary. He praised the school's students for their cultural performances and commended the teachers for their efforts in organizing the event.

Harsh Blood Donor Society team, wildlife office team caught Rose



NABHA (RAKESH JINDAL): Bhuvesh Bansal Bhashi, Team President of Harsh Blood Donor Society Reg.1069 Nabha, said that because of social worker Harsimran Singh Sahni, every day at 9 in the morning, the animal would come to beg without smelling and the mirror of a shop.

On receiving the information of being injured, Vice President Madhav Sharma and Chairman were with meAlhora Gate inside the Government Girls School after 3 hours of hard work every day with the help of Gypsy Bansal, Bhikhi Morr shopkeeper, the team of Madam Gurmeet Kaur and Bhupinder Singh from Wildlife Office and Baba Deep Singh Welfare Society team member Jasleen. To catch, to catch the animals on the occasion of catching the dayThe man kept coming with the net through which he was caught every day with the hard work of everyone, by the grace of God, no one was harmed, Pradhan Bashi thanked everyone for their support without caring about their lives, God forbid that anyone should die. If such a problem occurs, you can contact us at any time.

Punjab open endurance championship from 27th to 29th September at Mullanpur New Chandigarh



CHANDIGARH (R N KHERA): The upcoming Punjab Open Endurance Championship, scheduled to be held from 27th to 29th September 2024 at Mullanpur Gareebdas, New Chandigarh, is set to bring together equestrian enthusiasts and skilled riders from Punjab and other states. The championship will feature two endurance events—20 km and 40 km rides—open to both senior and young riders, marking an exciting showcase of stamina, strategy, and horsemanship. The press conference was addressed by the President of the District Equestrian Association Mohali Col. Sarpartap Singh accompanied by esteemed members of the association Col. Anand Saini, Navjot Kaur, Rishi Mangat, PS Brar, Geetanjali Pal, Aslam Muhammed and Mankirat Singh. "Equestrian endurance is a sport that tests the stamina of both horse and rider over long distances. Riders must manage their horse's pace, ensuring their well-being throughout the race, with veterinary checks ensuring horses are fit to continue. This sport demands great mutual trust, endurance, and skill between rider and horse. Punjab, with its rich history of horses and traditional equestrian culture, is the perfect setting for such an event.



Ganpati Bappa Morya! Zee TV actors share their excitement to celebrate Ganesh Chaturthi!

CHANDIGARH : Ganesh Chaturthi, celebrating the birth of Lord Ganesha, is a vibrant festival filled with devotion and joy. During this time, devotees place beautifully crafted Idols of Bappa at their homes and pandals, and celebrate him with sweets, and flowers. The festival is marked by the chanting of hymns and the aroma of incense, creating a spiritually uplifting atmosphere. It concludes with the immersion of the Idols in water, symbolizing Ganesha's return to his heavenly abode. Ganesh Chaturthi is a time of faith, community, and cultural celebration. On this occasion, Zee TV actors like Aishwarya Khare from Bhagya Lakshmi, Simran Budharup from Kumkum Bhagya, Asmi Deo from Jagriti-Ek Nayi Subah, and Priya Thakur from Vasudha share their fondest memories of the festival.

Aishwarya Khare, who essays the role of Lakshmi in Zee TV's Bhagya Lakshmi said, "Ganesh Chaturthi is a festival that Mumbaikars eagerly anticipate all year, and I'm grateful to be living in this vibrant city to experience it. Growing up in Bhopal, our family would joyfully bring home an adorable Ganesha idol every year, filling our home with positivity. The excitement of decorating the idol, singing aartis, and sharing sweets with loved ones are memories I cherish. Although I miss the warmth and joy of home now that I'm in Mumbai, I keep the spirit alive by visiting friends and participating in their celebrations. It's my way of staying connected to those cherished traditions, even from afar."





Simran Budharup, who essays the role of Khushi in Zee TV's Kumkum Bhagya said, "Growing up in Mumbai, Ganesh Chaturthi has always been more than just a festival to me, I have lots of beautiful memories of visiting pandals, relatives' home, eating modaks around these 10 days. I remember the excitement that would fill our home weeks before the festival, with my family and I preparing for the grand celebrations. I love how the streets of our neighborhood come alive with colorful decorations, and the air is filled with devotional songs, Dhol beats, and the scent of incense. My childhood experiences have deeply influenced me, instilling a sense of belonging and love for our traditions. I am looking forward to this year's Ganpati celebrations, I will have lots of fun with my friends and cousins, who every year come over to my place. I wish one and all a very Happy Ganesh Chaturthi."

Asmi Deo, who essays the role of Jagriti in Zee TV's Jagriti-Ek Nayi Subah said, "Ganesh Chaturthi in Mumbai is so much fun! The whole city gets excited to celebrate Bappa. Big Ganesh idols are placed in many famous places, and the streets are decorated with bright lights and colorful rangoli patterns. The festival is full of happy music, dancing, and the yummy smell of treats like modaks that my mom makes every year. I also join in the fun with my friends at our society's events and attend the big aarti every day."

Priya Thakur, who essays the role of Vasudha in Zee TV's Vasudha said, "Being from Himachal Pradesh, I wasn't very familiar with the grandeur of Ganesh Chaturthi until I recently moved to Mumbai. The way the entire city comes alive with devotion and celebration is truly mesmerizing. I've seen people from all walks of life coming together to celebrate with such enthusiasm and joy. It's infectious! This year, I will be visiting the Zee TV Parel cha Raja to seek Bappa's blessings for my new show, Vasudha. I'm excited to experience the divine energy up close and feel the festive spirit that Mumbai is known for. I wish Ganpati Bappa truly unites everyone with love and positivity!



The Courageous Journey of a Young Girl Fighting for Her Community's Freedom



CHANDIGARH : Picture this: a newborn baby, barely a day old, with tiny fingers dipped in ink, their prints stamped into police records — labeled a criminal before they've even uttered their first cry. Hard to imagine, right? Yet, this is the grim reality faced by the Chitta community, where a child's fate is marked even before they've had a chance to begin their life.

Drawing on audience insights from its innovative audience feedback initiative - Hamara Parivar, Zee TV breaks away from traditional storytelling moulds and transports viewers into a world rarely depicted on television, shining a light on an age-old system that continues to oppress the underprivileged. Jagriti - Ek Nayi Subah, set in the fictional town of Mokshgarh in Jharkhand's Jamtara district, delves into the deep-rooted systemic injustice that has condemned the Chitta community to a life of perpetual marginalization. Here, children are branded as criminals from birth, denied access to education, forced into hunting, and exploited by feudal lords who control the region with an iron fist.

Produced by Guroudev Bhalla Productions, Jagriti - Ek Nayi Subah follows the courageous journey of 7-year-old Jagriti, a spirited young girl born into the Chitta community, who refuses to blindly accept the cruel fate imposed on her.

Sharp-minded, hopeful, and resilient, Jagriti becomes the voice that questions the unfair branding of her people as criminals. With piercing eyes and boundless energy, she dreams of a future free from the shackles of this unjust system. Her relentless curiosity and unwavering sense of justice often land her in trouble, as she refuses to accept the norms that others have long resigned themselves to. Through her innocent yet powerful questions, Jagriti ignites a spark that will lead to a spirited struggle for the dignity and rights of her community. Young Asmi Deo is strikingly impressive as Jagriti and has been noticed ever since the show's promo has hit air!

In a never-seen-before avatar, Arya Babbar returns to television after an eight-year hiatus, portraying Kalikant Thakur — the wealthiest and most powerful man in the village. Cruel, corrupt, and deeply misogynistic, Kalikant bribes the local police and forest officials to ensure his illegal operations run smoothly. Whenever his smuggling consignments are intercepted by the authorities, an innocent man from the Chitta community is framed to take the fall. Kalikant's authoritarian rule and ruthless exploitation of the community underscore the dark and oppressive world that Jagriti is determined to challenge.

Kaise Mujhe Tum Mil Gaye: Kishori Shahane Vij organizes a special lunch for her on-screen family



CHANDIGARH : In every show, there's always an antagonist, a character whose main goal is to create challenges for the protagonists. In Zee TV's Kaise Mujhe Tum Mil Gaye, Babita, the show's negative lead played by the talented Kishori Shahane Vij, constantly plots against Amruta (Sriti Jha) and her family. But off-screen, the story is entirely different. Kishori is the opposite of her character—she's warm, caring, and deeply fond of her on-screen family. Recently, she even treated the entire cast and crew to a delicious homemade meal, specially prepared by her. The spread included mouthwatering palak paneer, parathas, her signature dal fry, and jeera rice!

Kishori said, "I really believe that good food is equal to good mood. One good meal in a day can make your day better. Initially, when the whole team started shooting for the show, we used to have our lunch in our respective rooms but after a while, we bonded over our scenes and meals. After all, who doesn't like delicious food? Even today, we make sure we all sit together for lunch. Hence, I decided to get some amazing food for my on-screen family as well as the crew members of the set. Day and night we have been working hard, giving our hundred percent to entertain our audiences, that's why I thought everyone deserves this little treat. The team often enjoys my lunch box, so I thought why not get some delicious food specially cooked by me for them."

Talking about the dishes she adds, "On the menu, there was Palak Paneer, parathas, my special dal fry, and some jeera rice as I know that everyone on set really loves it. I also treated everyone with some 'Sheera' for desserts."

Alia Bhatt teases fans with new poster of 'Jigra'

Actor Alia Bhatt, who is gearing up for the release of her next film 'Jigra', also starring Vedang Raina have shared a new poster of her upcoming project.

Taking to her Instagram handle, she posted a new poster in which she was seen standing on the roof of a damaged car with a weapon and axe in her hands. She also carries a bag at her back. Her face was not visible in the poster.

Vedang Raina was seen in the background.

The caption reads, "Tu mere protection mein hai" #Jigra in cinemas 11th October.

In another poster, Alia gave a glimpse of her look. She captioned it with, "Kahaani bahut lambi hai aur bhai ke paas waqt bahut bahut kam" #Jigra in cinemas 11th October."

After her post Soni Razdan congratulated her.

One of the fans wrote, "Wow another poster!! It's just so wow!! Now Waiting for teaserrr!!"

Vedang Raina also shared the posters on his social media handle.

The other social media user mentioned, "can literally see the amount of dedication & hardwork she has given for this, i can't wait to see what's next" On June 13, the makers announced the release date of the film. Earlier it was supposed to be released on September 27, 2024 but now audiences can watch it in cinema halls from October 11 onwards.

Sharing the update about the change in release date, Alia took to Instagram and wrote, "11.10.2024 | JIGRA | See you at the movies ." She also dropped the film's new poster.

Directed by Vasan Bala, 'Jigra' also stars Vedang Raina.

In February 2024, Alia shared pictures from the sets after wrapping up the film which is made under Dharma Productions banner.

Sharing the post, she earlier mentioned, "jigra oh... abki teri baari ho @vedangraina & that's a film wrap on #JIGRA @vasanbala @swapsagram. See you soon.

Director Vasan Bala previously helmed films like 'Monica O My Darling', a crime thriller film 'Peddlers' and 'Mard Ko Dard Nahi Hota'.'Jigra' was announced last year in September.

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