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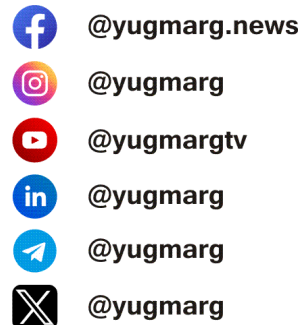
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Rs 1-cr bounty naxal among 8 gunned down in Jharkhand



AGENCY
NEW DELHI, APRIL 21

In a significant blow to Naxalism, three high-profile wanted leaders of the banned outfit, including one carrying a bounty of Rs 1 crore, among eight members were neutralized on Monday in a joint operation in Jharkhand's Bokaro district.

Among the eight naxals neutralized in the operation were three high-profile individuals with bounties of Rs 1 crore, Rs 25 lakh, and Rs 10 lakh, respectively.

Prayag Manjhi alias Vivek had a bounty of Rs 1 crore, Arvind Yadav carried a reward of Rs 25 lakh, and Sahebram Manjhi, also known as Rahul Manjhi had a bounty of Rs 10 lakh. The remaining naxals have been identified as Mahesh Manjhi alias Mota, Talu, Raju Manjhi, Gangaram, and Mahesh.

Prayag Manjhi (60), was the Central Committee Member (CCM) of Eastern Regional Bureau of Naxals.

The bodies of the Naxals were recovered following an exchange of fire between the

rebel group as well as the 209 Commando Battalion for Resolute Action (CoBRA) unit of Central Reserve Police Force and state police force.

The exchange of fire began around 5:30 am in Lugu hills under Lalpania area of Bokaro.

As per the CRPF, the troops recovered a cache of arms from the site, including one AK-series rifle, one Self-Loading Rifle (SLR), three INSAS rifles, one pistol, and eight country-made Bharmar rifles.

"No injuries or casualties have been reported among the security personnel involved in the operation," the CRPF said in a statement.

"The gunfire has ceased, and a thorough search operation is currently underway in the area to ensure complete sanitization and to trace any remaining insurgents or hidden weaponry," added the CRPF, India's largest Central Armed Police Forces under Ministry of Home Affairs mandated to ensure internal security in its area of jurisdiction.

Our march to eliminate Naxalism continues unabated, says Amit Shah

NEW DELHI: Union Home Minister Amit Shah on Monday lauded security forces for neutralising eight Naxals in Jharkhand's Bokaro and said that the march to eliminate Naxalism continues unabated. "Our march to eliminate Naxalism continues unabated. Today, security forces achieved another significant success in the ongoing operation to uproot Naxalism. In an encounter at Lugu Hills in Bokaro, Jharkhand, 8 Maoists were neutralised, including a top-level naxal leader, Vivek, who carried a reward of Rs 1 crore, and two other notorious Naxalites. The operation is being continued. Applaud our security forces," the Home Minister's Office posted on X. Jharkhand DGP Anurag Gupta said that in a joint operation by Jharkhand Jaguar, police and CRPF, eight Naxals were killed. "Today, our security forces have neutralised 8 Maoists."

Officials said that the search was going on and the operation was part of an intensified campaign by security forces to dismantle Naxalism activities in the region.

Meanwhile, Union Home Minister Amit Shah praised the security forces for the operation through a post on X handle.

Hry to pay compensation to farmers affected by fire incidents

BUREAU
CHANDIGARH, APRIL 21

Taking serious note of the damage caused to crops and livestock due to sudden fires in fields over the past few days in the State, the Haryana government has decided to provide compensation to affected farmers. Chief Minister Sh Nayab Singh Saini held a meeting with senior officials at the Civil Secretariat here today and issued the necessary instructions in this regard.

Sh. Nayab Singh Saini stated that the state government is consistently making decisions in the best interest of farmers. "Our government stands with farmers in every situation," he emphasized. He said that the recent fire incidents in the state have caused damage to crops, livestock, and property, resulting in hardship for farmers. In response, the government has decided to provide compensation to those affected by these incidents. The Chief Minister has also directed all Deputy Commissioners to gather reports on

fire-related incidents. Affected farmers are advised to submit their applications to the respective Deputy Commissioners, ensuring that the compensation process can be carried out promptly. The Chief Minister stated that farmers who have suffered losses will also receive assistance in the form of seeds and fertilizers for sowing the upcoming crops, ensuring that they do not face any additional financial burden.



BCCI Contracts: Rohit, Virat retained in top grade; Iyer, Kishan back

NEW DELHI: The BCCI on Monday retained megastars Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli in the top bracket of its annual players contract list, less than 24 hours after they played sublime knocks to win IPL games for their respective franchises. The out-of-favour duo of Shreyas Iyer and Ishan Kishan also returned to the fold in lower brackets in a 34-strong list of centrally-contracted players which also includes space spearhead Jasprit Bumrah and Ravindra Jadeja in the highest-paid A+ category.



SC declines urgent plea for Prez rule in West Bengal

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NEW DELHI, APRIL 21

The Supreme Court on Monday refused to pass any immediate direction on a plea seeking imposition of President's rule and urgent deployment of paramilitary forces in West Bengal in view of communal and political violence allegedly triggered by the Waqf (Amendment) Act in Murshidabad.

The matter was mentioned for urgent listing before a bench comprising justices BR Gavai and Augustine George Masih.

Advocate Vishnu Shankar Jain, appearing for the petitioner, sought the court's nod to file additional documents highlighting continued violence in the state and urged immediate implementation of Article 355 of the Constitution.

"There is a need for immediate deployment of paramilitary forces. The matter is listed for tomorrow. I have

filed an additional application seeking the invocation of Article 355," Jain submitted.

Reacting sharply, Justice Gavai asked, "You want us to issue a writ of mandamus to the President to impose President's rule? As it is, we are accused of intruding into legislative and executive domains."

The judge was referring to criticism faced by the top court in recent cases, including one where it directed the Governor and President to act within set timelines on state bills, sparking a larger debate on judicial

overreach. The fresh intervention applications were filed in a pending writ petition by petitioner Shashank Shekhar Jha, which seeks a court-monitored Special Investigation Team (SIT) to probe the violence in West Bengal. Another application by West Bengal resident Devdutta Majid seeks the formation of a three-member committee led by a retired Supreme Court judge to investigate the clashes.



JPC meeting on 'One Nation, One Election' to be held today

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, APRIL 21

The Joint Parliamentary Committee (JPC) on 'One Nation, One Election' will hold a meeting on April 22 from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

In the first session, there will be an interaction with Justice Hemant Gupta, former judge of the Supreme Court. This will be followed by a session with Justice SN Jha, former Chief Justice of the Jammu and Kashmir High Court. The next session will include Dr Justice BS Chaudhary, former Supreme Court judge and Chairman of the 21st Law Commission of India. The final session will be with Dr. Abhishek Manu Singhvi, Rajya Sabha Member and Senior Advocate.

Earlier, speaking about the upcoming launch of the website for the JPC on 'One Nation, One Election', the Chairman of the Joint Parliamentary Committee (JPC), PP Chaudhary, told ANI: "The committee took decisions on two major things - the advertisement will be printed in all languages so that all stakeholders can give their opinions... Secondly, the website will facilitate inputs from all stakeholders... This is being examined by the Secretary General... The development of technology is taking time to ensure the website doesn't crash... The website will be launched soon with a QR code facility. Suggestions



will be collected, and Parliamentarians will review them..." Talking about the JPC's state tour, he said, "The committee believes that it should visit all states and

hear their opinions, which is why the tour is being organised. Maharashtra will be covered first, then Uttarakhand in May. Jammu and Kashmir, as well as Chandigarh (encompassing Punjab and Haryana), will be covered in June, categorised according to different areas..."

Chaudhary also told ANI, "Elections happen every 5-6 months somewhere in the country... The MPs and MLAs remain in election mode around the year... The work that needs to happen quickly in the nation doesn't happen that fast. If the 'One Nation, One Election' cycle is maintained, Viksit Bharat can be achieved much earlier than 2047..."

Indian Army brings timely relief to Ramban after cloudburst

AGENCY
RAMBAN, APRIL 21

In response to the cloudburst and intense rainfall that struck the Ramban district on Monday, the Indian Army launched swift and coordinated relief and restoration operations to assist affected civilians and restore connectivity along the National Highway 44 (NH44), according to a press statement.

Upon assessment of the ground situation, the Army initiated immediate action in coordination with civil administration officials, including the District Commissioner, Senior Superintendent of Police, and the Superintendent of Traffic. While no emergency requisition

has been made, civil authorities have assured they will seek Army assistance should the need arise.

Quick Reaction Teams (QRTs) from Banihal, Karachial, Digdaul, Maitra, and Chanderkote were rapidly mobilised to provide relief to stranded travellers. Army personnel extended support by distributing tea and hot meals, offering temporary shelter, and providing basic medical aid to those in need.

Eight Army columns (strength 1/1/18 each) are currently on standby at key locations to assist further if required. Meanwhile, JCBS and heavy equipment from civilian construction firms, including KRCL, CPPL, and DMR, have begun clearing operations along the obstructed highway.

"Naagrik Devo Bhava...": PM Modi's new mantra to civil servants

AGENCY
NEW DELHI, APRIL 21

Asserting that in the past decade, India has undergone transformative changes, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Monday asked the civil servants to follow the 'Naagrik Devo Bhava' mantra.

"We should always remember one thing: no matter how technology-driven the world becomes, we should never forget the importance of human judgments. Listen to the voice of the poor and hear their pain. You solve their problems; it should be your first priority. Jaise 'Atithi Devo Bhava' hota hai, vaise hi 'Naagrik Devo Bhava' ke mantra ko le kr ke chalna hai. You have to prepare yourself for your duty not only as civil servants of India but also as architects of Viksit Bharat." PM Modi said, addressing the 17th Civil Services Day event at the Vigyan Bhawan in Delhi.

PM Modi said that today, the country is beginning to build the grand vision of a Viksit Bharat on a



strong foundation.

"However, there is no shortage of challenges in this journey. India has now become the most populous country in the world. In this context, achieving saturation of basic amenities must be our top priority. A strong focus on last-mile delivery is essential. As the needs and aspirations of citizens evolve rapidly, civil services must also adapt to contemporary challenges," he said. He said that the foundation laid over the past decade has greatly strengthened the path towards Viksit Bharat 2047. "We cannot evaluate our work or performance by comparing it to previous governments... We must set our own benchmarks."

Pope Francis passes away after prolonged illness

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VATICAN CITY, APRIL 21

Pope Francis has died, the Vatican said on Monday. The Pope passed away on Easter Monday, April 21, 2025, at the age of 88 at his residence in the Vatican's Casa Santa Marta, according to a statement from the Vatican.

At 9:45 AM on Easter Monday, Cardinal Kevin Farrell, Camerlengo of the Apostolic Chamber, spoke these words at the Casa Santa Marta: "Dearest brothers and sisters, with deep sorrow, I must announce the death of our Holy Father Francis. At 7:35 this morning, the Bishop of Rome, Francis, returned to the house of the Father. His entire life



was dedicated to the service of the Lord and of His Church. He taught us to live the values of the Gospel with fidelity, courage, and universal love, especially in favour of the poorest and most marginalised. With immense gratitude for his example as a true disciple of the Lord Jesus, we commend the soul of Pope Francis to the infinite merciful love of the One and Triune God."

Earlier on Sunday, The Pope delivered his Easter message from the balcony of St Peter's Basilica to thousands of people gathered in Vatican Square.

The 88-year-old head of the Roman Catholic Church was recently discharged from Rome's Gemelli Hospital, where he spent five weeks receiving treatment for an infection that led to double pneumonia.

On Easter Sunday, he was able to offer the "Urbi et Orbi" blessing to the city of Rome and to the world. Only the pope can offer this blessing, which includes the offer of an indulgence, a remission for the effects of sins.

"Christ is risen! These words capture the entire meaning of our existence, for we were not made for death but for life," the official X handle of the Pope said on Sunday.

Cardinal Angelo Comastri, Archpriest emeritus of Saint Peter's Basilica and Vicar General emeritus of Vatican City, led the liturgy in the Square and delivered the homily of Pope Francis, prepared for the occasion, as reported by Vatican News.

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I, Menka W/o Vikas Saini R/o H.No. 354, Wardno. 29 , Near Patwar Bhawan, Azad Nagar , Kaithal (haryana) Have Changed My Name From Menka To Menka Saini. Concerned Please Note.

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I, Saim Masih s/o Sardar Masih r/o H.No. 791, Village Bhoura, Neta ji Nagar Ludhiana, Central post Office Punjab I have changed my name from Saim Masih to Sam Masih. All concerned note please.

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I Harkesh Kumar S/o Madan Lal VPO. Cheema, District Sangrur have changed my name Harkesh Kumar to Harkesh Kumar Bansal.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Ranjit Kamboj S/o Mehanga Singh R/o Rampura Gujran Teh-Moonak (Sangrur) currently residing in Dubai, Declare that as per my current Passport No. S3993445, my name is mentioned as Ranjit Kamboj But in the Passport Numbers of my children Navreet kaur and Upkar Singh, R7984518 (expired on 17-01-2023) and R7982155 (expired on 08-01-2023) and in the birth certificate of my children and in my Aadhar card No. 5599-6350-0516 my name is mentioned as Ranjit Singh, therefore I hereby declare that I am going to be known by both the names Ranjit Kamboj and Ranjit Singh.

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I, Sukhdev Singh Kaler S/O Jit Singh R/o Chuhar Chak, Moga, Punjab, declare that Jasmal Singh was my real Brother. On some documents my brother name was mentioned as Jasmal Singh and on other documents his name was mentioned as Jasmel Singh. My brother was known by two names Jasmal Singh and Jasmel Singh, while both these names belong to my brother.

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It is for information that I Rajvinder kaur W/o Gurvinder Singh S/O Balwant Singh R/o Village Taipur, PO Matouli Tehsil Patran, District Patiala, Punjab, declares that the name of my and my Husband has been wrongly written as Harjinder Singh and Manpreet Kaur in my son Dilmanpreet Singh CBSE 10th and 12th Class Mark Sheet cum Certificate. The actual my and my Husband name of Rajvinder kaur and Gurvinder Singh and respectively, which may be amended accordingly.

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I, NO 15451102Y Rank Sep/AA Name- Hari Bhajan, of (Unit) 167 MH Pathankot, Residing at Village and Post Saisiya Gosain, PO. Samrdr, Distt. Budaun, Uttar Pradesh 243630, hereby declare that I have changed my Mother's name from Hari Pyari To Harpyari. Due to wrongly entered in my service record. Both names pertain to one and the same person. Vide Affidavit No. IN-PB27936563026362X Dated 21/04/2025 Attested by Notary Public (GOVT OF INDIA) Kindly Correct it.

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I am Sham Lal Mehta S/o Bihari Lal R/o Vpo Haroli Teh. Ratia Distt Fatehabad. My son Akshay Mehta has become a victim of wrong company and has gone beyond my control. I would evict my son Akshay Mehta from my movable and immovable property, any person who deals with any thing or money with my son Akshay Mehta will himself be held responsible. After today, I and my family will have no relation with my son Akshay Mehta. Related Note.

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I Akshay Mehta S/O Sham Lal Mehta Resident VPO Haroli Teh. Ratia,Distt Fatehabad.Sam Lal My Father Has Misappropriated His Property And Moveable And Immovable Property. I Will Now Live On My Own In The Society. They Have Nothing To Do With Me Now. Related Note.

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I, Parveen W/o Mohammad Iqbal R/o Delhi Gate Mohalla Azeempura Distt. Malerkotla declare that my son Farhan Ali is out of my control. So I disown with him from my moveable/immovable property. if anybody dealing with him at his/her own risk.

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I, Sanita Sharma W/o Mannohan Sharma R/o Kharar Distt. SAS Nagar declare that this is to inform you that I lost my possession certificate, details as below Property address Plot No. MLU 150 Sector-109 SAS Nagar, Mohali, Punjab, document Possession Certificate has been lost in somewhere on last January. If anybody found then contact at my above address/Mobile No. 9818692106

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I, Muskan D/o Sandeep Kumar Chawla R/o Street Santoshi Mala Mandir, Sitto Road, Mangal Nagar, Abohar Tehsil Abohar District Fazilka have lost my original Class-X Pass Certificate of year 2015 vide unique ID No. 5883049 ICSE. If found, please contact 9317323000.

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I, Priti Bajaj W/o Henu Bajaj R/o 144 Saini Vihar Phase-1 Ballana Distt. SAS Nagar declare that my Agreement of Plot purchase from M/s Omaxe New Chandigarh Extn. Pvt. Ltd. has been lost in Zirakpur Distt. SAS Nagar dated 10-01-2025. If anybody found then contact at my above address/Mobile No.9815169604.

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ਗਰੇਟਰ ਮੋਹਾਲੀ ਏਰੀਆ ਡਿਵੈਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਅਥਾਰਿਟੀ ਪੁੱਤਾ ਭਰਨ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ। ਜਨਤਕ ਸੂਚਨਾ



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ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ

ਗਰੇਟਰ ਮੋਹਾਲੀ ਏਰੀਆ ਡਿਵੈਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਅਥਾਰਿਟੀ ਪੁੱਤਾ ਭਰਨ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ। ਜਨਤਕ ਸੂਚਨਾ



ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4806 ਰਿਤੀ 19/01/2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ ਏ (300 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਿਆਰਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਿਸ਼ਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਦੀ ਮੌਤ ਰਿਤੀ 09/01/2023 ਨੂੰ ਹੋ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਿਆਰਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਿਸ਼ਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਵਲੋਂ ਆਪਣੀ ਮੌਤ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਆਪਣੇ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਨਾਮ ਯਸਵੀਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਨਮੇਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਦੇ ਨਾਂ ਤੇ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਵਸੀਆਂ ਨੰ: 9424 ਰਿਤੀ 08-11-2019 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਰਾਜ ਸਭ-ਰਜਿਸਟਰਾਰ, ਦਿੱਲੀ ਵਿਖੇ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਹੈ। ਹੁਣ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਏ ਮੌਤ ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਉਕਤ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਏ ਆਪਣੇ ਤੇ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਯਸਵੀਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਨਮੇਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਵੱਲ ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ: 4806 ਰਿਤੀ 19.01.2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ-ਏ (300 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਆਪਣੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਦਸਤਖਤ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਨੂੰ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕੀਤੇ ਗਏ ਹਨ ਅਤੇ ਇਹ ਕੰਮ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ, ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਿਚ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਸਭ ਆਮ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਸ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਮਿਤਕ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੂੰ ਕੋਈ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਹੋਵੇ ਤਾਂ ਉਹ ਇਸ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ ਦੀ ਮਿਤੀ ਤੋਂ 15 ਦਿਨ ਏ ਅੰਦਰ-ਅੰਦਰ ਆਪਣਾ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ ਮੋਹਾਲੀ ਪਾਸ ਲਿਖਤੀ ਰੂਪ ਵਿਚ ਦੇ ਸਕਦਾ ਹੈ। ਨਿਸਚਿਤ ਮਿਤੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਮੇਂ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਤੇ ਕੋਈ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ/ਅਤੇ ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4806 ਰਿਤੀ 19.01.2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ-ਏ (300 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਏ ਆਪਣੇ ਤੇ ਉਕਤ ਵਾਰਸਾਂ ਦੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਜਾਵੇਗੀ।

ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ

I Bans Kumar Singh resident of Vill & PO-Kandhesi Ghar, Tehsil-Chakarnagar, Distt-Elatawah, State-UP206125 have changed my Name from Bans Kumar Singh to Bansh Kumar Singh. vide Affidavit dated 21/04/2025 before Notary, Jalandhar

778934

I Parmveer Singh S/o Gurjit Singh R/o Village Boor Majra,Distt Roopnagar Have Changed My Name To Paramveer Singh

666554

I Kulwant Raj alias Kulwant Malhotra s/o Tirath Ram resident of village Mustfabad, P.O Subhanpur, District Kapurthala declare that Kulwant Raj and Kulwant Malhotra are two names of one and the same person, so I may be known by both names.

98706

I, Mohit S/o Jaswinder Singh R/o Vpo. Palahi, Tehsil Phagwara, Distt. Kapurthala, Have Changed My Name From Mohit To Mohit Singh. All Concerned May Be Noted.

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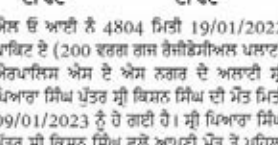
I, Sandeep Singh S/O Avtar Singh R/O VPO. Sidhwan Dona, Kapurthala - 144625, Punjab, India have changed my name from Sandeep Singh To Singh Sandeep.(Singh as Surname). All note.

461257

I Anu D/o Yashin R/o Village Madanpur Tehsil Rajpura Patiala, declared that I have changed my religion from Muslim to Hindu.

50008

ਗਰੇਟਰ ਮੋਹਾਲੀ ਏਰੀਆ ਡਿਵੈਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਅਥਾਰਿਟੀ ਪੁੱਤਾ ਭਰਨ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ। ਜਨਤਕ ਸੂਚਨਾ



ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4804 ਰਿਤੀ 19/01/2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ ਏ (200 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਿਆਰਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਿਸ਼ਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਦੀ ਮੌਤ ਰਿਤੀ 09/01/2023 ਨੂੰ ਹੋ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਿਆਰਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਿਸ਼ਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਵਲੋਂ ਆਪਣੀ ਮੌਤ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਆਪਣੇ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਨਾਮ ਯਸਵੀਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਨਮੇਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਵੱਲ ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4804 ਰਿਤੀ 19/12/022 ਪਾਇਣਟ-ਏ (200 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਆਪਣੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਦਸਤਖਤ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਨੂੰ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕੀਤੇ ਗਏ ਹਨ ਅਤੇ ਇਹ ਕੰਮ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ, ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਿਚ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਸਭ ਆਮ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਸ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਮਿਤਕ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੂੰ ਕੋਈ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਹੋਵੇ ਤਾਂ ਉਹ ਇਸ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ ਦੀ ਮਿਤੀ ਤੋਂ 15 ਦਿਨ ਏ ਅੰਦਰ-ਅੰਦਰ ਆਪਣਾ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ ਮੋਹਾਲੀ ਪਾਸ ਲਿਖਤੀ ਰੂਪ ਵਿਚ ਦੇ ਸਕਦਾ ਹੈ। ਨਿਸਚਿਤ ਮਿਤੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਮੇਂ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਤੇ ਕੋਈ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ/ਅਤੇ ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4804 ਰਿਤੀ 19.01.2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ-ਏ (200 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਏ ਆਪਣੇ ਤੇ ਉਕਤ ਵਾਰਸਾਂ ਦੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਜਾਵੇਗੀ।

ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ

ਗਰੇਟਰ ਮੋਹਾਲੀ ਏਰੀਆ ਡਿਵੈਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਅਥਾਰਿਟੀ ਪੁੱਤਾ ਭਰਨ, ਸੈਕਟਰ-62, ਸਾਹਿਬਜਾਦਾ ਅਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਨਗਰ। ਜਨਤਕ ਸੂਚਨਾ (ਰਾਜਿਸਟਰ)



ਬੁਝ ਨੰ: 59 ਸੈਕਟਰ 77, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਜੋਗਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਦੀ ਮੌਤ ਰਿਤੀ 07-11-2021 ਨੂੰ ਹੋ ਗਈ ਸੀ। ਅਲਾਟੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਮੌਤ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਬੁਝ ਨੰ 59 ਸੈਕਟਰ 77, ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਕਮਲਜੀਤ ਕੌਰ ਪਤਨੀ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭੁਪਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਏ ਨਾਮ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ। (ਜੋ ਕਿ ਵਸੀਆਂ ਨੰ: 341 ਰਿਤੀ 30-12-2011 ਰਾਹੀਂ ਸਭ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਾਰ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਪਾਸ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਹੈ)। ਉਕਤ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਏ ਆਪਣੇ ਤੇ ਕਮਲਜੀਤ ਕੌਰ ਪਤਨੀ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭੁਪਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਜੀ.ਪੀ.ਏ ਗੁਰਕਬੀਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਮਲਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ, ਵਾਸੀ 12, ਅਕਾਲੀ ਕੋਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਲੋਨੀ, ਜੀਰਕਪੁਰ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਬੁਝ ਨੰ: 59, ਸੈਕਟਰ-77, ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਵਾਉਣ ਦਾ ਕੇਸ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕੀਤਾ ਹੈ (ਆਈ. ਡੀ 437222 ਰਿਤੀ 26-03-2025)। ਇਹ ਕੇਸ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ), ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਸਾਹਿਬਜਾਦਾ ਅਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਿਖੇ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਸਭ ਆਮ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਸ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਮਿਤਕ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੂੰ ਕੋਈ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਹੋਵੇ ਤਾਂ ਉਹ ਇਸ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ ਦੀ ਮਿਤੀ ਤੋਂ 15 ਦਿਨ ਏ ਅੰਦਰ-ਅੰਦਰ ਆਪਣਾ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ), ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਪਾਸ ਲਿਖਤੀ ਰੂਪ ਵਿਚ ਦੇ ਸਕਦਾ ਹੈ। ਨਿਸਚਿਤ ਮਿਤੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਮੇਂ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਤੇ ਕੋਈ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ/ਅਤੇ ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4806 ਰਿਤੀ 19.01.2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ-ਏ (300 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਏ ਆਪਣੇ ਤੇ ਉਕਤ ਵਾਰਸਾਂ ਦੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਜਾਵੇਗੀ।

ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ

I, Rur Singh S/O Bhag Singh R/O Village Bahmanian, Teh. Shahkot, Distt. Jalandhar - 144702, Punjab Have changed my name from Rur Singh to Roor Singh. All note.

461257

I, Jagroop Lal S/O Sarban Singh R/O VPO Chakoki, Distt. Kapurthala - 144624, Punjab have changed my name from Jagroop Lal to Lal Jagroop. (Lal as Surname). All Note.

461257

I Gurmit Kaur W/o Late.sukhbir Singh R/o H No 488 Gali No 11 Avtar Nagar Jalandhar Punjab India, Have Changed My Name From Gurmit Kaur To Gurmeet Kaur.

461257

I, Taranjit Singh Son of Tirath Singh, resident of Village Mumandpur, Post Office Bhogpur, District Jalandhar, Punjab have changed my name from Taranjit Singh to Singh Taranjit in which given name Taranjit and Singh is my surname. Please note all concerned.

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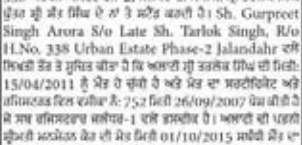
I Kanweljit Kaur w/o Baljinder Singh R/O Vpo Sheron Bagha, Tehsil Baba Bakala Sahib, District Amritsar (Punjab). Have changed my name KANWELJIT KAUR to KAWALJIT KAUR.Please Note

9000A

I Anu D/o Yashin R/o Village Madanpur Tehsil Rajpura Patiala, declared that I have changed my religion from Muslim to Hindu.

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ਜਲੰਧਰ ਡਿਵੈਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਅਥਾਰਿਟੀ ਪੁੱਤਾ ਭਰਨ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ। ਜਨਤਕ ਸੂਚਨਾ



ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4804 ਰਿਤੀ 19/01/2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ ਏ (200 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਿਆਰਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਿਸ਼ਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਦੀ ਮੌਤ ਰਿਤੀ 09/01/2023 ਨੂੰ ਹੋ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਿਆਰਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਕਿਸ਼ਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਵਲੋਂ ਆਪਣੀ ਮੌਤ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਆਪਣੇ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਨਾਮ ਯਸਵੀਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਨਮੇਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੈਣੀ ਵੱਲ ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4804 ਰਿਤੀ 19/12/022 ਪਾਇਣਟ-ਏ (200 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਆਪਣੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਦਸਤਖਤ ਇਸ ਦਫਤਰ ਨੂੰ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕੀਤੇ ਗਏ ਹਨ ਅਤੇ ਇਹ ਕੰਮ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ, ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਏ ਦਫਤਰ ਵਿਚ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਅਧੀਨ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਸਭ ਆਮ ਅਤੇ ਖਾਸ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਮਿਤਕ ਅਲਾਟੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਸਬੰਧੀ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੂੰ ਕੋਈ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਹੋਵੇ ਤਾਂ ਉਹ ਇਸ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ ਦੀ ਮਿਤੀ ਤੋਂ 15 ਦਿਨ ਏ ਅੰਦਰ-ਅੰਦਰ ਆਪਣਾ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ ਮੋਹਾਲੀ ਪਾਸ ਲਿਖਤੀ ਰੂਪ ਵਿਚ ਦੇ ਸਕਦਾ ਹੈ। ਨਿਸਚਿਤ ਮਿਤੀ ਅਤੇ ਸਮੇਂ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਤੇ ਕੋਈ ਵਿਚਾਰ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ/ਅਤੇ ਐਲ ਓ ਆਈ ਨੰ 4804 ਰਿਤੀ 19.01.2022 ਪਾਇਣਟ-ਏ (200 ਵਰਗ ਗਜ਼ ਰੈਜੀਡੈਂਸੀਅਲ ਪਲਾਟ) ਐਰਪਾਇਸ ਐਸ ਏ ਐਸ ਨਗਰ ਦੀ ਮਲਕੀਅਤ ਰਜਿਸਟਰਡ ਵਸੀਅਤ ਏ ਆਪਣੇ ਤੇ ਉਕਤ ਵਾਰਸਾਂ ਦੇ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਜਾਵੇਗੀ।

ਮਿਲਖ ਅਦਸਰ (ਹ) ਗਮਾਤਾ, ਐਸ.ਏ.ਐਸ. ਨਗਰ

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Dalbir S/o Deva R/o Village Peoda Distt. Kaithal (haryana) Declares That My Son Ankit Is Out Of My & My Family's Control. I Disown Him From My Movable - Immovable Properties. We Willn't Responsible For Any Work & Any Dealing Of Him In Future.

84451

I, Jeet Kumar S/o Mange Ram R/o Village Dalamwala Distt. Jind (haryana) Declares That My Son Sandeep Kumar Is Out Of My & My Family's Control. I Disown Him From My Movable - Immovable Properties. We Willn't Responsible For Any Work & Any Dealing Of Him In Future.

84451

We Subhash Chander S/O Sansar Chand & Santosh Kumari W/O Subhash Chander both R/o H.No. 156/2 Bhargo Nagar, Jalandhar, declare that our Daughter Kanchan is out of our control. So, We disown and disinherit her from all our moveable and immoveable properties with immediate effect. Whosoever shall deal with her of any kind do this at his/her own risk and responsibility. Ourself and other family members have no relationship with her. All Concerned may note.

900026

I, Paramjit Singh S/o Mangat Ram R/o Khera Dona tehsil Kapurthala district Kapurthala declare that have changed my name from Param jit Singh to Paramjit Singh. Please note.

72737

I, Sunil Kumar Arora S/o Jawahar Lal R/o.1015/8, Gali Bhagtan Wali, Namak Mandi Amritsar have Changed my name to Sunil Kumar

72737

I Khushi D/O Sh. Satyawan R/o Village Gari Gujran Tehsil Indri Distt. Karnal Haryana-132041 have changed my name from Khushi to Khushi Rani.

989666

I,Harjot Kaur w/o Gurmeet Singh sohal R/o Mehta road Guru Teg Bahadur colony Vallah Amritsar have changed my name to Harjot Kaur Sohal

72737

I Sheela Devi W/o Sunder Singh R/o H.no. 58, Gali No. 1, Guru Nanak Nagar, Gulab Devi Road, Jalandhar, Punjab, have changed name of my minor son from Tushar Singh to Singh Tushar in which given name Tushar and Singh is his surname . All concerned please note.

900026

I, Archana Bind wife of Service No 17036439H, Rank- CFN, Name- Dharmendra Kumar of Unit- 278 Fd Wksp Coy, Pin - 906278, C/o 56 APO. R/o 73, Vill: Gadauli, PO- Kachhawa, Dist-Mirzapur, Uttar Pradesh - 231501. declare that in my husband's service record my Name Archana Devi is mentioned erroneously. My correct Name is Archana Bind as per my Aadhaar card/ Pan card.

100078

I Sushma Devi W/O Ashok Kumar R/O H No 4645, Subhash Park Street, Bathinda, Punjab. Hereby Declare That Both The Names I.E., Sushma Devi And Sushma Rani Are Mine And I Am Known By Both Names . Please Note It All.

63372

I, Shahu Kamlesh S/o Devkali R/o H.No. 48 Sector-26 Bapudham Colony Phase-1 Chandigarh have changed my name to Kamlesh Shahu.

63372

I Husanpreet Kaur alias Sandeep Kaur W/o Jasdev Singh R/o Vill-Rupalun Teh-Samrala Distt Ludhiana both these names are mine and i am known by both the names.

63372

I Bakhsho W/O Bhajan Lal, Vpo. Simbli Teh. Garhshankar Distt Hoshiarpur Have Changed My Name Is Bakhsho To Gurbaksh Kaur.

63372

I, Jagmohan Lal S/O Banarsi Dass VPO Behram Tehsil Banga Distt Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar Have Changed My Minor Daughter Name From Haman To Haman Kaur, Please Note,

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I, Indreshpaul Kaur W/O Kuldeep Singh R/O H. No. 673, Street No. 1, Shakti Nagar, Amrik Singh Road, Bathinda Have Changed My Name To Indresh Pal Kaur.

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ਮੈਂ ਦਲਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸ਼ਾਮ ਲਾਲ ਪਿੰਡ ਲਸ਼ੁਰੀ ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਸੂਚਿਤ ਕਰਦਾ ਕਿ ਰਵੀ ਕੁਮਾਰ ਮੇਰਾ ਲੜਕਾ ਅਤੇ ਮੋਨਿਕਾ ਮੇਰੀ ਨੂੰਹ ਹੈ ਉੱਕਰ ਦੇਨੇ ਮੇਰੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਹਰ ਹਨ ਉਕਤ ਦੋਨਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਚੱਲ-ਅੱਚਲ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਤੋਂ ਬੇਦਖਲ ਕਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ। ਮੇਰਾ ਅਤੇ ਮੇਰੇ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਦਾ ਉਕਤ ਨਾਲ ਕੋਈ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਨਹੀਂ ਰਿਹਾ। ਉਕਤ ਨਾਲ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਖੁਦ ਜ਼ਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ।

ਅਸੀਂ ਨੀਲਮ ਕੁਮਾਰੀ (ਵਾਰਡ ਨੰ.1) ਪਤਨੀ ਜਨਕ ਰਾਜ, ਮੰਗਾ (ਵਾਰਡ ਨੰ.3) ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸਦਾਰੀ ਲਾਲ, ਬਲਵਿੰਦਰ ਕੁਮਾਰ (ਵਾਰਡ ਨੰ.4) ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸਤਪਾਲ, ਰਜਨੀ ਬਾਲਾ (ਵਾਰਡ ਨੰ.6) ਪਤਨੀ ਸੂਰਜ ਕੁਮਾਰ, ਕੰਚਨ ਸੈਣੀ (ਵਾਰਡ ਨੰ.7) ਪਤਨੀ ਜਰਨੈਲ ਸਿੰਘ ਸਾਰੇ ਪੁੱਤਰਾਈਤ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਹਾਂ ਅਤੇ ਪਿੰਡ ਛੋਟੇਪੁਰ ਕਿੰਗਰੀਆਂ, ਤਹਿਸੀਲ ਵਾ ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਪਠਾਨਕੋਟ ਏ ਪਰੋ ਵਸਨੀਕ ਹਾਂ ਤੇ ਬਿਆਨ ਕਰਦੇ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਸਾਡੇ ਪਿੰਡ ਵਿੱਚ ਆਸੂ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਚੋਣਾਂ 2024 ਵਿੱਚ ਸਰਪੰਚ ਚੁਣੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ 'ਤੇ ਸਰਪੰਚ ਬਣਨ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਆਪਣੇ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਪੁੱਤਰਾਈਤ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਦੀ ਸਲਾਹ ਨਿਕਾ ਜਰੂਰੀ ਨਹੀਂ ਸਮਝਦੀ ਅਤੇ ਆਪਣੀ ਹੀ ਮਨਮਾਜ਼ੀ ਕਰਦੀ ਹੈ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਸਾਨੂੰ ਵਾਰਡ ਨੰ ਏ ਮੈਂਬਰਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਮਨਜ਼ੂਰ ਨਹੀਂ। ਇਸ ਦਾ ਕੌਰਮ ਵੀ ਪੂਰਾ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ। ਸਾਡੇ ਸਾਰੇ ਮੈਂਬਰਾਂ ਦਾ ਬਿਆਨ ਸਹੀ ਵਾ ਦਰਸਤ ਹੈ।

ਮੈਂ ਸੂਬਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਮ

Entrepreneur visits PAU to explore value addition opportunities



SHASHI PAL JAIN
LUDHIANA: Punjab Agricultural University (PAU), through its association with the National Initiative for Developing and Harnessing Innovations—Technology Business Incubator (NIDHI-TBI), a flagship program of the Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India, continues to play a pivotal role in fostering innovation, technology development, and entrepreneurship in the agribusiness sector. In a recent engagement, Mr Satnam Singh, an emerging food entrepreneur from Faridkot, visited PAU to explore value addition opportunities for his range of artisanal vinegar products. As part of his visit, he brought diverse vinegar samples, which were scientifically evaluated by Dr GS Kochar, Head, Department of Microbiology, PAU. The analysis focused on quality parameters, microbial safety, and product stability, providing Mr Singh with valuable feedback to enhance his product offerings.

Rahul Chaba receives congratulations from state unit of Jagat Punjabi Sabha Canada



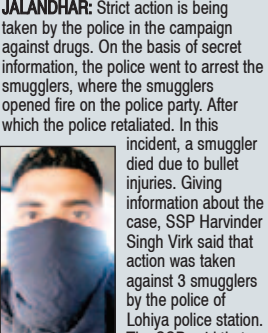
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GURDASPUR: A delegation from the state branch of Jagat Punjabi Sabha Canada, headed by its State President, Mr. Rahul Chaba, IAS, who holds the positions of Additional Chief Executive Officer at the Punjab Capital Promotion Bureau and Managing Director at the Punjab Information and Communication Technology Corporation Limited. The meeting took place at Mr. Chaba's office located in Udyog Bhawan. Accompanying Mr. Verma were Senior Vice President Mr. Parminder Singh Saini (District Guidance Counselor), Vice President Mr. Sarwan Singh Dhandal, and Mr. Tajinder Singh. The delegation conveyed their congratulations to Mr. Chaba on his elevation from PCS to IAS and presented him with a commemorative painting as a token of their appreciation.

Sarpanches protest against BDPO's bad attitude, say big gathering to be held on April 28



GURMAIL SINGH SANGATPURA
LEHRAGAGA: Sarpanches of block Lehragaga held a meeting today at BDPO office Lehra under the chairmanship of Panchayat Union Block President Jaspal Singh Dehla. After the meeting, the Sarpanches staged a dharna against BDPO Lehragaga for about three hours. On this occasion, Block President Jaspal Singh Dehla said that despite the passage of more than six months since the election of new panchayats, development works in the villages are going on at a nominal pace because BDPO Lehragaga keeps holding meetings with the Panchayat Secretaries, JEs etc. staff 6-6 days a week, due to which the employees cannot go to the villages. He said that the bills of Rs 2 lakh for the works done under MGNREGA by the Sarpanch of village Alisher were uploaded before March 31, which have been deleted on April 1. For this, BDPO Lehragaga is directly responsible.

Jalandhar: Firing between police and smugglers, one dead



PARAMJIT SINGH
JALANDHAR: Strict action is being taken by the police in the campaign against drugs. On the basis of secret information, the police went to arrest the smugglers, where the smugglers opened fire on the police party. After which the police retaliated. In this incident, a smuggler died due to bullet injuries. Giving information about the case, SSP Harvinder Singh Virk said that action was taken against 3 smugglers by the police of Lohiya police station. The SSP said that secret information was received that 3 accused are roaming in the case of smuggling and are supplying contraband. Which includes a person named Rohit, Lovepreet and Gurpreet alias Gopi. On the basis of secret information, CIA police started action. While the accused were roaming on the bike, Gurpreet Gopi started firing on the police. ASI Maninder retaliated and fired on the smugglers. In this incident, Gopi got hit in the upper part of the stomach and he got injured. He was admitted to the hospital for treatment, where he died during treatment in the civil hospital. Rohit, Lovepreet have been arrested by the police. 100 grams of heroin, 30 bore pistol, 3 rounds and a bike were recovered from the possession of the accused. 6 cases were registered against Gurpreet, including 307 and other cases of robbery.

Gulab Chand Kataria inaugurates 16 upgraded model anganwadi centres in UT

SHASHI PAL JAIN
CHANDIGARH, APR 21

In a significant step towards enhancing early childhood care and nutrition, Governor of Punjab and Administrator UT Chandigarh Shri Gulab Chand Kataria, today inaugurated the newly upgraded 16 Model Anganwadi buildings at Ramdarbar Anganwadi. Four Model Anganwadi centers were physically inaugurated, while the remaining 12 Anganwadi Centres were inaugurated virtually, functional at Bapudham, Mauli Colony, Palsora, and Maloya, as part of the 7th Poshan Pakhwada 2025 observance. The event was also graced by Shri Rajeev Verma, Chief Secretary, Chandigarh Administration, Smt. Anuradha S. Chagti, Secretary, Social Welfare, Women and Child Development, and Dr. Palika Arora, Director, Social Wel-



fare, Chandigarh Administration. To commemorate the occasion, a special publication titled "Nanhe Kadam Ki Neev" was also released, which focuses on the first 1000 days of a child's life—a critical window for nutrition, health, and cognitive development. The booklet emphasizes the importance of early interventions in laying the foundation for a child's lifelong well-being. On this occasion, the Sh

Gulab Chand Kataria applauded the efforts of the Department of Social Welfare, emphasizing that the upgradation of Anganwadi Centres signifies a vital investment not only in infrastructural development but in the future of the children. He noted that these enhanced centres symbolize the values of dignity, safety, and opportunity, and that even seemingly modest improvements—such as upgraded

Hindi author Manoj Dhiman launches 'Leela-Hans literary society'

LUDHIANA (SHARMA): Hindi author Manoj Dhiman has announced the formation of a literary organisation titled the Leela-Hans Literary Society (LHLS), in memory of his late parents. The initiative aims to promote literary activities across languages. In a statement issued here today, Manoj Dhiman expressed pride in making the announcement, calling the initiative a heart-felt tribute to his father, the late HR Dhiman—a veteran journalist—and his mother, Leela Wati (parental name). Dhjman emphasised that LHLS will work to foster literary endeavours without being confined to any single language. “No doubt, LHLS will add a new dimension to the existing literary ecosystem,” he said. He also shared that his parents had always inspired and supported his creative journey. The names of the office-bearers of the society will be announced soon. A prolific writer, Manoj Dhiman has authored several books, including Late Night Party (Short stories, 2007), Baarish Ki Boondein (Poetry, 2009), Shoonya Ki Ore (Novel, 2012), Yeh Makaan Bikau Hai (Short stories, 2021), Khol Kar Dekho (Short stories, 2022), Birju Naai Ki Dukan (Novel, 2024), Jaagte Raho (Short stories, 2024) and Dharti Par Laute Aabhasi Duniya Ke Awtar (Novel, 2025).

“Hunar Ki Udaan” expanded: Chandigarh Administration showcases talent of children from child care institutions

CHANDIGARH, APR 21

On April 21, 2025, the Department of Social Welfare, Women and Child Development, Chandigarh Administration, expanded the scope of its initiative “Hunar Ki Udaan” an exhibition-cum-sale showcasing handicraft items created by children residing in Child Care Institutions (CCIs) of U.T. Chandigarh. The event was organized in collaboration with the Model Jail, Department of Prisons and Correctional Re-



forms. The project was inaugurated by Shri Rajeev Verma, Chief Secretary, UT Chandigarh Administration, along with the Lady Chief Secretary, at the Nav Srijan Prison Handmade Showroom in Sector 22D, Chandigarh. The launch event was graced by the presence of the Secretary, Social Welfare, the Director, Social Welfare, and other senior officials from the department. During his visit, the Chief Secretary reviewed the

skill-based products meticulously handcrafted by the children residing in CCIs. He commended their creativity and acknowledged their immense potential, encouraging their continued participation in such transformative and empowering initiatives. The Chief Secretary, along with the Lady Chief Secretary, also interacted warmly with the children, appreciating their hard work and dedication. They expressed the Administration's strong commitment to promoting child welfare and rehabilitation. In a heartening gesture to uplift the children's morale, the Lady Chief Secretary purchased paintings from the showroom, showing personal support for their efforts and talent. This marked the successful launch of a project that aims to nurture creativity, instill self-reliance, and create sustainable livelihood opportunities for institutionalized children.

Senior citizens council Sunny Enclave Kharar starts Ayushman Bharat card making work



SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR, APR 21

The work of making Ayushman Bharat Card was started by Senior Citizens Council Sunny Enclave Kharar under the leadership of Council President Harinder Pal Singh Jolly and Patron Tarsem Lal Gupta, which was completed very successfully, during which about 70 beneficiaries were able to take advantage of this campaign, all the work up to the making of their

cards was done completely free of cost. Giving information in this regard, senior leader Rupinder Singh Brar alleged that some people tried hard to obstruct this work, but those people could not succeed in any of their efforts. All the members of the council gave full support for this work. During all this, Senior Citizens Council Senior Vice President Sukhwinder Singh Gill made proper arrangements in the office.

Punjab marches towards becoming India's first drug-free state: Harpal Singh Cheema

DALJEET AJNOHA
HOSHIARPUR, APR 21

Punjab is resolute in its mission to eradicate drug menace from its soil, with Finance Minister Harpal Singh Cheema, Chairman of the Cabinet Sub-Committee on Yudd Nashian Virudh, affirming the state's commitment to becoming India's first drug-free state. Addressing the media here after a crucial meeting with the civil and police administration of Hoshiarpur, the Finance Minister Harpal Singh Cheema highlighted the concrete steps taken under the war on drugs campaign. “With a commendable 91% conviction rate in drug-related cases, Hoshiarpur district has spearheaded efforts against drug peddlers, leading to 179 FIRs registered and 271 arrests so far,” said Cheema.



Finance Minister said that the public participation has been instrumental in this fight, with 17 FIRs registered based on information provided by citizens under the Safe Punjab Campaign initiated by the Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann. The overwhelming support from the people has ensured that every piece of actionable intelligence is acted upon swiftly, he added. Disclosing further, Finance Minister said that the Yudd Nashian Virudh campaign has gained significant

momentum in the district, with 527 SAMPARK meetings conducted and 970 defense committees formed, reinforcing the grassroots commitment to eliminating drugs. “In an unprecedented show of solidarity, 442 village panchayats have passed resolutions backing this anti-drug initiative”, he added. Finance Minister said that the district administration has identified 18 key hotspots and strengthened surveillance to curb interstate drug trade, particularly from Himachal Pradesh.

Retail Karyana Merchants Association organizes free camp to make FSSAI license



SHASHI PAL JAIN
KHARAR, APR 21

A free FSSAI license camp was organized under the leadership of Pawan Kumar Mangal, President of Retail Karyana Merchants Association. On this occasion, many shopkeepers were registered under FSSAI. On this occasion, Secretary Amandeep Garg said that the Health Department is committed to registering all the shops in the area under the

Food Safety Act. On this occasion, a small lecture was also organized in which the shopkeepers were told the important things about cleaning and packaging, storage and sale of goods. Famous accountants of Kharar Vishan Gupta, Ashish Mangal with their team registered the shopkeepers under FSSAI. This FSSAI registration service was offered free of cost by Messrs. GS Associates in the service of shopkeepers of Kharar.

MCM holds workshop on Drosophila, visit to Global Apiaries



CHANDIGARH, APR 21

The Department of Zoology at Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women, Chandigarh, in collaboration with MCM Vigyan Manch and Institution Innovation Council (IIC), organised a Department of Science and Technology and Renewable Energy, Chandigarh Administration sponsored hands-on workshop on ‘Drosophila Culture Techniques’. The workshop aimed to provide participants with practical knowledge and skills required for culturing, maintaining, and using Drosophila melanogaster (fruit fly) for scientific research. The resource person Prof. N.G.

Prasad from the Department of Biological Sciences, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Mohali, provided an overview of Drosophila's significance as a model organism, its biological characteristics, and its importance in scientific research. Prof. Prasad discussed about distinct morphological traits of adult Drosophila, and explained sex determination in Drosophila. The participants learned how to identify and work with various Drosophila mutants. In another event, the Department of Zoology, under the aegis of IIC organised an industrial-cum-field visit to Global Apiaries India, Dera Bassi.

Vigilance Bureau arrests ATP, Architect taking Rs 50000 bribe



ASHISHPURI
KAPURTHALA, APR 21

The Punjab Vigilance Bureau (VB) during its ongoing campaign against corruption in the state on Monday, apprehended Raj Kumar, Assistant Town Planner (ATP), Municipal Corporation, Phagwara and Rajesh Kumar, a private Architect from Phagwara, for demanding and accepting a bribe of Rs 50000. Disclosing this here today an official spokesperson of the state VB said the aforementioned accused has been arrested based on a complaint lodged by a resident of Phag-

wara, in Kapurthala district. He further added that the complainant has approached the VB and alleged that the above said Architect had demanded a bribe of Rs 1,50,000 for getting approval of map plan for his house from the Town Planner but the deal was struck at Rs 50000. The spokesperson informed that after a preliminary verification of this complaint a VB team from Jalandhar range laid a trap during which the Architect and ATP were arrested receiving the bribe of Rs 50000 in the presence of two official witnesses.

CBC Chandigarh joins hands with UT Administration for Poshan Pakhwada celebrations

RAJIV JAIN
CHANDIGARH, APR 21

CBC Chandigarh Joins Hands with UT Administration for Poshan Pakhwada Celebrations Chandigarh, 21 April, 2025 Central Bureau of Communication (CBC), Chandigarh, under the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, in collaboration with the UT Administration, Chandigarh, is celebrating the 7th edition of Poshan Pakhwada from April 8th to 22nd, 2025. This event includes cultural performances and community outreach activities to raise awareness about nutrition and health. Private Registered Troupes (PRTs) have been engaged to perform Nukkad Natak (street plays) at various locations across the Union Territory. The performances focus on important aspects like proper nutrition, obesity prevention, maternal care, the



Poshan Tracker App, and the significance of the first 1000 days of a child's life. Recent cultural activities successfully held at Ayushman Health Centre, (Hallo Majra), Chandigarh Anganwadi Centre, Sector 42-C, Chandigarh Kundan Nagar (Mouli Jagran), Chandigarh. The plays emphasized this year's campaign theme—“Shuddh Jal aur Swachhta Se Swasth Bachpan” with the tagline “Purn Poshan Ki Shuruwaat, Shuddh Jal aur Swachhta Ke Saath”. The performances highlighted key areas like the importance of the first 1000 days of life, promot-

ing the Poshan Tracker App, addressing malnutrition through the CMAM module (Community-Based Management of Acute Malnutrition), and encouraging healthy lifestyles to combat childhood obesity. The message reinforced the critical role of clean water and hygiene in achieving proper nutrition. The attendees said that “they had limited knowledge before, but now they are aware of the importance of proper nutrition for children's physical growth and mental well-being, the essential diet for pregnant women.

Heartfelt tributes paid to late Chief of BrahmaKumaris Dadi Ratanmohini Ji

TILAK RAJ
MOHALI, APR 21

A tribute meeting was organised at Brahma Kumaris Sukh Shanti Bhawan, Phase 7, Mohali in the holy memory of late Chief of Prapajita Brahmakumari Ishwariyavishwavidyalaya Dadi Ratanmohini Ji. On this occasion, all the people present paid their heartfelt tributes to Dadi Ji who passed away at the age of 101 years.

1937, she gave dedicated service to the organization for 87 years. In 1985, a 30,000 km



youth padyatra was organised under her guidance, which found a place in the Limca Book of World Records. In 2014, Gulbarga University conferred her a doctorate for the spiritual, moral and social empowerment of youth and women. As the chief administrator of the world's largest women's organisation Brahma Kumaris, she was running 6000 service centres and 50,000 Pathshalas.

Water resources department, Ranjit Sagar dam senior citizens organize family reunion program



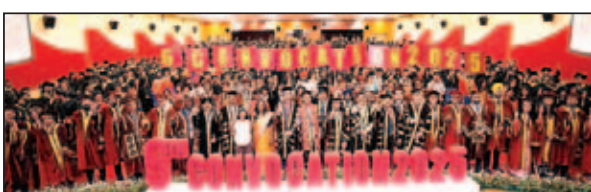
SHASHI PAL JAIN
MOHALI, APR 21

At Shanti Sagar Hotel located on Mohali Airport Road, under the leadership of the Honorable Superintending Engineer of this group, K.C. Bhagat, Jatinder Arora, Rajinder Sharma, Sudhir Sharma, all the retired Senior Citizens belonging to Water Resources Department (Ranjit Sagar Dam) shared their views in

the fourth family reunion program while taking the family reunion program forward and it was unanimously decided by all the members that the next family reunion program should be organized in Kasauli Himachal Pradesh in June. On this occasion, Rajinder Sharma appealed to all the members that all the families who have not come here, please join the next program.

On this occasion, the most senior member of this group, Jassar Sahib, K.C. Bhagat Sahib and Rajinder Sharma, Sudhir Sharma and other members present honored senior member and founder of the group Amrit Verma along with his family by giving him a certificate and a memento. Finally, Amrit Verma thanked all the members present.

CGC Mohali celebrates academic excellence with Its 6th convocation ceremony



TILAK RAJ
MOHALI, APR 21

The Chandigarh Group of Colleges, Mohali (Jhanjeri), marked a momentous milestone with its 6th Convocation Ceremony, a grand two-day celebration of academic accomplishment, personal growth, and the indomitable spirit of perseverance. The event paid tribute to the achievements of the graduating class of 2024 and reflected the institution's unwavering commitment to excellence. The two-day convocation witnessed an inspiring blend of tradition and ambition, bringing together students, faculty, parents, and distinguished guests. The auspicious occasion was graced by

Mr. Vikas Goyal, Vice President, FIS. A distinguished leader in the global fintech industry, Mr. Goyal delivered a powerful keynote, urging graduates to pursue lifelong learning and lead with integrity in an ever-evolving global landscape. “Success,” he noted, “is not a destination but a dynamic journey. The knowledge you've acquired here is the foundation upon which your future will rise.” In a significant announcement that underscored CGC Mohali's dedication to innovation and entrepreneurship, the management pledged Rs. 1 crore in funding to the Business Incubator Association of CGC Mohali.

Parent orientation program organized in Punjab Public School



BALWINDER AZAD
BARNALA DEHATI: A Parents Orientation Program was organized for the parents of children from Nursery class to UKG class in Punjab Public School Mana Pindi Dhanaula Road Barnala. In which Madam Anisha Mahotra shared new psychological methods for teaching children with the parents and also told them about online education that the school syllabus can be taught to children with the help of mobile. She explained in detail to the parents the ways to solve the problems faced by the children while teaching them and also answered questions from the parents in this regard. At this time, the school chairman Amarjit Singh Cheema also reached specially. He also got a lot of information from him and also expressed satisfaction with his teaching methods. The parents of the children also expressed their satisfaction with their methods of explanation.

Low water levels in dams becomes cause of worry for Punjab

BAHADURJEET SINGH RUPNAGAR: Low Water Levels in Dams has become a cause of worry for Punjab for paddy season, when the demand of power is at peak. According to the latest data released by the Central Water Commission (CWC) on April 17, the combined water storage in key reservoirs of Himachal Pradesh is currently 41.46% below normal, while Punjab is witnessing an even sharper shortfall with water levels 47.28% below average. These figures are based on the average reservoir levels recorded over the last ten years. In Punjab Ranjit Sagar Dam is 1636.4 feet, is down by 29 feet from last year level of 1665.3 feet. Bhakra reservoir level is 1556.6 feet is down by 14 feet from last year level of 1570.3 feet on corresponding day. This year, the demand is expected to touch 17,300 Megawatts (MW). Of the total 6,000 to 6,500 MW generated by PSPCL, nearly 1,000 MW comes from hydroelectric plants, which now face uncertainty due to dwindling water reserves. The drawl from grid is 10400 MW.

Mann govt's anti-drug campaign has become a mass movement: Garg

ANIL VERMA BATHINDA: The Panchayats of Goniana Block in Bathinda district have taken a historic decision in support of the Mann government's anti-drug campaign. 'Yudh Nashiyan Virudh'. All village sarpanches have passed a resolution stating that drug peddlers in the villages will face collective boycott and will not receive social support of any kind. The resolution also mentioned that the Panchayats will actively work at their own level to identify drug peddlers, hand them over to the police, and assist in legal proceedings against them. Furthermore, individuals who quit drugs will be honored by the Panchayats and provided with every possible assistance to reintegrate into normal life.

Punjab govt spent Rs 2.5 crore on 24 govt schools in Nabha constituency: Dev



RAKESH JINDAL
NABHA: Nabha MLA Gurdev Singh Dev Mann has said that the Punjab government has spent Rs 2.5 crore on 24 schools in Nabha constituency under the leadership of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann under the Punjab Education Revolution. He today dedicated the various infrastructure development works at government primary schools of Sangatpura Basti, Pakka Bagh and Old High Court to the students after completing them. Meanwhile, addressing the students and parents, Dev Mann said that there are 209 schools in Nabha constituency and out of these, the works done in 117 schools are being inaugurated. He said that the previous governments never paid any attention to government schools, but the Punjab government under the leadership of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann took the initiative to improve the government schools of Punjab, the results of which are in front of everyone and 10 thousand new students have been admitted in government schools. Dev Mann congratulated teachers, students and parents on the Punjab Education Revolution and said that the Punjab government has equipped schools with world-class facilities and provided new classrooms, smart interactive boards in government schools instead of old blackboards, libraries, laboratories, boundary walls, new furniture, drinking water, toilet blocks and sports-related infrastructure.

Police arrests prime accused involved in Tarn Taran's sarpanch murder case

KULJEET SINGH HONEY
TARN TARAN, APR 21

In a major breakthrough amidst the ongoing drive to make Punjab a safe and secure state as per directions of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, Anti Gangster Task Force (AGTF) Punjab in joint operation with Tarn Taran Police has arrested the prime accused involved in heinous murder case of Sarpanch Bachittar Singh alias Bikkar, said Director General of Police (DGP) Gaurav Yadav here on Monday. The arrested accused has been identified as Sukhbir Singh alias Sukh, a resident of Barwala in Tarn Taran. As per the information, Sarpanch Bachittar Singh was shot dead by two bike borne assailants in village Naushera Pannuan in Tarn Taran on September 12, 2024. DGP Gaurav Yadav said that arrested person Sukhbir



Singh is a habitual offender with several cases under the NDPS Act, Arms Act cases, and snatching incidents have been registered against him. Further investigation is underway to identify his associates and unearth the full extent of his criminal activities,

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he added. Sharing more details, Additional Director General of Police (ADGP) AGTF Promod Ban said that the teams of the AGTF under the supervision of AIG Sandeep Goel and teams of Tarn Taran Police under the supervision of SSP Abhimanyu Rana, were pursuing the culprit involved in this case, and based human and intel-inputs located both the accused persons roaming in the area of Pahuwind in Tarn Taran.

Desh Bhagat Global School celebrates World Heritage Day



AJAY MALHOTRA
FATEHGARH SAHIB, APR 21

Desh Bhagat Global School, Mandi Gobindgarh, celebrated World Heritage Day with great enthusiasm to raise awareness among students about the importance of preserving our heritage sites. The event aimed to educate students on the value of cultural heritage and the efforts needed to conserve it. Under the theme "Our Heritage, Our Pride", students participated in various activities including poster making, colouring, showcasing historical buildings, and group discussions. An Inter-

House English Quiz Competition was also held for senior students, who took part with great zeal. Students from Classes VI to VIII highlighted their concern for heritage through creative posters, while Grades III to V shared informative speeches about the day's significance. School Principal Mrs. Indu Sharma encouraged students to cherish and preserve monuments, calling them vital links to our past. Chairman Dr. Zora Singh and General Secretary Dr. Tajinder Kaur also addressed the students, emphasizing the importance of rich monuments and cultural preservation.

Hindus' massacre in WB: Activists of various outfits burn effigy of Bengal CM Mamata Banerjee



NARESH GOYAL
MANSA, APR 21

Irked over the massacre of hindus in West Bengal's Murshidabad at the hands of a particular community, activists of Sanatan Dharma Prachar Samiti and Sanatan Dharma Sabha Mansa today raised slogans against West Bengal government and burnt effigy of its chief minister Mamata Banerjee. Speaking on this occasion, president of Sanatan Dharma Prachar Samiti Mansa Inder Sain Akalia said that the law and order situation in West Bengal has deteriorated so much that thousands hindus have been forced to leave the state and

migrate elsewhere. He strongly condemned West Bengal government and demanded that Mamata Banerjee government be dissolved and president's rule clamped. Sameer Chhabra Sanatan Dharma Sabha chief alleged that for almost one week Hindus were beaten up and tortured by members of a particular community but TMC government did nothing to stop these atrocities. Ramesh Kumar Tony, general secretary of S D Sabha asked the union BJP government to take immediate action and ensure security of Hindus in West Bengal state. Advocate Naval Kumar Goyal, Binder Pal Garg.

Farmers getting payment for wheat within 24 hours: Kataruchak



J S SODHI
JALANDHAR, APR 21

Punjab Food and Civil Supplies Minister Lal Chand Kataruchak on Monday said that the state's grain markets are witnessing a robust arrival of wheat, with an average of 10 lakh metric tonnes (MT) of the crop arriving daily across Punjab. He reaffirmed the commitment of the Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann-led Punjab Government to ensure a seamless and farmer-friendly wheat procurement season. During his visit to Dana Mandi in Phillaur, the Minister inspected ongoing procurement operations and interacted with farmers present at the

site. He informed that wheat procurement was approaching its peak, with over 37 lakh MT of wheat having already arrived at 1,864 designated purchase centres across the state. Of this, procurement agencies have purchased 33.50 lakh MT's at Minimum Support Price (MSP), amounting to Rs 2,425 per quintle. Highlighting the government's focus on timely payments, Mr. Kataruchak revealed that farmers have already received Rs 3,216 crore for their procured wheat, with a strong emphasis on disbursing payments within 24 hours of purchase. Emphasizing the government's inclusive approach, the Minister said that

the welfare of all stakeholders, including labourers, is being taken care of. He said that a revision in labour rates was already done, increasing it from Rs 2.21 to Rs 2.64 per bag, in recognition of the estimated 25 crore bags to be handled this season. This revision is expected to generate around Rs. 10 crore in wages for mandi labourers. While interacting with farmers, Mr. Kataruchak received positive feedback regarding the ongoing procurement. Farmer Paramjit Singh from Akalpur village praised the government for the smooth and prompt purchase of his crop, calling the entire process efficient and hassle-free.

No appeal filed in Punjab under provision for electors to challenge ERO decisions

CHANDIGARH: The Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, Punjab, has reported that no appeals were received during the recently conducted statewide revision of the electoral roll (Special Summary Revision 2025) with respect to the qualifying date of 01.01.2025 under the important provision of the Representation of People (RP) act and corresponding rules, which empowers electors to file appeals against the decision of Electoral Registration Officers (EROs). This indicates a high level of transparency, accuracy, and public satisfaction with the electoral roll revision process across the state. As per the provisions under the Representation of the People (RP) Act and related rules, any elector aggrieved by the decision of the Electoral Registration Officer (ERO), whether related to inclusion, deletion, or modification of names in the electoral roll can file an appeal with the concerned District Election Officer cum DC within 15 days of the ERO's order and further appeal on the decision of the DEO may be filed with the Chief Electoral Officer, Punjab. Further, sharing updates about the ongoing revision before Bye election of 64-Ludhiana West Assembly Constituency, the Chief Electoral Officer, Punjab, Sabin C, informed that the draft electoral roll for 64-Ludhiana West includes a total of 1,73,071 electors. The period for filing claims and objections is open from 9th April to 24th April 2025, and the final electoral roll will be published on 5th May 2025. Reaffirming the commitment to a free, fair, and inclusive electoral process, Sabin C encouraged all eligible citizens to stay alert and actively participate in ensuring the accuracy of electoral rolls.

English handwriting competition held at Meera Public School

KULWINDER KARWAL
SARDULGARH, APR 21

An English Handwriting Competition was successfully organized at Meera Public School, Sardulewala, showcasing the beautiful penmanship and language skills of students from Classes 3rd to 6th. The event aimed to promote the importance of neat and legible handwriting among young learners. The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across four grades, who demonstrated their dedication to improving their writing skills. The event was well-received and appreciated by teachers and parents alike. Certificates of participation and appreciation were distributed to all participants by the esteemed Principal,



Dr. Ram Krishan Yadav, who encouraged students to continue honing their writing abilities. He appreciated the efforts of both students and teachers in making the event a grand success. The event was efficiently coordinated by Mrs. Shallu

Sachdeva, who played a vital role in organizing the competition and ensuring its smooth execution. Such events not only help in developing the handwriting skills of students but also instill confidence and a sense of achievement in them.

Tribute ceremony held for Nirmala Agarwal, wife of Diwan Chand Bansal

BALWINDER AZAD
BARNALA DEHATI, APR 21

Nirmala Agarwal, wife of renowned personality of local city Shri Diwan Chand Bansal, who had passed away yesterday, for whom the last prayer meeting and tribute ceremony and turban ceremony were held at the local Shanti Hall Barnala. In which a large number of political religious personalities, as well as leaders of social organizations paid tribute to Smt. Nirmala Agarwal. During this, former cabinet minister and member of parliament from Sangrur constituency Gurmeet Singh Meet Hayer, Vijay Inder Singla, former M. P. and former Cabinet Minister Punjab, Padma Shri Rajinder Gupta Chairman Trident Group, Jyoti Kaushal SMO Barnala, Dr.



Avinash Bansal Ex SMO MD L, Sant Baba Tek Singh Jathedar Sri Akal Takht Damdama Sahib, prominent criminal case expert and former member of parliament Rajdev Singh Khalsa, Congress district president and MLA from Barnala constituency Kuldeep Singh Kala Dhillon, former Chief Minister Surjit Singh Barnala's wife Bibi Surjit Kaur Barnala, Paramjit Singh Khalsa executive member SGPC, Balbir Singh Ghunnas former cabinet minister Punjab.

AIIMS Bathinda organizes CME & workshop on electrophysiological diagnosis of Brachial Plexus Trauma

ANIL VERMA
BATHINDA, APR 21

The Department of Burns and Plastic Surgery, in collaboration with the Departments of Physiology, Neurology, and Pediatric Neurology at AIIMS Bathinda, successfully conducted a one-day Continuing Medical Education (CME) program and workshop titled "Unlocking the Electrophysiological Diagnosis of Brachial Plexus Trauma." The event brought together leading experts and clinicians from across the country to explore advancements in the diagnosis and management of brachial plexus injuries (BPI). Prof. Meenu Singh, Executive Director, AIIMS Bathinda, lauded the academic excellence and multidisciplinary nature of the workshop. She



emphasized that such initiatives are vital in enhancing clinical acumen, strengthening institutional research, and ultimately improving patient care. Prof. Akhilesh Pathak, Dean Academics, praised the scientific depth of the sessions and urged continued engagement in research and hands-on clinical training. Prof. Rajiv Kumar, Medical Superintendent, appreciated the workshop's practical orientation, highlighting the

Health minister reviews performance under 'Yudh Nashian Virudh' campaign



SUMER GARG
SANGRUR, APR 21

Punjab health and family welfare minister, Dr. Balbir Singh chaired a meeting of administrative and police officers here at the district administrative complex to review the progress of the 'Yudh Nashian Virudh' campaign being run by the Punjab government under the directions of Aam Aadmi Party, National Convener Arvind Kejriwal and Chief Minister of Punjab Bhagwant Singh Mann to make the state drug-free. Cabinet Minister Dr. Balbir Singh said that

they were continuously working to make the state a healthy, employment-rich 'Rangla Punjab'. He said that apart from providing best treatment facilities in the de-addiction centers, noble initiatives were also being taken to provide skill based training including agriculture, IT sector, industrial training, food industry etc. to the patients. He added that these trainings will be group based so that loans ranging from Rs. 2 lakh to Rs. 25 lakh could be provided through banks under the subsidy component of government schemes.

Avalon Girls Senior Secondary School – an ideal institution for holistic dev of Girls, admissions open: Manjeet Mal

GURDASPUR (VERMA): Avalon Girls Senior Secondary School, located on Mission Road, Pathankot, has commenced the admission process for the new academic session from Nursery to Class 10+1. The school is widely known in the region for its high-quality education, strong discipline, and consistent 100% academic results. The school offers co-educational learning from Nursery to Class 5. For Classes 6 to 9 and Class 11, admissions are open exclusively for girls. In Class 10+1, students have the option to choose from major academic streams including Humanities (Arts), Commerce, Medical, and Non-Medical. School Principal Ms. Manjeet Mal shared that Avalon School has been delivering excellence in the field of education for many years. The institution provides a completely safe and secure environment that ensures the physical, mental, and intellectual growth of each child. The core objective of the school goes beyond academic performance, focusing equally on the all-round development of students' personalities. According to the school administration, each student receives personal guidance, moral education, and exposure to modern teaching methods to help them grow into responsible citizens.



NEWS BRIEF

40 patients examined in health check-up camp in Kalruhi



AVINASH CHAUHAN
AMB: A health camp was organized by the MP's mobile health team in Kalruhi village panchayat of Amb for the health and blood test of the people. Dr Shashank Kaushal and his team conducted health check-up of 40 people and blood test and uric acid test of 22 patients were done. During the health camp, general health check-up and blood test of elderly, women and children were done free of cost. Along with treatment advice, medicines were also distributed free of cost to the patients by the team. The team included Neelam Staff Nurse, Varinder Lab Technician, Rahul Thakur. On this occasion, Satish Baba, Shreshtha Devi, Naresh Kumar, Sukam Singh, Ved Prakash etc were present.

Solan MC tops State in 'Clean City-Prosperous City' initiative

SHANTI GAUTAM
SOLAN: In a remarkable achievement, Solan Municipal Corporation has secured the top spot among all municipal corporations in Himachal Pradesh under the 'Swachh Shehar-Samridh Shehar' (Clean City-Prosperous City) initiative implemented by the State Urban Development Department. Solan earned an impressive 86.5 points in the assessment covering all three key components of the 60-day programme. Dharamshala followed closely with 86 points, while Palampur stood third with 84 points. The campaign focused on three major components—IEC source segregation (under SBM), grievance redressal camps, and the implementation of citizen service online facilities. Each urban local body conducted activities based on these objectives and submitted detailed reports to the department. The final assessment report ranked Solan at the top, followed by Baddi Municipal Corporation at the fifth position with 74.5 points.

Land was to be given away for peanuts in Medical Device Park: Congress

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA: Industries Minister Harshwardhan Chauhan and Technical Education Minister Rajesh Dharmani have hit back at Union Health Minister Jagat Prakash Nadda, stating that he should stop misleading the people of Himachal Pradesh with false claims. Refuting Nadda's allegations regarding the Medical Device Park, the ministers clarified that the state government has not scrapped the Rs. 350 crore project, instead it has decided to implement the project independently. Chauhan and Dharmani said that the union government had attached several conditions to its proposed Rs. 100 crore funding, which would have ultimately harmed the state's resources. Therefore, in the interest of the people, the state government decided to return the central funds and move forward on its own. According to the ministers, had the state accepted the central funding, it would have been compelled to provide land to industrialists at a token rate of Rs. 1 per square meter. This would have meant handing over 300 acres of prime land, worth approximately Rs. 500 crore for just Rs. 12 lakh. "How is it in the interest of the state to give away land worth Rs. 500 crore for Rs. 12 lakh? Nadda Ji must clarify this to the people of Himachal," the ministers said. Furthermore, the project's terms required the state to provide electricity to industrialists at Rs. 3 per unit, despite purchasing it from the market at Rs. 7 per unit. The conditions also mandated the provision of free water, maintenance and warehousing for 10 years, all of which would cost the state crores of rupees. They added that the state would not have earned any GST revenue from the project, as GST is collected in the state where the products are sold, not manufactured.

Nutrition fortnight observed in Una and Haroli under ICDS project

KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA, APR 21

As part of the ongoing Poshan Abhiyaan, the Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) projects in Una and Haroli organized a series of awareness camps in Rainsari, Galua, Kaliwari, and Haroli-I. District Programme Officer (ICDS) Narendra Kumar informed that all Anganwadi centres across the district are actively participating in the Nutrition Fortnight.

The awareness camps focused on spreading knowledge about the five core components of the nutrition campaign — the critical first 1,000 days of a child's life, anaemia

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CM Sukhu directs to implement strategy to curb power losses

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, APR 21

Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu directed the Himachal Pradesh State Electricity Board Limited to implement a comprehensive strategy such as feeder metering to accurately assess the power losses and to curb electricity theft in the State. He said that the officers need to take every measure to check the power losses. He was presiding over a meeting of officers of H.P. State Electricity Board and Energy Department here today. He further directed the authorities to carry out feeder-wise mapping of all commercial, industrial and domestic consumers so that



entire information is available on a single click.

The Chief Minister also asked them to provide an option by 30th April this month to all the officers and officials of HPSEBL currently serving on deputation in the Directorate

of Energy, Himachal Pradesh Power Transmission Corporation and Power Corporation. He said that the staff of the civil wing can also opt to go in PWD and other departments. He said that the employees would be governed by the existing

Three-day training on Mental Health and Psychosocial support during disasters begins in Una

KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA, APR 21

A three-day training programme focusing on "Mental Health and Psychosocial Support During Disasters" was inaugurated today at Bachat Bhawan, Una, under the chairmanship of Additional Deputy Commissioner Mahendra Pal Gurjar. The programme is being conducted by the District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Una. Over 50 participants from frontline departments, disaster response agencies, Home Guards, police, health services, disaster volunteers, and various organisations are taking part in the workshop. The training includes individuals from diverse age groups, from senior citizens to young volunteers.

The sessions will cover a



range of topics, including shared experiences of disasters, understanding disaster risk, psychological and social impacts of disasters, needs of affected communities, care cycles, specific needs of vulnerable groups, visible and invisible aspects of psychosocial care, identifying normal and abnormal reactions, roles of caregivers, the impact on women and children, strategies to support them, and methods for self-care and stress management.

In his inaugural address, ADC Gurjar said that Una district has regularly faced

disasters, and the devastation during the 2023 calamity left a deep scar on Himachal Pradesh. "While reconstruction of roads, bridges, and houses is often discussed, the mental health impact of disasters receives little attention," he remarked. He stressed that psychosocial support is a crucial element of disaster management. Anuradha Bhardwaj, an expert and resource person from NGO Doers (Shimla), shared her insights with the participants and conducted sessions on key aspects of mental health care in disaster contexts.

Thakur Vedram birth anniversary celebrated with National and International Awards at Bhutico

ASHISH SHARMA
KULLU, APR 21

A grand event was organised in Bhutico auditorium on the birth anniversary of late Thakur Vedram, the man of the age of co-operation and the one who lit the torch of co-operation and handloom at international and national level. On this occasion, national and international personalities were honoured with Thakur Vedram International and National Award who have done commendable work in various fields. The chief guest of this programme was Bhupendra Mandvi, Regional Director, NCDC Himachal and Ladakh, while the programme was presided over by former minister and Shiromani of Co-operation, Chairman of Bhutico, Satya Prakash Thakur. On this occasion,



Shambhu Prasad Ghimire, Kathmandu, Nepal was honoured with the Vedram National Award in the field of literature. Pankaj Bhargava TV News18 India was awarded the Thakur Vedram Award in the field of electronic media. Aditya Kant Sharma former executive editor and senior correspondent honoured for the print media sector.

Nem Chand Thakur Arki Solan was honoured with the Purohit Chandrashekhra Shekhar Bebas Lok Sahitya National Award.

IIIT Una inaugurates 5-day national faculty development program on 'Innovation and Entrepreneurship'

DINESH AGARWAL
UNA, APR 21

The Indian Institute of Information Technology (IIIT) Una inaugurated a five-day Faculty Development Program (FDP) on "Innovation and Entrepreneurship" from April 21 to April 25, 2025. The program is being organized with the support of the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell and AICTE.

IIIT Una has been selected as one of the top 50 host institutions across India, and the only one from Himachal Pradesh, out of over 1700 applications received nationwide—a proud achievement for the institute and the state. The inaugural ceremony



was graced by Dr. Rishi Mohan Bhatnagar, Managing Director and Global CTO, AA2IT India Pvt. Ltd., and Prof. Purna Gaur, Professor and Head, Instrumentation and Control Department, NSUT Delhi, and Prof. Manish Gaur, Director of IIIT Una. The event began with the traditional lamp lighting ceremony, symbolizing the beginning of a journey filled with

Bhagwat Katha starts with Kalash Shobha Yatra in Maidi

AVINASH CHAUHAN
AMB: The Shrimad Bhagwat Katha began in the village panchayat Maidi of the subdivision Amb. During this, the devotees took out the Kalash Shobha Yatra with band music. During this, the various tableaux taken out were the center of attraction



for the people. Pandit Acharya Sumit Shastri first of all performed the worship at the venue as per the rituals. After

this, the journey started by applying tilak on the forehead of 21 girls wearing yellow clothes carrying Kalash on their heads. The procession reached the Kathasthal via Maidi, Nehariya, Lahad, Jwar. The Katha will be held from 22 April 2025 to 28 April 2025.

Governor to be chief guest in Kisan Mela at Mehla on April 23

BALKRISHAN PRASHAR
CHAMBA, APR 21

Himachal Pradesh Governor Shiv Pratap Shukla would attend the one-day 'kisan mela' and drug eradication awareness camp to be held in Mehla in Chamba district on April 23 as the chief guest.

In an official communiqué issued here, the Assistant Commissioner PP Singh while giving information about the kisan mela event said that the advanced technical information would be provided to the farmers and orchardists by the departmental experts.

In addition to this, useful information would also be shared through departmental exhibition stalls during the kisan mela, the communiqué told.



In the camp, lectures would be given by experts to increase information and awareness among the general public about the fatal side effects of drug abuse.

Apart from this, an awareness rally would also be organized with the participation of school students on this occasion. The communiqué further informed.

Naresh Chauhan refutes charges of JP Nadda over Medical Device Park

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, APR 21

Principal Media Advisor to the Chief Minister, Naresh Chauhan, today informed that the state government was expediting the construction of Medical Device Park at Nalagarh in Solan district. He strongly refuted the serious allegations of corruption levelled by Union Health Minister and BJP National President, Jagat Prakash Nadda, terming the accusations, particularly those related to the alleged shutdown of the Medical Device Park, as baseless and beyond facts.

He said that Sh. Nadda has held prominent positions in the BJP and the Central Government for the past decade. While this is a matter of pride given that very few individuals from small hilly regions attain such stature. It



is nonetheless disappointing that, to date, there was no major project or initiative that can be credited to him.

Naresh Chauhan said that Sh. Nadda, being a national-level leader of significant standing, should refrain from indulging in petty politics aimed at degrading the Congress and misleading the public on issues like the Medical Device Park, espe-

cially without proper facts or understanding. He appealed to Sh. Nadda to maintain the dignity of his political stature and to use his influence to genuinely help the state on key matters of public interest including the stalled BBND project funds, the rightful share the state in hydropower projects, resolution of pending audit objections and restoration of the Old Pen-

sion Scheme (OPS). Responding to the allegations and the claim of scrapping the Medical Device Park, Naresh Chauhan challenged the Centre to name even a single corrupt official in the state government instead of making the baseless allegations of corruption. He said that under the leadership of Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu, the government has been functioning with complete transparency for the past two and a half years.

He said that the Congress government has never compromised with the interests of the state. Unlike the previous BJP government, which acted out of personal interests in several projects including the Medical Device Park, the present state government prioritized the protection of public resources.

Vehicles allowed to go up to Marhi

ASHISH SHARMA

KULLU: District Magistrate Kullu, Torul S. Ravish has issued orders to set up a temporary barrier at Marhi in addition to the traffic barrier Gulaba located on the Rohtang road under section 115 of the Motor Vehicles Act 1988. After a joint inspection of the route from Manali to Marhi by the police and BRO representatives under the chairmanship of SDM, Manali and ensuring parking facility, mobile toilets and dustbins at Marhi, it was recommended to allow the movement of vehicles up to Marhi. As per the order issued keeping in view the recommendation of the joint inspection team, public convenience, environmental protection and road safety, vehicles will be allowed to go up to Marhi (short fly take off paragliding site) only as per the conditions prescribed by NGT from time to time. Any type of vehicle movement from Marhi to Rohtang Pass will remain prohibited till further notice. The strategically important Rohtang Road will remain completely closed every Tuesday for road repair and maintenance by BRO.

International pro boxing tournament to be held in Shimla on June 23

DINESH AGARWAL

SHIMLA: The Himachal Pradesh Pro Boxing Association (HPPBA) held a meeting and press conference today in Shimla under the chairmanship of its president, Mohinder Stan. The primary agenda of the gathering was to announce the upcoming International Pro Boxing Tournament, scheduled to be held at the historic Ridge Ground in Shimla on June 23, to commemorate the birth anniversary of former Chief Minister Raja Virbhadr Singh. President Stan informed that boxers from six countries – Russia, South Korea, the Philippines, India, Uzbekistan, and Thailand – will participate in the prestigious tournament, which will also feature female boxers. During the meeting, the association also expanded its executive committee. New district presidents were appointed as follows: Arun Mehta (Shimla), Ajay Kanwar (Solan), Dinesh Singta (Sirmaur), Pratap Negi (Kinnaur), Rajneesh Mehta (Bilaspur), Akhilesh Chaudhary (Hamirpur), Sumit Sharma (Una), Ajay Thakur (Chamba), Rohit Chauhan (Kangra), Ajay Modgil (Mandi), Heera Lal Vibhu (Kullu), and Deepak Kumar (Lahaul-Spiti).

Nutrition fortnight celebrated in school



AVINASH CHAUHAN

AMB: Under the Nutrition Fortnight, students were given information about nutritious food in Government Model Senior Secondary School Amb. The Principal told the students about the importance of nutritious food and made them aware of the healthy lifestyle. Anganwadi worker Monika Gautam informed the students about nutritious food and told them that nutritious food is the basis of a healthy life. Physical teacher Sanjeev Kumar explained to the students about the importance of staying drug free and physical exercise along with nutritious food. The aim of this event was to motivate students to live a healthy life and make them aware about the importance of nutritious diet.

NEWS BRIEF

Jagmohan Anand resolves problems of public on spot



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL: MLA Jagmohan Anand heard the problems of the common people at the camp office located in Sector-13 on Monday. During this, he heard the problems of the common people present at the camp office one by one and got the problems resolved on the spot and gave necessary instructions to the concerned officials. Jagmohan Anand said that working for the public is his first priority. Listening to the problems of the public and solving them is his first responsibility. He said that the common people come to the camp residence every day for their different jobs. I try to serve the public as much as I can. He appealed to the general public that whoever comes to him with his problem, should bring a written complaint. The complaint must clearly mention the address of the concerned person and his mobile number, so that he can be contacted easily. He said that the problems of the common people are followed up on every day, for this work employees have been deployed at his residence, who take information from the departments.

Shortage of workers in grain market of Saga

MEGH RAJ LUTHRA KARNAL: There is a delay in lifting of wheat in the grain market of village Saga due to a shortage of workers. The entire market is filled with sacks of wheat. Trolleys have also come to lift the wheat. Truck drivers are waiting for loading. This time, due to a good wheat crop, there is a possibility of ninety thousand to one lakh sacks of wheat arriving. While the number of workers here is being said to be only 50. Last year, 92 thousand sacks of wheat came to this market for sale.

Life in Murshidabad resumes after violent protests; schools reopen after 10 days

AGENCY MURSHIDABAD, APR 21

Daily life in Murshidabad gradually resumed amid tight security after the violent protests that erupted in various areas against the Waqf Act. A local reported that the schools had reopened after a 10-day closure. "Schools have reopened here after 10 days. Due to the violence on 11th April, schools were closed. The situation in Dhuliyān has improved. There are no problems now. Such an incident never took place here in the past..." the local said, speaking to ANI. Meanwhile, West Bengal Leader of the Opposition and BJP leader Suwendu Adhikari on Sunday claimed that Hindus are under threat in the state and demanded a National Investigation Agency (NIA) probe into the Murshidabad violence, while holding the state police responsible for the incident and calling it a "brutal killing."

Speaking to ANI, Adhikari said,



"We are constantly working to keep our culture and religion alive. Hindus are under threat in West Bengal... We want NIA. The state police are fully responsible for this kind of brutal killing. Everyone here wants NIA to come and take up the case."

He also criticised Samajwadi

Party leader Akhilesh Yadav for blaming the BJP for the violence. "Akhilesh Yadav's statement is politically inspired," Adhikari said. National Commission for Women (NCW) Chairperson Vijaya Rahatkar met West Bengal Governor CV Anand Bose at Raj Bhavan on Sunday to discuss the

violence in Malda and Murshidabad Speaking to ANI after the meeting, Rahatkar said, "I have told the Governor about the condition of women and children. The situation is very serious, and the West Bengal government should immediately take steps to ensure the safety and security of women in the state. The Governor also said that steps should be taken to ensure the safety of women in the state." Rahatkar also stated that the NCW did not want to politicise the issue and would focus on assisting the victims. "We will make all efforts for the rehabilitation of the victims and accordingly make recommendations (to the West Bengal government) ... Look at how much the Commission works in UP and Manipur as well. We do not want to politicise this issue. We want to stand with the women and families who are in pain," she said.

Education Revolution: Development works worth Rs 42 lakh inaugurated in Kattu schools



KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA, APR 21

Under the guidance of Chief Minister Punjab S. Bhagwant Singh Mann and under the leadership of Education Minister Punjab S. Harjot Singh Bains, the Education Revolution campaign is continuing in the schools of the district. Under this series, Halqa Incharge S. Harinder Singh Dhaliwal and Chairman Nagar Sudhar Trust Mr. Ram Tirath Manna inaugurated development works worth Rs 42.83 lakh in Government Senior Secondary School Kattu and Government Primary School Kattu. On this occasion, he said that exemplary

works have been done and are being done in government schools under the campaign "Punjab Education Revolution" launched to improve the education sector of Punjab, due to which the education infrastructure of the state has become an example for the whole country. He inaugurated development works worth Rs 40.5 lakh in Government Senior Secondary School Kattu and Rs 2.33 lakh in Primary School Kattu. He said that the Punjab government is continuously making improvements in the field of education and today there has been a huge increase in the number of students enrolled in government schools.

Lal Chand Kataruchak reviews ongoing wheat procurement in Gurdaspur Grain Market

VERMA GURDASPUR, APR 21

The Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Minister, Punjab, Mr. Lal Chand Kataruchak today reviewed the ongoing wheat procurement in Gurdaspur Grain Market. During his visit, he also interacted with farmers, Arhtiyas and laborers and took stock of the ongoing wheat procurement arrangements. On this occasion, he was accompanied by Punjab Health Systems Corporation Chairman Mr. Raman Bahl, Deputy Commissioner Gurdaspur Mr. Dalwinderjit Singh, SDM Gurdaspur S. Manjit Singh Rajla, Mr. Shamsher Singh Dinanagar, Chairman of Market Committee Mr. Bharat Bhushan Sharma, DFSC Sukhjinder Singh, DMO Jaspal Singh Ghuman and



officials of procurement agencies were also present. After reviewing the wheat procurement in Gurdaspur Mandi, the Cabinet Minister while talking to the media at the Market Committee office Gurdaspur said that the Punjab Government under the leadership of Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann is committed to purchasing every grain of the farmers' crop at full price and the

farmers will not be made to face any difficulty in the mandis. He said that this time there has been a bumper wheat crop in Punjab and about 125 lakh metric tons of wheat is likely to come to the mandis during this season. Cabinet Minister Mr. Kataruchak said that so far 37 lakh metric tons of wheat have arrived in the Mandis of the state, out of which about 33.5 lakh metric tons have been procured.

Trident group starts 10-day free cancer screening and awareness camp in Barnala

KARANPREET KARAN BARNALA, APR 21

Trident Humanity Foundation under the leadership of Trident Group Chairman Padma Shri Rajinder Gupta and in collaboration with S. Kulwant Singh Dhaliwal Chairman World Cancer Care Society inaugurated a 10-day cancer screening and awareness camp in Barnala today by DIG Sukhwant Singh Gill. On this occasion, SSP Bamala Sharafraj Alam, SP Barnala Mr. Rajesh Chhibber and Chairman World Cancer Care Society S. Kulwant Singh Dhaliwal were also present in a special capacity. Thanking the guests, District Cricket Association President Vivek Sindhwani said that this day is very important for us, because



through this camp we have got an opportunity to come together against a disease that has not only affected countless lives but has also pushed families into deep sorrow. Cancer is a word that creates fear and anxiety in the mind as soon as we hear it. But by gathering here today, we resolve to transform this fear into hope, anxiety into

awareness and despair into collective efforts. He especially thanked Mr. Rajinder Gupta ji, due to whose visionary leadership and human sensibilities, Trident Foundation has always been ready for the good of the society. This effort of his, organizing this important health camp, is a wonderful example of this

human spirit. He also thanked Kulwant Singh Dhaliwal ji and the entire team of World Cancer Care Society, who have dedicated their invaluable time, expertise and resources in this fight against cancer. Their commitment and tireless efforts have made this mega camp a reality. Giving information in this regard, Trident Officer Mr. Rupinder Gupta said that this camp will be organized at Arun Memorial Cultural Center, Trident Complex, Sanghera for 10 consecutive days i.e. till 30th April from 10 am to 4 pm. In this camp, apart from free consultation for cancer screening and information, a team of expert doctors will also conduct sugar and blood pressure screening, mammography test for women's breasts.

Youth urged to come forward for blood donation: Pinka Ummat



CHET RAM RATTAN

NAWANSHAHR: On the occasion of Bhagwan Mahavir Janma Kalyanak, a blood donation camp was organized at the renowned Jain Upasra in Nawansahr by SS Jain Sabha in collaboration with the Nawansahr Blood Centre. The camp was inaugurated by chief guest Harjit Singh Lamba and other dignitaries through a ribbon-cutting ceremony. Social worker Rakesh Kumar Ummat, addressing the gathering as the special guest, emphasized that blood donation is equivalent to a great service. He said that the blood donated by donors gives many people a new lease on life with the blessings of God. Social activist Pinka Ummat appealed to the youth to come forward and donate blood for the welfare of humanity. On the occasion, Secretary Ratan Lal Jain and Manish Jain addressed the attendees, reiterating that blood donation is a noble act that can save lives in critical situations. The camp, held under the supervision of Dr. Ajay Bagga, saw 50 voluntary donors participating in the noble cause. Refreshments for donors were arranged by the Nem Kumar Jain family. Present at the event were Surinder Jain (President), Ratan Lal Jain (Secretary), Nem Kumar Jain, Rakesh Jain, Anil Jain, Jain Bobby, Anil Kumar, Achal Kumar, Ashok Jain.

Dr. Baljinder Kumar revives Civil Hospital Mahilpur with free life-changing surgeries

DALJIT AJNOHA HOSHIARPUR, APR 21

While many government hospitals in Punjab struggle with a shortage of doctors, Civil Hospital Mahilpur is setting a remarkable example through the dedicated efforts of General Surgeon Dr. Baljinder Kumar. Despite limited resources and staff, the hospital is successfully performing complex abdominal and breast surgeries, offering new hope to underprivileged patients.

Dr. Baljinder Kumar visits the hospital every Tuesday and Friday, conducting both consultations and surgeries. His operations include treatments for gallbladder stones, uterine fibroids, abdominal and inguinal hernias, appendix removal, genital and scrotal surgeries, piles, fissures, and fistula-related conditions. So



far, he has performed over 600 minor and 113 major surgeries, all of which have been completely successful.

SMO Dr. Jaswant Singh Thind stated that all these surgeries are conducted free of cost under the Ayushman Bharat Health Scheme. This provides great relief to poor and needy patients who cannot afford private treatment. He also mentioned that the Health Department in Chandigarh personally called to appreciate Dr. Baljinder Kumar's work and dedication. Dr. Baljinder Kumar shared that he has

introduced modern surgical techniques and equipment at the hospital, which have not only made the procedures more efficient but have also helped patients recover faster with shorter hospital stays. This benefits both the patients and the healthcare system by reducing financial burdens and improving outcomes. Local residents and family members of patients are full of praise for Dr. Baljinder's commitment. They believe that Civil Hospital Mahilpur has once again become a reliable place for medical treatment.

Rs 24 crore boosts Lehra Govt School infrastructure: Barinder Kumar Goyal

GURMAIL SINGH SANGATPURA LEHRAGAGA, APR 21

The Punjab government led by Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann has completely succeeded in fulfilling the promise made by it to bring revolutionary changes in the education sector in the year 2022 and under the Punjab Education Revolution campaign, Rs 24 crore has been spent to ensure basic facilities in all the schools under the Lehra assembly constituency. This was revealed by Punjab Cabinet Minister Barinder Kumar Goyal while talking to reporters at Lehra. Taking a strong view of the statements being made by the opposition, Cabinet Minister Barinder Kumar Goyal said that the previous governments neglected important sectors like education, due to which the condition of government



schools continued to deteriorate instead of improving. He said that politicians who have never done anything themselves should stop making misleading statements. He said that the people of Punjab have had to bear the brunt of the negligence of the leaders of the previous governments and now the same people are making false statements to cover up their mistakes, which is far from reality. Cabinet Minister Barinder Kumar Goyal said that grants of Rs 40 lakh each have been released for development works in

government schools of small villages and today our government schools are also beating private schools in every respect. He said that during these events, large gatherings of students, teachers and parents of students are being held in schools. He said that no shortcoming is being left in making government schools, which were suffering from basic facilities during the previous governments, the best in every aspect today.

Cabinet Minister Barinder Kumar Goyal said that even before the formation of the Aam Aadmi Party government in Punjab, it was promised to the people that after the formation of the AAP government in the state, major changes would be brought in the education sector and in the last three years, the Punjab government is leaving no stone unturned in fulfilling this promise.

CSR Top University India Award widespread recognition for KU: VC

DALBIR MALIK KURUKSHETRA, APR 21

Kurukshetra University's Centre for Distance and Online Education was awarded the CSR Top University of India and CSR Leading Institution Award for Excellence in Career Development by Competition Success Review (CSR). These awards were received by the Centre's Director Prof. Manjula Chaudhary on 20 April 2025 at the CSR Awards Night, New Delhi.

Kurukshetra University Vice Chancellor Prof. Som Nath Sachdeva while congratulating the Centre's Director Prof. Manjula Chaudhary for this achievement said that it is a matter of pride and delight that Kurukshetra University's Centre for Distance and Online Education has gained such a widespread recognition. The centre enables learning from anywhere using digital tools, breaking traditional classroom boundaries where learners can balance education with work or personal commitments through flexible scheduling.



The centre provides access to global resources and expert faculty members enhance the quality and reach of education. Registrar KUK, Dr. Virendra Pal said that the Centre for Distance and Online Education expands access to quality learning where students of different cultures and different countries receive education designed for special needs. Director, Centre for Distance and Online Education, Prof. Manjula Chaudhary said that the centre is providing higher education to thousands of students through interactive online medium.

RR Bawa DAV College bids farewell with glamour and grace at 'Kabhi Alvida Na Kehna' event

VERMA BATALA, APR 21

Under the patronage of Dr. Ekta Khosla, Principal, RR Bawa DAV College for Girls, Batala and under the able guidance of Dr. Ritup Goswami (Convener) and Mrs. Harpreet Aneja (Co-convenor) Cultural Event 'Kabhi Alvida Na Kehna' was organised in the college campus. It was a delightful afternoon filled with creative ideas, jazzy music, enlightening décor and special performances of staff and students. In an emotionally surcharged atmosphere inside the auditorium hall of the campus, the programme initiated with 'Jyoti Prajwalan' ceremony and the students and staff of the college bid adieu to the final year students in a grand and mesmerizing farewell function. It was not only an occasion to bid adieu to their friends but also a commemoration to celebrate all the good times together and wishing the best for the future to come. After various arduous modelling rounds and Q & A sessions, Kumari Jasmeen Kaur (PG) and Kumari



Harleen(UG) was chosen 'Miss RR Bawa', Kumari Vidyanti (UG) and Vibha (PG) 'First Runner-up', Kumari Simar (UG) and Kumari Baljeet Kaur (PG) 'Second Runner-up', Kumari Bhavya Mahajan (PG) 'Miss Confident and Kumari Ramandeep Kaur (UG) 'Miss Charming' Kumari Muskan Chouhan (UG) 'Miss Style Diva', Kumari Parneet (UG) 'Miss Elegant', from the outgoing UG and PG classes. Dr. Indra Rani, Dr. Lucky Sharma and Smt. Baljit Kaur acted as judges during this programme.

Family appeals to CM over Mangrot land dispute, seeks justice and legal possession

AJAY KUMAR UPADHYAY BILASPUR: The long-standing land dispute between a local family and the Public Works Department (PWD) at Mangrot, situated on the Dharamshala-Shimla National Highway, has intensified. In a press conference held in Bilaspur, Sita Sharma and Rajankant Sharma urged Chief Minister Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu to personally intervene and ensure justice is delivered. Presenting official documents, they claimed that while the PWD had acquired 1 bigha 14 biswa land in 1974, the actual road has been constructed over 17 biswa land belonging to them and other villagers — a move they allege is illegal encroachment. They cited a report dated 23 January 2025, issued by Tehsildar Sadar following SDM's orders, which confirmed that the road is indeed built on Khasra No. 324/217/19/1, registered in their names. They further revealed that although they filed for partition of the mustarka (joint) land in 2009, the Revenue Department has failed to act even after 15 years. This delay stands in contradiction to the Chief Minister's directive of resolving such matters within six months. "We have no issue with the road; we only want rightful possession of our legally owned land," said Rajankant, calling for fair treatment and urging the government to take action against errant officials.



NEWS BRIEFS

Meeting organised in Chuharpur Kalan for state level Kashyap Jayanti

R K KASHYAP CHHACHHRAULI: A meeting of Kashyap community was held in Community Hall, Chuhadpur Kala under the chairmanship of District President Gulab Kashyap in which the chief guest was Kashyap Rajput Sabha, Senior State Vice President of Haryana and District Yamuna Nagar Incharge Baljinder Singh Kashyap. People of Kashyap community welcomed Baljinder Singh. Addressing the people of the society, the chief guest said that Maharishi Kashyap Jayanti will be celebrated with great pomp in Anaj Mandi Ladwa on 24 May 2025 in which Chief Minister Haryana Government Naib Singh Saini will participate as the chief guest. He said that this Jayanti celebration will be presided over by Ramkumar Kashyap, Chief Whip, Haryana Government. To make the program successful, Ramkumar Kashyap will visit dozens of villages .

Investigate complaints in Labour Welfare Board: Anil Vij

BUREAU CHANDIGARH, APRIL 21

Haryana Labour Minister Sh. Anil Vij has directed the Haryana Building and Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board to form a three-member committee.



tee to investigate the complaints related to workers and the irregularities and flaws in their registration. The committee will submit its report to the department within three months. Sh. Vij was chairing the meeting of Haryana Building and Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board today. He directed to include Sunil Dhillon from the union, Bhupender Sharma from the employers and Joint Secretary A.K. Deshwal from the department in the

Omaxe City should pay pending principal amount within two months: Panwar

CHANDIGARH: Haryana's Development and Panchayat Minister Sh. Krishan Lal Panwar directed the local Omaxe City officials to ensure payment of the pending principal amount within two months, otherwise an FIR will be lodged against Omaxe City. He said that if additional charge has been imposed on Omaxe City without any reason, then it will be refunded. Development and Panchayat Minister Sh. Krishan Lal Panwar was presiding over the monthly meeting of the District Public Relations and Grievance Committee in Rohtak district on Monday. Total 13 complaints were placed in the meeting of this committee, out of which seven complaints were settled on the spot and instructions were given to submit a report in respect of the other 6 complaints. Hearing a complaint, he said that the amount of pending electricity bill by Omaxe City and the pending amount of the work of 33 KV sub-station power house etc. should be paid within two months. The Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam has been asked to issue personal electricity meters to the residents living in Omaxe on payment of the pending amount. Omaxe has to pay pending electricity bill of more than Rs 72 lakh and deposit an amount of more than Rs 5 crore as bank guarantee.

three-member committee. He directed to set up help desks for hearing workers' issues at all block levels. He said both the call centre and help desk should be separate. It was informed in the meeting that call centres have been opened at regional level in Panchkula, Hisar and Sonapat. Sh. Vij said the fees of the workers who have applied for registration in the board must be refunded if their application is rejected due to any reason. He said a detailed report of the decisions taken in the last meeting of the board should be prepared separately. Minister of Social Justice, Empowerment, Scheduled Caste and Backward Class Welfare and Antyodaya Sh. Krishan Kumar Bedi, Principal Secretary of Labour and Employment Department Sh. Rajiv Ranjan, Labour Commissioner Sh. Maniram Sharma.

Corruption is a crime, but a bigger crime is stopping development work: Harvinder Kalyan



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, APRIL 21

Haryana Assembly Speaker and Gharanda MLA Harvinder Kalyan has said that corruption is a crime, but a bigger crime is stopping development work. In such a situation, officers should understand seriousness of development work and should not be negligent in development work without any reason. Officers should tell solution to problem.

We have accountability among the public and administrative officers should work fearlessly because they are face of the government and the public has many expectations from them, which they have to live up to. He was reviewing development work and CM's announcements in a meeting held with DC Uttam Singh and other top officials in conference hall of the District Secretariat today. Mayor Renu Bala Gupta was also specially present in the meeting.

Shri Kalyan strictly told officers to take immediate action against contractors who do not start the development work on time and leave the work incomplete. If this is not done, it will be considered that the officers are in collusion with contractor. He said that it is not acceptable at all if someone plays an open game with government money. It is unfortunate that development work does not start even after four months of foundation stone laying. The work

has been left incomplete by putting stones on the roads. Being a public representative, people ask him questions that why the work is not being completed? In such a situation it becomes difficult for us to answer. He said that the officers should pay special attention to the quality of development works so that transparency is seen in the work.

He said that the repair work of all the roads should be completed soon before the rainy season starts. Chief Minister Naib Singh Saini has given clear instructions to the senior officers regarding this that no road should be seen broken. In such a situation, it is the responsibility of the officers at the district level to immediately get the work of widening the roads and filling the potholes related to their respective departments done. He said that before the rainy season begins, the works related to ponds (digging, cleaning) should be completed on time so that villagers do not have to face problems due to water accumulation during the rainy days. In meeting, Kalyan reviewed the development works pending or ongoing in the Gharanda constituency under the CM announcements. Along with this, he directed all the concerned officers to remove the obstacles by taking information about the incomplete development works of Panchayati Raj, Public Works Department, Irrigation, Education and Health Department as well as other related departments.

Grand corporate meet 2025 to be held at NIILM University, Kaithal: Prof. Dr. Shamim Ahmad

SANJAY SHARMA KAITHAL: NIILM University is set to host its much-anticipated Corporate Meet 2025 on April 25 at the university's main auditorium, under the aegis of the School of Commerce and Management. The announcement was made by Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Shamim Ahmad during a preparatory meeting for the event.

Dr. Ahmad stated that the objective of the meet is to bridge the gap between academia and industry by bringing together top corporate leaders, academicians, and students under one roof. This year's theme is "The Future of HR: Trends, Challenges, and Opportunities."

Top executives from renowned companies including Vita, Madhu Foods, DCC Projects, Kia, Mahindra, MG, Hyundai, Toyota, Sansons Paper Mill Pehowa, Sugar Mill Kaithal, Maruti Suzuki, LRNK, HDFC Bank, DCB Bank, and many more are expected to participate in the event. The meet will feature keynote addresses, panel discussions, networking sessions, and student presentations. Dr. Rekha Gupta, Dean of the School of Commerce and Management, said, "Corporate Meet 2025 offers our students a valuable platform to engage with industry leaders, understand real-world challenges, and explore career opportunities." She added that both faculty and students are preparing enthusiastically for what promises to be an enriching and inspiring event.



Nilokheri Municipality Chairman's election challenged in court

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, APRIL 21

The recent elections for the post of Chairman of Municipality Nilokheri have been challenged in the Civil Court, Karnal with serious allegations. Accepting the petition, the concerned parties have been ordered to present their side on 22nd May. Also, the elected chairman has been asked to present his side before the court, information was given by advocate Rajkumar Sharma, who is pleading for the party to file the election petition. He said that voting was held on 2 March 2025 for the election of the Chairman of Municipality Nilokheri and in the counting of votes held on 12th March, Bharatiya Janata Party's candidate for the post of Chairman, Sanmeet Kaur Ahuja was declared victorious.

Advocate Rajkumar Sharma said that the above case has been filed in the Civil Court, Karnal under Section 15 of the Haryana Municipal Act 1994 with the serious allegations made by the plaintiff and a request has been made to the court to cancel the election for the post of Chairman of the above Nagar Palika

Nilokheri. The main basis for challenging the election for the post of Chairman of Nagar Palika Nilokheri is that gross irregularities have been committed during the elections by the newly elected chairman who was declared victorious and the petitioner has alleged that Sanmeet Kaur, the candidate contesting the



election on behalf of the BJP party, has misused the government machinery to get votes in her favour, money has been allocated to voters to get votes, voters have been stopped by threatening to stop government facilities, liquor and money have been distributed openly and private vehicles have been used to bring and take voters to the polling booths.

Since there is a BJP government in Haryana and in India, it has also been alleged that machines were swapped due to misuse of power. In the petition filed in the Court, the petitioner Prem Munjal has also alleged that the ruling party has wrongly cancelled the nomination of my wife, for which there was no proper and constitutional reason for cancellation and I was also constantly threatened and intimidated to withdraw from the election. The petitioner has alleged in his petition that on the night of 1 March 2025, when the election campaign was over, in ward no. 7 and 8, Nilokheri MLA Bhagwandas Kabirpanthi distributed a lot of money to the people, who were surrounded by the local people on the spot and a video of the incident was also made. In this regard, MLA Nilokheri has misused his power to put undue pressure on people and to intimidate the petitioner and his associates and has also lodged a false FIR in Butana police station, which is under investigation. In the above case, the Hon'ble Court has given the next date of 22 May 2025 to the Chairman and others to submit their reply.

Babu Mool Chand Jain Government ITI organizes job fair

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL: Rakesh Bhatia, Principal of Babu Mool Chand Jain Government Industrial Training Institute said that a job fair was organized in the institute on Monday. Representatives of companies like Larsen and Toubro, Sonalik Tractor Limited, Goodrich Agrochem, Vastu Architecture, Paul Electricals and Jindal Kitchen participated in this fair and students of all the industrial training institutes in the district participated enthusiastically. A total of 320 students were selected by the companies in the job fair. Principal Rakesh Bhatia congratulated the selected students and said that such programs acted as a bridge between various companies and trainee students. He said that such job fairs would continue to be organized in future as well. The support and participation of Gulshan Kumar, Mandep Kumar, Kuldeep Singh, Rinku Kumar and Akshit Kaushik were important in the success of the job fair.



All departments should ensure arrangements to protect from heat and heat wave: DC

RAHUL KOHLI YAMUNA NAGAR : Deputy Commissioner Parth Gupta said that temperature is increasing day by day due to increasing heat. Officers of concerned departments should ensure to make necessary arrangements in time so that there is no problem in summer season. He gave necessary guidelines to the officers of concerned departments regarding protection from heat wave and heat stroke in upcoming summer season. He said that all departments should ensure complete preparations and arrangements to protect against heat and heat wave. He directed the Rural Development and Development and Panchayat, Panchayati Raj Institutions to prepare a special action plan for MNREGA workers to avoid extreme heat during the day. Apart from this, a schedule of work time should also be fixed for workers working in industrial areas to protect them from heat. He directed officials of the Health and Family Welfare Department to observe previous status of supply of ORS and other essential medicines. He gave instructions to ensure availability of ORS in all health institutions with provision for power backup during power cuts. He instructed the officials of the urban local body to make general public aware about heat alert and precautionary measures. He instructed the officials of the electricity department to create awareness among people about energy conservation, make a policy for power cuts on the basis of sensitive areas and population, give information about power cuts a day in advance during extreme heat, issue guidelines for the department personnel, make provision for power backup for public health, agriculture, health related institutions.



Teacher training organized in Janta Public School Alahar

NIRMAL SAINI RADAUR, APRIL 21

In-house teacher training was organized in Janta Public School Alahar under the teacher training program of CBI. The program was inaugurated by reciting Hanuman Chalisa. Trainer Kapil Batra from CBSE presided over the program. Throwing light on value education topic, he said that we are providing education, but are not able to give values to children. Along with education, values are very important in today's life. Barning method of children has decreased, which we need to improve. Parents should also be in constant touch with their children. There comes a time when children need their mother most,

at same time parents go away from their children, so at such a time biggest support of children is teacher. Today classroom environment is also very

ganized in the school from time to time. School principal Ruby Kamboj, coordinator Deepika Rani, Akhil Kamboj, Imran Rana, Prince, Poonam,



important for children. Children should be so confident in class that they can ask any question without hesitation. School MD Mukesh Shastri said that such events are or-

Geeta Gaba, Nisha Rani, Puja, Meenakshi, Shobha, Shagun, Mehak, Manisha, Mamta, Khushi and Manshi and other staff members were present.

Pravesh-Utsav campaign being run with aim of increasing enrollment number of students in government schools

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, APRIL 21

Under aegis of Education Department, 'Pravesh-Utsav' campaign is being run with aim of increasing enrollment number of students in government schools, in which this enrollment is creating new dimensions every day in Government Senior Secondary School - Sheikh-pura-Sohana Government School. Under guidance of District Education Officer Sudesh Thukral, teachers of the school are going door-to-door in village and appealing for admission in the school. As a result, enrollment number is increasing every day. Principal of the school, Nidhi Chaudhary, said that studies of Arts, Commerce and Science Faculty are going on smoothly in school till class XII and adequate staff is available to teach all subjects. Apart from



this, two subjects, Automobile and Agriculture, are being taught as vocational education so that students can learn hand skills along with education. Last year enrollment number in class IX was 185, while till now it has reached 230. Result of class 10th has not been declared yet, while students are coming for admission in class 11th. As a result, more enrollments are being done than number of last year. School participates in sports and other activities with great enthusiasm. In science exhibition also, school student Armaan represented Haryana state in 'National Children's Science Exhibition' and Ali Hasan won gold medal at state level in Taekwondo and represented Haryana at national level. Apart from this, in past years, annual board examination results of class 10th and 12th are also setting new dimensions every year.

Bhagat Dhanna Jat was a great man who found God directly: Mahipal Dhanda

DALBIR MALIK KURUKSHETRA, APRIL 21

Bhagat Dhanna Jat was a great man who found God directly. Haryana Education Minister Mahipal Dhanda, while speaking on Bhagat Dhanna Jat's birth anniversary, said that this year more students have taken admission in the government schools of the state than before. The government has made textbooks available even before the classes started in the schools of the state. This time the government had planned to make books available on time and a provision of penalty has also been made in case of negligence in this matter. If the books do not reach anywhere on time, then a penalty will be imposed. The quality of education will improve if the books reach the school on time. Students will be able to do their studies smoothly from the first day itself. Haryana Education Minister Mahipal Dhanda was speaking on Monday at a programme or-



ganised at Dhanna Bhagat Public School on the birth anniversary of Bhagat Dhanna Jat. The Education Minister inaugurated the program by offering flowers to the statue of Dhanna Bhagat along with former Minister of State Subhash Sudha, BJP District President Tajinder Singh Goldy, Pradhan Jagtar Kajal, social worker Mahavir Mandhan.

Mahipal Dhanda said that Bhagat Dhanna Jat was a great man who found

God directly. Dhanna Bhagat got a chance to play with God, ate with him. By putting life into a stone with devotion, he proved that nothing is greater than devotion. His entire life is full of ideals, every person should understand his thinking and adopt the work done for the society in life. He said that great men do not belong to any particular society. Therefore, one should follow the path shown by such great men. Education Minister Mahipal Dhanda said that about 14 lakh 14 thousand sets were to be made for the entire state. 85 percent i.e. about 12 lakh sets have been sent to schools. The target was to deliver the remaining two lakh sets to the schools by April 21. If they do not reach, there is a provision of penalty. This work has been completed in a time bound manner. I am satisfied with the department regarding books. He said that the time limit for admissions has been fixed till 30th April. There have been more admissions in government schools as compared to last year.

Dalit organizations stage massive protest in Hisar in case of breaking of statue of Dr. BR Ambedkar in village Nangthala

MANMOHAN SHARMA HANSI, APRIL 21

Statue of Dr. BR Ambedkar was broken on night of 14/15 in village Nangthala of district Hisar, in which the police has arrested three accused, but villagers of SC community of village say that main accused who is mastermind is still out of police's custody. Representatives of Dalit villagers and Dalit organizations staged a massive protest outside Mini Secretariat Hisar under leadership of Rajat Kalsan, convener of National Alliance for Dalit Human Rights. Addressing public meeting during this demonstration, Rajat Kalsan said that in the case of breaking statue of Dr. Ambedkar in village Nangthala, police deliberately registered the case on statements of Sarpanch belonging to non-scheduled caste community and deliberately did not invoke the SC

ST Act in it and none of the Dalit villagers of the village was made a complainant or a witness in the case and only the puppet accused have been arrested in this case while the real accused are freely roaming in the

village. Kalsan said that this demonstration is just a trailer, if all the demands mentioned in the memorandum are not met within 15 days, then due to the cases of breaking the statues of Dr. Ambedkar.

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Editorial

Twin pillars

It is perhaps a reflection on the government of the day that the courts continue to become more and more central to public discourse. The Supreme Court and the high courts are setting the tenor for those who govern, for law and order personnel and, sometimes, for their own tribe as well. Last month, a former high court chief justice suggested that even as the media constantly needs the judiciary these days to enable it to stay free and function, the judiciary, too, needs the media sometimes to strengthen its hand.

Last week, after the vice-president's ferocious attack on what he saw as judicial overreach, the Times of India chose to rap Jagdeep Dhankhar for his strident criticism of the Supreme Court's landmark judgment in the case regarding the governor of Tamil Nadu. The editorial came even as criticism of the Supreme Court's judgment was growing. Dhankhar had said that Article 142 of the Constitution was a "nuclear missile against democratic forces, available to the judiciary 24x7". The paper said that the vice-president was departing from norms guiding those who hold largely ceremonial constitutional posts, and suggested that news consumers should discount his comments because the vice-president has no locus standi in matters of policy, politics and judicial verdicts.

It also criticised the vice-president's push for an amendment to Article 145(3) of the Constitution. "Here's a constitutional post holder critiquing a constitutional provision that defines how the country's top constitutional court should go about its core business."

In a lecture in New Delhi on the media and the courts last month, the former chief justice of the Orissa High Court, S. Muralidhar, suggested that in order to be truly free and independent, the media in a democratic polity needs an independent judiciary. Equally, for an independent judiciary to remain effective in a democracy, it requires a free media. He referred to the famous press conference by four Supreme Court judges some years back. Rulings and observations in media-related issues have been coming thick and fast. In March this year, the Delhi High Court upheld press freedom in a defamation case filed against an internet magazine. The case was filed by the co-founder of a Unicorn start-up and said that a report in the magazine was linked to an article published elsewhere which was defamatory. The court cited principles governing defamation proceedings, whereby the doctrine of substantial truth should prevail over minor inaccuracies, provided the essence of the publication remains truthful.

Chinese aggression escalates in disputed PMZ waters

China is now stepping up its game in the Yellow Sea by constructing a massive steel rig, following similar aggressive posturing in the South China Sea.

This development has become a fresh source of conflict between China and South Korea. The Eurasian Times reported that Korean ships attempted to examine the steel structure, leading to a recent standoff between the coast guards of the two nations.

According to diplomatic sources cited by South Korean news agency Yonhap, the two coast guards were at odds for two hours. The Eurasian Times reported that the altercation occurred on the afternoon of February 26 in the Provisional Maritime Zone (PMZ), close to Socotra Rock, southwest of Jeju Island in South Korea.

The PMZ is a jointly administered area in the Yellow Sea--referred to as the West Sea in Korea--where South Korea's and China's exclusive economic zones (EEZs) overlap. The South Korean research ship Onnuri was sent by the government to inspect the structure, but it was blocked by Chinese coast guard vessels and civilian boats, mirroring tactics reportedly used against the Philippine Coast Guard.

A two-hour standoff followed after Seoul dispatched a coast guard ship to the location. South Korea asserted that its inspection was legitimate, but China countered by claiming the structure was an aquafarm and requested the Korean ship to leave.



South Korea responded to the incident by summoning a representative of the Chinese Embassy in Seoul to lodge a formal protest. According to recent satellite imagery, China has constructed several large steel platforms within the PMZ. The Eurasian Times noted that the PMZ was established under a 2000 agreement that permits fishing and transit until a final maritime boundary is agreed upon.

One of the installations is a 71.5-metre-tall underwater marine cage named Shen Lan 2 Hao (also known as Deep Blue 2), intended for salmon farming. The massive cage and its jack-up support equipment have sparked concern in South Korea. The Eurasian Times reported that the Korean government maintains the right to inspect the structure under the 2001 Korea-China Fisheries Agreement.

The Eurasian Times further stated that South Korea claims the structure was installed without permission or prior notification. China had previously set up similar platforms in the area, but they were dismantled after protests from Seoul. The latest installation, featuring three long legs that anchor to the sea floor, signals growing Chinese involvement in the disputed region.

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U.S. losing economic leverage to China

Multinational investment bank and financial services company Jefferies has raised concerns about the shifting global economic power balance and the diminishing financial leverage of the United States under President Donald Trump, primarily due to ongoing tariff policy issues.

The core concern highlighted in the report is America's eroding economic exceptionalism, driven by its massive net international investment deficit and chronic under-saving compared to China. As of end-2024, the U.S. net IIP stood at a record deficit of USD 26.2 trillion (89.9 per cent of GDP), while household savings were only 4.3 per cent of disposable income, far below China's 31.8 per cent.

It stated, "A major problem for Donald Trump, as it would be for any US president, is simply that China has the savings, whereas America does not."

The report also noted that a sharp sell-off in both the US dollar and Treasury bonds during recent risk-off market moves has raised concerns about the sustainability of the dollar's reserve currency status--a pillar of the United States' financial dominance.



Trump's erratic tariff policy reversals, such as temporary exemptions on electronics and a fresh investigation into semiconductors, have only increased investor uncertainty. Jefferies said, "The one real example of American exceptionalism in terms of financial matters remains the ability to print the world's reserve currency. Yet this is precisely what is threatened by last week's risk-off action, in which both the US dollar and the US Treasury bond market sold off in response to US stock market action, which flashed growing recession concerns".

Thousands gather at church of Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem for holy fire ceremony

Thousands of Christians gathered at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem for the centuries-old Holy Fire ceremony, as reported by Al Jazeera.

According to tradition, worshippers held unlit candles as they packed into the 12th-century basilica, built on the site where Jesus is believed to have been crucified and buried.

The ceremony began in near-total darkness, with the Greek patriarch entering the Holy Edicule and emerging with two lit candles. The flame was then passed from one candle to the next, filling the rotunda with a warm glow of light, Al Jazeera reported.

The flame was later transferred to Orthodox



communities in other countries on special flights.

The ceremony, which dates back over 1,200 years, is believed by Eastern Orthodox Christians to be a miraculous event.

Eastern Orthodox Christians believe the light miraculously appears inside the Holy Edicule, built on the traditional site of Jesus's tomb, while sceptics going back to the Middle Ages have dismissed it as a carnival trick for the masses.

Either way, the ceremony, which goes back at least 1,200 years, is a sight to behold. It has also ignited safety concerns. According to Al Jazeera, a tragic incident occurred in 1834 during the Holy Fire ceremony, when a stampede in the crowded church resulted in the deaths of around 400 pilgrims, mostly due to suffocation or trampling.

The ruler at the time narrowly escaped with his life.

New technique for boosting plant growth with bacteria

Researchers have successfully demonstrated a technique for encapsulating bacteria, which can subsequently be preserved and applied to plants to promote their growth and protect them from pests and infections. The technique paves the way for a variety of crop applications that will enable farmers to use these beneficial bacteria in conjunction with agrochemicals.

"Many of the beneficial bacteria we know of are fairly fragile, making it difficult to incorporate them into practical, shelf-stable products that can be applied to plant roots or leaves," says John Cheadle, co-lead author of a paper on the work and a Ph.D. student at North Carolina State University. "The technique we demonstrate here essentially stabilizes these bacteria, making it possible to develop customized probiotics for plants."

At issue are plant growth-promoting bacteria (PGPBs), which are microbes that benefit plant health and growth, helping plants extract nutrients from the environment and protecting them from pests or pathogens.

"A longstanding challenge for making use of these bacteria has been that if you tried to come up with a single application that combined them with agrochemicals, like pesticides or fertilizers, the bacteria would die," says Saad Khan, co-cor-



responding author of the paper and INVISTA Professor of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering at NC State. "We wanted to develop a solution that would allow bacteria to be used in conjunction with chemicals already in wide-

spread use by growers."

"By the same token, a healthy plant microbiome allows the plants to make better use of nutrients available in the soil and more resistant to pathogens," says Tahira Pirzada, co-correspon-

ding author and a research scholar at NC State. "This may allow growers to use less fertilizer and pesticides without hurting crop production."

The new technique revolves around a custom-made emulsion, with only a handful of ingredients. One part of the emulsion consists of a saline solution that contains PGPBs. For the proof-of-concept demonstration, the researchers used the bacteria *Pseudomonas simiae* and *Azospirillum brasilense*. *P. simiae* acts as a biopesticide by promoting pathogen resistance; *A. brasilense* acts as a biofertilizer by fixing nitrogen.

The second part of the emulsion consists of a biodegradable oil and a biodegradable polymer derived from cellulose. The polymer can be loaded with agrochemical active ingredients, which means the emulsion can incorporate these ingredients without relying on environmentally harmful organic solvents, which are typically used in pesticide formulations.

When the two parts of the emulsion are mixed together, the oil is broken into droplets that are distributed throughout the saline solution. The cellulose polymer sticks to the surface of these droplets, preventing the droplets from merging back together.

Essentially, the emulsion is a salad dressing

with the oil droplets held in suspension throughout the saline solution. In practical terms, this would allow the PBPBs to be applied simultaneously with agrochemicals using the same emulsion.

To see how well the emulsion worked, the researchers did two tests.

First, the researchers compared the survival of PBPBs in the emulsion to the survival of PBPBs in the saline solution alone. Samples of each were stored at room temperature. After four weeks, the population of *P. simiae* in the emulsion was 200% higher than the population in saline; the population of *A. brasilense* in the emulsion was 500% higher.

Second, the researchers wanted to see how well pesticides would work when incorporated into the emulsion. For this, the researchers incorporated the pesticide fluopyram into the emulsion. They also added fluopyram to the saline solution by itself. The researchers then introduced *C. elegans* nematodes - which serve as a proxy for pests - into the emulsion and the saline solution.

"Not surprisingly, the pesticide in saline solution killed the pest very quickly - all of the pests were killed within an hour," says Mariam Sohail, co-lead author of the paper and a recent Ph.D. graduate from NC State.

POEM

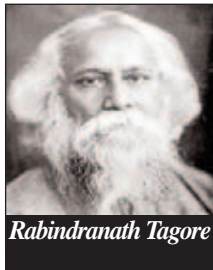
The Chanpa Flower

Supposing I became a chanpa flower,
just for fun, and grew on a branch high
up that tree, and shook in the wind
with laughter and danced upon the newly
budded leaves, would you know me, mother?
You would call, "Baby, where are you?"
and I should laugh to
myself and keep quite quiet.

I should slyly open my petals and watch you at your work.

When after your bath, with wet hair spread on your shoulders, you walked through the shadow of the champ tree to the little court where you say your prayers, you would notice the scent of the flower, but not know that it came from me. When after the mid-day meal you sat at the window reading ramayana, and the tree's shadow fell over your hair and your lap.

Rabindranath Tagore



Rabindranath Tagore

NEWS BRIEF

Khushkiranpreet Kaur selected for National Unity Camp



KULJIT SINGH DHINGRA RAMPURA PHUL: Khushkiranpreet Kaur, a student of Mata Sundari Group of Institutions Dhadde, village Sooch, was specially selected by the NSS Department under the Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs, Government of India, for the National Unity Camp. This college student participated in various forms of Punjab like Giddha, Bhangra, Folk Songs, Folk Dance etc. Students from various colleges and universities of Punjab, Jammu and Kashmir, Haryana, Himachal, Chandigarh, Gujarat, Rajasthan, Assam, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Odisha, Delhi, Uttar Pradesh participated in this camp. Chairman of the organization Kulwant Singh Sidhu, Managing Director Gurbinder Singh Sidhu and Director Administration Parminder Singh Sidhu said during the conversation that we are very grateful to the Youth Services and NSS Department.

Zonal Licensing Authority suspends license of medical store

ABHISHEK NANDA FEROZEPUR: The District Civil and Police Administration is continuously working to implement the campaign 'War on Drugs' launched by the Punjab Government against drugs at the ground level. Under this, some medicines were recovered from Guru Nanak 13-13 Med-



ical Store, Lakho Ke Behram, on April 1, 2025, due to incomplete records by Drug Inspector Ferozepur Sonia Gupta. Taking action on which, the Zonal Licensing Authority has suspended the license of the said medical store for four weeks, in view of which Inspector Sonia Gupta sealed this medical

store for four weeks today. On this occasion, Drug Inspector Madam Sonia Gupta said that Chief Minister S. Under the orders of Bhagwant Singh Mann and Deputy Commissioner Deepshikha Sharma, medical stores are being checked continuously in the district under the 'War on Drugs' campaign.

Minister Krishan Bedi honoured with grand welcome, felicitates meritorious youth

HANS RAJ KURUKSHETRA, APR 21

The cabinet minister boarded the chariot carriage from Ravidas Chowk, Janata School. The workers took him to Dada Kheda dancing on the tune drums and made him touch their forehead. Seeing the workers dancing, the minister was also cheering them by waving his hands happily. Some were showing their respect and love to their beloved leader Krishna Bedi by folding their hands, some by shaking hands and some by touching his feet. There was a wave of happiness on everyone's face. The minister was thanking everyone with folded hands after seeing so much respect and hospitality towards him.

Before climbing the stage he offered prayers at the Valmiki temple and bowed his head to seek blessings. After offering floral tribute to the pictures of Lord Valmiki and Baba Saheb Ambedkar and lighting the lamp, he took his



seat on the stage. Under the chairmanship of the Backward Classes Commission Chairman and former Judge Shyam Lal Jangra, 22 institutions, gaushalas and dharamshalas of the city felicitated and welcomed him. Besides several village sarpanches Sat Prakash Sonu, village sarpanch representative from Bohli Sunil Numbardar felicitated him by putting a garland of flowers and wearing the turban on him.

The youth organization of Gandhinagar, under the leadership of Naresh Sirswal, welcomed the minister with a huge garland of flowers. The minister was given laddoos on the stage and sweets were distributed to the people present. The Minister encouraged the highly educated children of Gandhinagar Kirti Nagar by giving them a symbol in the form of a shield and an honorarium of Rs 11,000 each from the Ministry.

The minister supported 22 organizations participating in the welcome ceremony program by giving them a fund of Rs 5 lakh each. He promised to provide a fund of Rs 51 lakh from his ministry for building a new building of Valmiki Dharamshala in Gandhinagar and promised to fulfill Gandhinagar's oldest demand of land registrations before the end of the year 2025, by getting the land registered for people older than 20 years and giving them ownership rights. Dr Ishwar Dhillod welcomed the minister on behalf of Gandhi Nagar Kirti Nagar and read the demand letter. Main speakers like Chairman of Backward Class Commission, former judge Shyamail Jangra, Subhash Bedi, Roshan Bedi, Pradhan Valmiki Mahasabha Kurukshetra Jagir Singh, former Lalchand, Nandini Machal, Master Principal Government College Bairaia Pehwa Shri Rishipal Bedi also delivered welcome speeches.

MLA Ghanshyam Das Arora inspects development works in his constituency



RAHUL KOHLI YAMUNANAGAR, APR 21

BJP MLA from Yamunanagar Assembly constituency Ghanshyam Das Arora reached Yamuna Gali to inspect the development works in his constituency on Sunday. The MLA was accompanied by SDO and JE of Municipal Corporation, Public Health, Irrigation departments. The residents of Yamuna Gali informed MLA Ghanshyam Das Arora about their problems related to water logging due to rain, sewerage problems and other problems related to Municipal Corporation Yamunanagar. Mr Arora gave strict instructions to the

concerned officials to solve the problems soon. Local residents told MLA Ghanshyam Das Arora about the cleanliness and sewerage problems of Municipal Corporation on which MLA Ghanshyam Das Arora said that in the Assembly elections and Municipal Corporation elections, the public has voted them for development works and elected them. It was their responsibility and priority to get the works mentioned by the public done. BJP MLA Ghanshyam Das, while giving a stern warning to the officials, said that the officials should improve their working system and any kind of negligence will not be tolerated.

Gurukul students shine in JEE Mains examination



HANS RAJ KURUKSHETRA: The Brahmacharis of Gurukul Kurukshetra, renowned for their excellent exam results have once again repeated their brilliant success in JEE Mains. In the JEE Mains result released recently by NTA, Arman Singh of Gurukul secured 291rank in EWS category and 3001rank all India. Twenty nine students of Gurukul brought laurels to the pride of the institute by achieving 90 plus percentile. There was excitement in the Gurukul family on the achievement of the students. Principal Rajkumar Garg, Director Brigadier Dr. Praveen Kumar, Principal Sube Pratap, Ramkumar Sharma of Competitive Wing have congratulated all the students on the excellent result of JEE Mains.

Agriculture officers and farmers welfare society meeting held to discuss important issues



MAINPAL KASHYAP

INDRI: Monthly meeting of agriculture officers and farmers welfare society was organized in the office of the block agriculture and farmers welfare department under the chairmanship of block agriculture officer Dr. Ashwani Kumar on Sunday. In this meeting, crop residue management and not to burn crop residue, sowing paddy before May 15 and not transplanting paddy before June 15 issues were discussed in detail. In the meeting, the agriculture officers of the Block Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Office and the members of the Farmers Welfare Society also discussed on sowing Dhaincha and Moong in as much agricultural land as possible for using green manure in the fields.

DAV Girls College, PRSI celebrate National Public Relations Day



RAHUL KOHLI

YAMUNANAGAR: National Public Relations Day was celebrated under the joint aegis of the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication of DAV Girls College and the Public Relations Society of India Yamunanagar Chapter on Sunday. District Information and Public Relations Officer Dr Manoj Kumar was the chief guest in this event. College Principal Dr Surinder Kaur and Department Head Parmesh Kumar jointly presided over the program. Dr Manoj Kumar said that public relations management was a multi-faced discipline. The role of a person associated with public relations was important in creating the image, perception and trust of any government, institution, organization and person.

Govt to ensure early compensation for fire damage: Shyam Singh Rana



YAGYADUTT SHASTRI

PEHOWA: Haryana Agriculture Minister Shyam Singh Rana has assured that the state government will soon provide compensation to those affected by recent fire incidents across various villages. Speaking to media persons at the establishment of Surjit Singh Rana in Jalbehda village after extending invitations for the upcoming Maharana Pratap Jayanti celebrations, Rana said that the state is taking the fire-related losses seriously. He informed that the birth anniversary of Maharana Pratap will be celebrated with great enthusiasm on May 9 in Sarwan, Karnal. Regarding the fire incidents, he said he personally visited affected areas to understand the losses farmers have suffered—ranging from damaged crops to loss of livestock. The government has opened a compensation portal to facilitate claims, and prompt disbursement of aid will be ensured.

Jai Jwala Ji Seva Mandal releases poster of upcoming Jagran



VIJAY KAUSHIK

LADWA: Rohit Singla, general secretary of the local Jwala Ji Seva Mandal of Ladwa, said that the organization would be organizing a grand Maa Bhagwati Jagran this year as well, just like last year. The poster of which was released on Monday by famous social worker of Ladwa, Ankush Goyal. Ankush Goyal said that Jai Jwala Ji Seva Mandal was the oldest organization of the city and has been organizing Maa Bhagwati Jagran continuously for the last 18 years. Ankush Goyal said that he has been associated with this organization for about 22-23 years and apart from Jagran, this organization continuously doing many other social and religious works in the city. General Secretary Rohit Singla said that this year the praise of Mahamai will be done by the famous artist and singer of Punjabi music industry, Roshan Prince. On this occasion, well-known social worker Ankush Goyal, President Ankit Garg, Vice President Sparsh Garg, General Secretary Rohit Singla, Treasurer Naveen Garg.

World Liver Day celebrated under senior medical officer



DEEPAK KUMAR

MACHHIWARA: World Liver Day was celebrated under the guidance of Civil Surgeon Ludhiana Dr. Ramandeep Kaur and under the leadership of Senior Medical Officer of Government Hospital Dr. Jasdev Singh on Monday. This day was celebrated in all the health centers under the hospital. Giving information in this regard, Medical Officer Dr. Davinder Kumar said that awareness activities were conducted in the centers related to this day. He said that the purpose of celebrating this was only to make people aware about liver diseases. While celebrating this day in the local hospital, Dr. Davinder Kumar explained to the people in detail about liver diseases and also told about their treatment. She said that the theme of Liver Day 2025 this year was 'Food is Medicine'. It is important to take care of it to stay healthy. She told that the liver worked all the time. It kept the blood clean and helped in digesting food. Dr. Davinder also told that they should get liver tests done from time to time so that they remained aware of their health.

Health camp organised in Hindu High School under World Oral Health Movement



VIJAY KAUSHIK

LADWA: A health camp was organized in Hindu High School, Ladwa under World Oral Health Movement in collaboration with Ladwa Community Center on Monday. In which the health of the children was fully examined by the officers and employees of the health department. In particular, Dr. Kamalant Malhotra, dentist, told all the children about the cleanliness of teeth and proper brushing. He told that they should keep their teeth healthy because a healthy body depended on healthy teeth. If our teeth are healthy, we will be able to eat and chew food properly, which will facilitate digestion of food and our body will remain healthy. A total of 300 children and 30 school staff members were examined in the health camp. Out of which 112 children had problems related to teeth and 30 children had symptoms of eye and other diseases. In this regard, the health department has made a complete framework to check these children from time to time for complete treatment so that all these children can be treated completely in future.

Students of St. Paul Divine School sing 'Save Environment-Repay the Debt of Mother Earth'



KAMAL SHARMA

TARAORI: On the occasion of World Earth Day, an awareness program was organised at St. Paul Divine School Taraori. In which children participated enthusiastically. The importance of Earth was told to the children. The program was chaired by the school's Principal Preeti Gupta. She talked what is the importance of Earth in our lives, and how important Earth is for us. Earth Day is a day when we respect our planet, Earth and make other people aware to protect it. She told that it is our responsibility to take care of it. World Earth Day, celebrated every year on 22 April, is a global campaign to save our planet from problems like pollution and deforestation. The purpose of celebrating this day is to raise awareness about environmental issues and inspire people to take action to protect the Earth. It unites people from all over the world and inspires them to address environmental issues.

Mock interview organized to remove fear



YAGYA DUTT SHASTRI

PEHOWA: Mock interview program was organized by Commerce Department under guidance of Acting Principal Dr. Surendra Sharma in DAV College premises. Under this, there is a practice session of a real job interview. Main objective of students towards this mock interview was to remove fear of interview from students. Commenting on this initiative, Dr. Surendra Sharma said, "It is important to prepare our students not only academically but also in a competitive era, good communication skills and extreme preparation is important for the success of the interview." On this occasion, Commerce Department Chairman Dr. Deepika and Dr. Anuj were present. They encouraged students to develop management skills and identify their weaknesses. Students were interviewed by a panel in which Dr. Anuj Kumar, Dr. Jyoti and Dr. Deepika played role of interviewer. Prof. Monica Chahal was also present on this occasion. In this program, all students of B.Com, First Year were interviewed.

Police case filed against Ward 12 councillor Bhupesh Juneja for threatening journalist



PARDEEP MEHTA

NILOKHERI: Journalists of the city filed a complaint against Nilokheri Ward 12 councillor Bhupesh Juneja at Nilokheri Police Station against him for abusing journalist Dheeraj Sharma and threatening to kill him. According to Dheeraj Sharma, the current councillor of Ward 12 Bhupesh Juneja could not tolerate it after the news of cleaning and lighting work done in the park by a social worker Paras Khurana Neelnagar went viral. Due to this, the news got so much heated that Bhupesh Juneja threatened to kill journalist Dheeraj Sharma after a lot of argument inside the premises of the municipality. Journalist Dheeraj Sharma said that a lobby of some councillors wants that only they should be praised and if any citizen other than the councillors does good work in the city, then it should not be highlighted. Whereas this is a direct attack on the fourth pillar of the press which guides the country. Whether the work is good or bad, news is news. A journalist cannot be stopped from writing every news or showing it on social media. But to refute the news shown, councillor Bhupesh Juneja could have presented his side, but instead of presenting his side, he directly threatened to kill.

Cyclathon 2.0 completes 1500 km in 17 districts in 17 days under Haryana Drug-free



DALBIR MALIK

KURUKSHETRA: Cyclathon 2.0, carrying the message of Chief Minister Naib Singh Saini to make Haryana drug free, has so far completed a journey of about 1500 km in 17 districts in 17 days. During this journey, representatives of more than 200 panchayats, ministers and MLAs, as well as councillors and chairmen of wards of cities have taken the oath to make Haryana drug free by putting salt in the pot. This tradition of putting salt in the pot was started with start of Cyclathon 2.0. Chief Minister Naib Singh Saini started Drug Free Cyclathon 2.0 from Hisar district on April 5. This cyclathon reached Chief Minister Naib Singh Saini's city Kurukshetra on Monday. Sub Inspector Dr. Ashok Verma, in-charge of this cyclathon is also a resident of Kurukshetra district and the enthusiasm of Cyclathon 2.0 was worth seeing as soon as it reached the border of this district.

Kataruchak assures grand statue and road to honour freedom fighter Ram Pathania



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GURDASPUR: India's soil is blessed with the sacrifices of countless brave hearts, and among them shines the name of Veer Shirmami Wazir Ram Singh Pathania, a fearless warrior and a legendary freedom fighter. At the young age of 24, he laid down his life while valiantly fighting against the British Empire, becoming an eternal symbol of courage and sacrifice. His devotion to the motherland and unwavering stand against British rule created a legacy that echoes through generations. Located about 3 km from Dalla village in Dhar Block, the sacred hill where Ram Singh Pathania used to worship Maa Mahakali, still holds great spiritual and historical significance. Back in April 2006, under the leadership of Thakur Davinder Singh Darshi, then President of the Rajput Mahasabha Punjab, a temple was constructed at this spot, and a statue of the warrior was also installed. However, it is deeply unfortunate that no government has built a proper road to this temple till date, which has caused ongoing resentment among the local and Rajput communities. To address this long-pending demand, a joint delegation comprising members of the Akhil Bharatiya Kshatriya Mahasabha, Rajput Mahasabha Punjab, Rajput Mahasabha District Pathankot, and Shaheed Sainik Parivar Suraksha Parishad, led by Thakur Sahib Singh Saba (Vice President, Rajput Mahasabha Punjab).

Experts emphasize on addressing challenges to elevate Ayurveda on the global stage

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CHANDIGARH: In a significant step towards bridging traditional knowledge with contemporary healthcare, Shri Dhanwantry Ayurveda College & Hospital kicks off two day long National Symposium - Samvaya 2025 in collaboration with Central Council for Research in Ayurveda Sciences (CCRAS) at its campus in Sector 46 on Monday. The event brought together leading Ayurveda experts, practitioners, researchers and academicians who engaged in a spirited deliberation on the future of Ayurveda in India's rapidly evolving healthcare landscape.

The first session of the day was presided by Ajay Chagti (IAS), Secretary, Health, UT Administration in the presence of Dr Naresh Mittal, General Secretary, Shri Dhanwantry Educational Society and Dr Sumit Srivastava, College Principal. Chagti emphasized the importance of integrating Ayurveda with modern medical systems to offer holistic and preventive care. In his address, he said, "Ayurveda has its rich legacy and time-tested principles which holds immense potential. However, it



must adapt and innovate to meet today's clinical demands and scientific rigor." In his address, Dr. Dulal Panda, Director of NIPER, emphasized that for Ayurveda to gain global acceptance, there must be a strong focus on scientific validation, robust quality control, and standardized formulations. He stated that only when Ayurvedic practices and products are backed by rigorous research and consistency can they achieve wider credibility and meaningful integration into mainstream healthcare systems worldwide. Present on the occasion Dr N Shrikant, Deputy Director, CCRAS, New Delhi also urged for urgent need to develop a structured mechanism that drives Ayurveda through focused research, innovation and policy support with a coordinated effort

involving academia, industry and regulatory bodies. Vandana Siroha, Director, Rashtriya Ayurveda Vidyaapeeth under the Ministry of Ayush, Government of India stressed upon that Ayurveda must foster synergy between ancient wisdom and modern research through collaborative and structured efforts. Dr Mittal reaffirmed the institution's commitment to fostering dialogue and innovation in Ayurvedic education. The seminar also marked the launch of J-TACAM, a pioneering journal reflecting the ethos of "One Earth, One Health." It aims to bridge Ayurvedic wisdom with modern science to promote holistic well-being and preventive healthcare. Later in the day, the plenary sessions brought experts from diverse fields to deliberate on

their topics. Dr. Mahendra Bishnoi, Scientist F, BRIC-National Agri-Food and Biomanufacturing Institute (NABI), Mohali addressed the theme of "Diet, Nutrition, and Public Health," focusing on receptor pharmacology. Dr. Prasad V. Bharatam, Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, NIPER, Mohali presented on "Pharmacoinformatics," highlighting computational tools in drug discovery. Prof. Sanjay Jachak, Professor, Department of Natural Product, NIPER, Mohali spoke on "Pharmacognosy and Natural Products," emphasizing the significance of natural compounds in medicine. Dr. Baheti Ramjivan Sandipkumar, Research Officer, Central Ayurveda Research Institute, Patiala provided updates on Ayurveda research through CCRAS.

#Earth Day: Punjab Greener by 3 million Trees Thanks to The Billion Tree Project

L K BANSAL
MOHALI : What began as a seed of hope has now grown into over 3 million native trees, transforming barren stretches of Punjab into living, breathing forests. Over the past six years, Roundglass Foundation's The Billion Tree Project (TBTP) has covered 980 acres of barren and fallow land—an area equal to 742 football fields—with beautiful native trees with a remarkable survival rate of nearly 90%. These trees have flourished into thriving ecosystems, teeming with birds, butterflies, insects, and other lifeforms crucial to Punjab's biodiversity. Beyond beauty, these forests are healing the land and its people by recharging groundwater, improving the air, and becoming natural allies in the fight against climate change. In a state where greenery has shrunk dramatically over the last 50 years, just 3.67% of Punjab's vast stretch is cloaked in tree cover—the act of planting over 3 million trees is nothing short of a quiet revolution. For years, Punjab has grappled with environmental challenges left behind by deforestation, aggressive farming, and rapid urban sprawl. With The Billion Tree Project, there's hope taking root. Planted at a density of approximately 3,000 per acre under TBTP, native trees like faras (athel pine), labarra (desert teak), desi kikar (Babul or Indian gum tree), desi beri (jujube), reru (rorh) and phulai (Amritsar gum) are resilient and better at recharging groundwater. This is highly relevant against the backdrop of Punjab's imminent water crisis. In the long run, increasing Punjab's forest cover by 1-2% can help prevent the rapid depletion of groundwater. Trees also mitigate climate change by soaking up atmospheric carbon like a sponge, making the air cooler and cleaner. The 3 million-plus trees planted under TBTP have captured or sequestered about 36,000 tons of carbon, equivalent to removing 7,609 petrol vehicles from the road!



Mullana gets dedicated XEN Office, Major relief for power consumers

RAMAN WADHWA
MULLANA: In a significant development for power consumers in Mullana, the area will now have a dedicated office of the Executive Engineer (XEN) of the Electricity Department. This means consumers will no longer need to travel to Ambala for resolving major electricity-related issues, as the XEN will now be stationed in Mullana itself on a regular basis. The process of finalizing a permanent building for the XEN office in Mullana is underway, after which the office will become fully operational. Three Sub-Divisions to Function Under Mullana XEN The newly set-up Mullana XEN office will oversee three electricity sub-divisions: Kesri, Barara, and Ambala Industrial Area. Previously, one XEN had to manage six sub-divisions, but with this reallocation, the scope of work has become more focused and manageable. As a result, major consumer files and operational oversight will now be handled more efficiently and in a timely manner. Vishal Saini Appointed as Mullana's First XEN Vishal Saini, who was previously serving as SDO at the Barara subdivision under the Adhoya Electricity Department, has been promoted and appointed as the first Executive Engineer of the Mullana office. His departmental orders were issued on April 1, 2025. The only remaining step is finalizing the office premises for operations to formally commence. Direct Access for Public, Streamlined Services The biggest benefit of this move is that local consumers will now be able to directly meet senior officials within the area, explain their concerns, and receive timely resolutions. This is especially advantageous for consumers from rural regions, for whom access to such services had previously been challenging. With a XEN now present locally, key electricity-related services will be more accessible, and the department's functioning is expected to become smoother and more accountable. The presence of senior officers on the ground will help identify and resolve practical issues more swiftly.



Sunbrave Strikers Launches Team Jersey, Aims to Make Chandigarh Padel Capital



CHANDIGARH: With a vision to promote the emerging 'Padel' sport in the region and establish Chandigarh as India's first padel sport capital, 23-year-old city based sports enthusiast and entrepreneur, Suryaveer Bali has unveiled the official team jersey of his newly launched Padel sports team 'Sunbrave Strikers'. The team jersey was unveiled in the presence of Punjab Cabinet Minister Aman Arora, who attended the event as the chief guest. Notably, Sunbrave Strikers has been formed by Suryaveer Bali to provide a platform for players from the Tricity region, with a total of 11 athletes set to represent the team in the upcoming Good Club Padel League (GCPL) 2025. The GCPL 2025 is

scheduled to take place in Kaimbwala, Chandigarh, starting from April 25. A total of six teams, each comprising 11 members from Chandigarh, are participating in the league, with players joining from across the country, including Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru, Chennai, Kochi, and other states. Outlining his vision for padel sport, Suryaveer Bali, Founder of Sunbrave Strikers, said, "Padel is a relatively unknown sport in India and is currently at a nascent stage. However, it's rapidly gaining traction, especially across urban centres, and is poised to become one of the country's fastest-growing sports. With the aim of nurturing the sport and building a strong ecosystem in the Tricity region, we have formed Sunbrave Strikers.

Children Show Strong Spirit at 'Kids Marathon 2025' Held in Panchkula



Panchkula : 'Kids Marathon 2025' was held on Sunday morning at Yavnika Garden, Sector 5, Panchkula. The event started at 5:30 AM and continued till 8:00 AM. The marathon was organized by Zenith Roots Charitable Trust founders Neha Aggarwal and Shailu Aggarwal, in collaboration with Words n Numbers by Malvika. The main aim of the event was to promote health awareness, boost confidence among children, and encourage a sense of social responsibility. This year's theme was "Sweat Today, Shine Tomorrow", which was well received by both children and their parents. The young participants ran with great energy and enthusiasm. The event was led by Trust President Shailu Aggarwal and Chairperson Neha Aggarwal. The marathon was flagged off by inspirational figures Adarsh Mathur and Renu Mathur. The race took place around the Outer Ring Road of Yavnika Garden. Before the run, all children took part in a warm-up session with fitness coach Gagan, which helped energize them for the event. After the marathon, all participants were served nutritious meals prepared by Vidhi, owner of a local cloud kitchen. Every child received a participation medal, which added to their motivation and excitement.

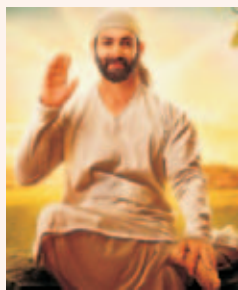
Dolphin PG College hosts Grand Annual Function 'Symphony 2025' with Splendour and Spirit



Chandigarh – Dolphin PG College, reverberated with enthusiasm and cultural vibrance as it celebrated its much-anticipated Annual Function, 'Symphony 2025'. The event showcased an impressive display of talent and creativity by the students and faculty, encapsulating the spirit of celebration, unity, and achievement. The college had the distinct honour of welcoming Dr. D.P. Lochan, Retired Director General of Health Services, Haryana, as the Chief Guest. In his keynote address, Dr. Lochan lauded the institution's dedication to promoting both academic and co-curricular excellence. He emphasized the value of holistic education in today's evolving world and urged students to steer clear of harmful influences such as drug abuse. He also encouraged students to invest in their health and education within India, contributing to the nation's development and helping prevent brain drain. A major highlight of the evening was the Prize Distribution Ceremony, where Dr. Lochan, joined by Er. Vibhav Mittal, Vice Chairman; Dr. Malkit Singh, Dean Academics; Dr. Manu, Principal; and Mrs. Chetna Mittal, Pro-Vice Chancellor, felicitated outstanding students from the academic years 2023 and 2024. Achievements across academics, sports, and extracurricular domains were recognized and celebrated. In a gesture of gratitude and recognition, Er. Vibhav Mittal, on behalf of Chairman Dr. Vinod Mittal and the college management, presented Certificates of Appreciation to teaching, non-teaching, and administrative staff for their dedicated service and invaluable contributions to the institution's ongoing growth and success.

Sai Baba's teachings touched the lives of ordinary people in extraordinary ways: Vineet Raina

CHANDIGARH : Sony Entertainment Television is set to bring back the divine magic of faith and devotion with Shirdi Wale Sai Baba. This new offering promises to take audiences on a soul-stirring journey with stories rooted in hope, kindness, and the timeless teachings of Sai Baba. Actor Vineet Raina steps into the revered role of Sai Baba, marking a deeply personal and transformative chapter in his career. In this exclusive conversation, Vineet talks about the experience of portraying Sai Baba, the responsibility it brings, and how this journey has shaped him both as an actor and a person. Excerpts from the interview: Honestly, it's more than just a role, it's a divine blessing. Sai Baba's teachings have always inspired me, but to embody him on screen is humbling beyond words. I feel like this show chose me, not the other way around. Every day on set feels like a spiritual experience. It's a huge responsibility when you're portraying someone people worship. It's not just about getting the look or body language right, it's about radiating his calm, his wisdom, his unconditional love and kindness. That takes surrender, not performance. This show goes beyond miracles, it focuses on everyday stories of faith, compassion, and transformation. It highlights how Sai Baba's teachings touched the lives of ordinary people in extraordinary ways. It's emotionally grounded and very relatable.



Your ultimate summer guide for pets, babies, and wellness on Amazon.in

Chandigarh : With rising temperatures, staying cool and comfortable is a top priority, and Amazon.in is here to help you stay cool and comfortable all season long. From refreshing beverages to energy boosters, pet grooming essentials, and baby care products, this one-stop destination has a wide range of summer essentials at great value with the convenience of fast and reliable delivery. Customers can also enjoy extra savings and convenience using Amazon Pay; Prime members enjoy same-day delivery on 10 lakhs+ products. Whether you're planning a day out in the sun or looking for ways to stay cool indoors, Amazon.in ensures you have all the essentials delivered right to your doorstep from top brands like Liquid I.V., Sleepy Owl, Glucod-D, Himalaya, Bambo Nature, Peltiv, and Goofy Tails. Sip, savor and stay hydrated—Liquid I.V. Hydration Multiplier - Made with premium ingredients, it contains natural flavors and is perfect for workouts, travel, or long days. Glucod-D Tangy Orange Glucose Powder: Stay energized and refreshed with this glucose powder.

OPPO Launches K13 5G – The OverPowered Performance Smartphone Starting at INR 17,999

Ludhiana/Jalandhar:-- OPPO India has launched the OPPO K13 5G, engineered to deliver an "Overpowered" performance experience with power efficiency and a premium user experience. Powered by the Snapdragon 6 Gen 4 Mobile Platform, the device features a 7000mAh graphite battery with 80W SuperVooC fast charger, segment-leading V/C cooling, a 120Hz FHD+ AMOLED display, and intelligent network optimization—offering smooth multitasking, immersive gaming, long-lasting battery life, and reliable connectivity. The OPPO K13 5G reflects OPPO's commitment to meaningful innovation, combining advanced engineering and refined design to redefine performance in its segment. Priced at INR 17,999 for the 8GB+128GB variant and INR 19,999 for the 8GB+256GB variant, the OPPO K13 5G will be available for purchase starting 25th April 2025 on the OPPO e-store and Flipkart from 12 PM onwards, in two colour options – Icy Purple and Prism Black. Consumers purchasing the smartphone on the sale day with select bank offers or with an exchange bonus of INR 1000, bringing the effective price at INR 16,999 and INR 18,999, respectively. Additional launch offers include No Cost EMI for up to six months, further enhancing the overall value proposition of the OPPO K13 5G. Savio D'Souza, Head of Product Communications at OPPO India, said, "With the OPPO K13, we're bringing an OP experience to the under ₹20,000 segment—without compromise. Whether it's the Snapdragon 6 Gen 4



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Livasa Hospital Hosts Press Conference to Showcase Punjab's First AI & VR-Enabled Knee Replacement Surgery



Amritsar : Livasa Hospital, Amritsar, successfully conducted a press conference at its in-house auditorium to highlight a groundbreaking milestone in orthopedic care — the introduction of AI and VR-assisted knee replacement surgery. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from regional media and key healthcare professionals, underscoring the growing interest in next-generation medical advancements. Livasa Hospital becomes the first in Punjab to integrate Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Virtual Reality (VR) into its knee replacement procedures — a move that is set to redefine surgical precision, minimize recovery time, and significantly improve patient outcomes. Dr. Pawan Kumar, CEO of Livasa Hospitals, shared his vision behind this innovation, "At Livasa, our mission has always been to make advanced healthcare accessible beyond metropolitan cities. With the rollout of AI and VR-enabled surgeries, we are equipping our teams with world-class tools that enhance patient safety, improve surgical accuracy, and lead to faster recovery. This is not just a technological upgrade — it's a patient-first transformation that brings global standards to Punjab."

Haier India launches Gravity Series

AMRITSAR : Haier Appliances India, the No.1 global major appliances brand for 16 consecutive years, has unveiled the highly anticipated Gravity Series of air conditioners. As India's only AI Climate Control Air Conditioners with fabric finish, these innovative ACs seamlessly integrate intelligent cooling technology with fabric finish, setting new standard for modern



home climate solutions. The Gravity Series is available in seven stunning color variants—Morning Mist, Moon Stone Grey, Midnight Dream, Galaxy Slate, Aqua Blue, Cotton Candy, and White—offering unmatched cooling efficiency while adding a premium touch to contemporary interiors. Haier's Gravity Series AC features AI Climate Control, which intelligently adapts to user preferences for optimized comfort without

manual adjustments. The AI Climate Assistant learns usage habits and fine-tunes settings in real time, while AI Electricity Monitoring tracks power consumption in real time, helping you manage and control your electricity bills. Powered by cloud-based server and advanced AI ECO functionality, it continuously adjusts to maintain the ideal balance of comfort and efficiency while minimizing energy wastage. Unlike traditional ACs, this intelligent system minimizes manual adjustments and delivers a seamless and personalised cooling experience. Haier has seamlessly blended art and intelligence in the Gravity Series by integrating a fabric

Newton School of Technology hosted Neutron 2.0; a retro-themed tech fest with one of a kind Drone Show

SONIPAT: Newton School of Technology (NST) hosted the second edition of its flagship college fest Neutron 2.0, on 12-13th April at the Rishibodh University, Sonapat. The tech-first inter-collegiate fest revolved around the theme "Retro



Tech" with a fusion of past and innovations of the future. NST is the first college in North India to host a Drone Show with 1200+ gazed skyward for a visual narration of technology's evolution. The intercollege fest was attended by over 1500 guests,

featuring an immersive line up of cultural events, tech exhibitions and curricular activities that kept the attendees engaged. With fierce competition amongst 150 gamers, 40+ coders, 30+ pilots for drone racing, 25+ speedsters, 35+ teams for Robo Soccer, the energy on campus was electric. From hands-on workshops to high stake contests, students competed for a prize pool of ₹5 lakh, fuelling excitement and innovation across the board. Designed to foster growth, adaptability, and real-world exposure for young minds, the fest also hosted an insightful all women panel discussion with 4 talented upcoming SDE's from MNCs, who shed light on the importance of skill development to empower women in tech. Siddharth Maheshwari, Co-Founder Newton School, said, "Neutron 2.0 was entirely student-led. Its massive success reflects the kind of education we believe in at Newton School of Technology- one that fuels creativity, empowers ownership, and celebrates bold imagination. This year's retro-tech theme brought that spirit alive. Neutron is a platform where students blend creativity with knowledge, showcasing their talent while learning through experience. With technology at the core of everything we do, it's incredibly rewarding to see our students celebrate innovation from the ground up"

Globe Toyota Organizes Successful Mileage Rally in Ambala



Ambala: Globe Toyota Ambala successfully organized an exciting Mileage Rally at their Toyota showroom, offering customers a real-world driving experience through a 30-kilometre route that combined both highway stretches and city driving conditions. Ambala's Gurdeep Singh clocks 42.6 kms to a litre on his Hyryder Hybrid to win the mileage rally. The rally was carefully designed to include daily driving challenges, such as congested roads, traffic lights, and open highway routes—making it a perfect simulation of everyday driving scenarios. Before the rally began, participants were briefed with guidelines and tips to achieve optimal mileage from their vehicles. The event was flagged off by Ashu Misser, Group Marketing Head, Globe Toyota, and was executed under the strategic guidance of Vivek Datta, Managing Director and CEO, Globe Toyota. Datta congratulated the winners of the rally and shared his excitement about the event's overwhelming success. "This rally reflects our commitment to delivering customer-centric engagement experiences. With the positive response we've seen, we plan to conduct similar rallies across all our locations in Haryana and Punjab. Customers are increasingly looking for such interactive initiatives, and the user-generated content that comes from them fits perfectly with today's digital trends," he said.

Bengaluru (Karnataka) [India], April 21 (ANI): With over 30,000 participants lining up for the World 10K Bengaluru on Sunday, April 27, one runner will stand out, not for his pace, but for the what he carries with him. Ketan Abhonkar, a mechanical engineer from Pune and accomplished endurance runner, will be attempting the 10K while juggling three balls, in a rare athletic pursuit known as juggling.

The World 10K carries particular significance, as it is the final event Abhonkar needs to complete the prestigious Procam Slam title. The title is awarded to runners who finish all four of India's major distance races, organised by Procam International, within a single season.

Abhonkar will showcase the sport of joggling, where participants run while juggling three balls continuously. It is a highly unusual and challenging combination of physical endurance and mental coordination. Although joggling is recognised in more than 32 countries, with hundreds of practitioners worldwide, it remains virtually unknown in India. Abhonkar is believed to be the country's first and only joggler to have completed full marathons while maintaining a juggling pattern throughout. A software professional now, Abhonkar began running in 2015. "It started with small distances, three or five kilometres, and eventually led to full marathons," he says. Over the years, he has completed six full marathons more than 50 half marathons.

Stephen Fleming on Ayush Mhatre's impressive IPL debut against MI

Mumbai : Following the loss against the Mumbai Indians in the Indian Premier League (IPL) 2025, Chennai Super Kings (CSK) head coach Stephen Fleming praised the young right-hand batter Ayush Mhatre's maiden appearance for the five-time champions in the ongoing 18th edition of the cash-rich league.

Impressive half-centuries from Rohit Sharma and Suryakumar Yadav powered Mumbai Indians (MI) to a powerful nine-wicket win over Chennai Super Kings (CSK) in a one-sided Indian Premier League (IPL) clash at Wankhede Stadium in Mumbai on Sunday.

At the IPL 2025 mega auction, Ayush Mhatre remained unsold, but he was called up a replacement of Ruturaj Gaikwad before the clash against the Hardik Pandya-led side.

Mhatare had an exceptional start to his IPL career as he played a quickfire knock of 32 runs from just 15 balls with the help of four boundaries and two maximums in his innings at a staggering strike rate of 213.33. Speaking at the post-match press conference about the youngster's performance, Flemming said as quoted by ESPNcricinfo, "We've had a few players through at our training sessions and he was a player that stood out. It's still very hard when you're in a nets situation to get a true gauge of a player, but from a skilset [point of view], he was very impressive and a very composed young man."

Shreyas Iyer, Ishan Kishan make comeback as BCCI announces contracted players list



AGENCY
MUMBAI: Batters Ishan Kishan and Shreyas Iyer have a comeback to the list of contracted players


PUBLIC NOTICE

Office of Nagar Palika Gharauda.

is informed is that registered public notice that property ID no. 10 26 19 293 /90/1 or new property ID no. 090DNB5 which is situated in Gharauda district arml. The house is registered in the records of Nagar Palika Gharauda in the name of late Shri an Gopal S/o Sh. Chhajju Ram. Late Shri Ram Gopal S/o Sh. Chhajju Ram died on 15 December 2014. Smt. Kamla Devi W/o Sh. Ram Gopal has also died earlier. Sh. Rajesh Kumar S/o Sh. Ram Gopal S/o Sh. Chhajju Ram has applied for registering the house tax in the record on the basis of his father's death certificate. Therefore, if any person has any objection as per the above, then he can apply in Nagar Palika Office Gharauda within 30 days on the date of publication. No claim will be valid after this period.

Secretary Nagar Palika Gharauda (Karnal)

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Retail Asset Centre - "SCO-390, Sector-20, 2nd Floor, Panchsika, Haryana- 134117.

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(i) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Axis Bank Ltd, the Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As Where is, As Its What is" and Whatever there is on 24-May-2025, recovery of Rs12,06,538/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Six Thousand Five Hundred Thirty Eight Only) as of 24-Jan-25 together with future interest till date due to the secured creditor from 1. Dalbir Singh Suo Rosham Singh 2) Mr. Rosham Singh, 3) Gurnam Singh. Please refer the appended auction schedule for necessary details:-

KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES (IF ANY) NIL	
RESERVE PRICE (IN RS.)	Rs.15,30,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Lakh Thirty Thousand Only)
EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (IN RS.)	Rs.1,53,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Fifty Three Thousand Only) through DD/PDO in favor of 'Axis bank' Ltd date due at Panchsika.
BID INCREMENTAL AMOUNT	Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only)

LAST DATE, TIME AND VENUE FOR SUBMISSION OF BIDS/ TENDER WITHDRAWAL

DATE, TIME, AND VENUE FOR PUBLIC E-AUCTION

Tell 22-May-2025 latest by 05:00 PM. at Axis Bank Ltd. Retail Asset Centre, "SCO-390 Sector-20, 2nd Floor, Panchsika, Haryana- 134117 Addressed to: Nish Aggarwal

On 24-May-2025, between 11:00 AM and 12:00 Noon.
with unlimited extensions of 5 minutes each at web portal <https://www.bankauctions.com>

e-auction tender documents containing e-auction bid form, declaration etc., are available in the website of the Service Provider as mentioned above.

SCHEDULE – DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of property T01 NO 25, s 252 measuring 0 Bigha 4 Bigha 25 (205 sq yd) bearing khewat (Khatola) No 447/1, 712 134 comprised under Khata No 25(4)-12 (2554/- 12) 25(6/- 4) 12) 25(8/- 0), 25(9/- 0), 25(4/- 0), 260 mm 838 (1) 2397/57-1 (0), 1396/275 (0), 260 MM (0), 261/31 (2), 262/21-1 (6), 263/34 (0), 264/- 0 (0), 266/- 0 (0), 267/- 0 (0), 267/- 4 (0), 262/11 (1-16), 839/0 (2) 25(3/- 2), 53/162 (2) land measuring 60 Bighas 9 Bigha share to the extent 80/2180 i.e 0 Bigha 4 Bigha (Size 22 ft 6inch X 40 ft 6inch) Situated at Modern Complex Village Dappar and (Size 22 ft 6inch wide X 40 ft 6inch= 100 sq yd plot Situated at Modern Complex Village Dappar Hadbast No 20 MC Lalru Tehsil Derabassi Distt SAS Nagar Mohali Punjab Regd in name of Mr Dilbar Singh vide sale deed No 2019-2014/14353 of 13 Dec 2019 Boundaries (As per Sale Deed) – East: Road, North: Plot No 274 & 275, North East: Road, South: Road.

For details terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in the secured creditor's website i.e. <https://www.axisbank.com/auction-retail> and the Bank's approved service provider M/S C1 India Private Limited at their web portal <https://www.bankauctions.com>

The auction will be conducted online through the Bank's approved service provider M/S C1 India Private Limited at their web portal <https://www.bankauctions.com>.

For further assistance, the interested parties may contact Nish Aggarwal, Mobile. No. 9888883934/Authorized officer of the Bank during office hours from 10:00 AM to 04:00 PM.

Date: 22-05-2025, recovery of
Date: Derabassi (Mohali).

Yours faithfully For Axis Bank Ltd.
(Authorized Officer)

announced by the Board of Control for Cricket in India. The Annual Player Contracts for Team India (Senior Men) are for for the 2024-25 season ranging from October 1st, 2024 to September 30th, 2025.

Kishan has been placed in Grade C, whereas Sheyas has got his spot in Grade B. Last year, amid the row around their non-participation in the Ranji Trophy, India internationals Shrevas Iyer and Ishan

Kishan were excluded from the Board of Control for Cricket in India's (BCCI) central contracts

Along with Shreyas, the players who are there in the Grade B are Suryakumar Yadav, Kuldeep Yadav, Axar

"The Indian athletes who compete will get good points...": Neeraj Chopra on NC Classic 2025


AGENCY
POTCHEFSTROOM : Ahead of the NC Classic 2025, India's Olympic gold medalist and world champion javelin thrower Neeraj Chopra said that the event will help Indian athletes earn plenty of points which will help them in qualification for events like the World Championships and also make people

serve the interests of Indian athletes, Neeraj said during a media conference organised by JSW, "It will be good for our Indian athletes because this competition is in category A, it is a gold-level event in World Athletics. The Indian athletes who compete will get good points and will get help to qualify for the world championship. We will try



The 'Neeraj Chopra Classic' javelin throw event, a World Athletics 'A' category or Continental Tour Gold-level event, will be held in Bengaluru's Kanteerava Stadium on May 24, as per Olympics.com.

"Many athletes are performing well. So, we have to see how it will be. It will not be easy for us. I do not know which Indian will participate. I think this event will help a lot. The world's top athletes will be here. We will add these events (other athletic events) so that our athletes can compete with them.

	DIRECTORATE OF PUNJAB STATE LOTTERIES															
DRAW TIME: 06:00 PM ONWARDS					DRAW DATE: 21/04/2025											
RESULT OF PUNJAB STATE DEAR 10 GOLD MONDAY WEEKLY LOTTERY																
MRP Rs 10/- Per Ticket																
1st Prize Amount (10)Rs.10,000/-, Common to all series (On last 4 digits)																
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(Seller Price Amount Rs.200/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.2200/- each)																
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(Seller Price Amount Rs.50/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.550/- each)																
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4th Prize Amount (100)Rs.200/-, Common to all series (On last 4 digits)																
(Seller Price Amount Rs.20/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.220/- each)																
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5th Prize Amount (2000)Rs.100/-, Common to all series (On last 4 digits)																
(Seller Price Amount Rs.10/-, Total Prize Amount Rs.110/- each)																
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2225	2290	2338	2341	2386	2574	2578	2586	2637	2667							
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3968	3996	4026	4040	4173	4189	4194	4237	4280	4355							
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4925	4948	4982	5096	5193	5199	5200	5203	5256	5259							
5271	5370	5511	5517	5588	5634	5672	5698	5741	5788							
5885	6011	6074	6202	6227	6370	6379	6431	6558	6580							
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9172	9227	9299	9379	9389	9406											

Patel, and Yashasvi Jaiswal.

The players in Grade C, along with Kishan, are Rinku Singh, Tilak Varma, Ruturaj Gaikwad, Shivam Dube, Ravi Bishnoi, Washington Sundar, Mukesh Kumar, Sanju Samson, Arshdeep Singh, Prasidh Krishna, Rajat Patidar, Dhruv Jurel, Sarfaraz Khan, Nitish Kumar Reddy, Abhishek Sharma, Akash Deep, Varun Chakaravarthy, and Harshit Rana

Indian Test Team skipper Rohit Sharma leads the Grade A+ players. Virat Kohli, Jasprit Bumrah, Ravindra Jadeja, while in the Grade A there are Mohammed Siraj, KL Rahul, Shubman Gill, Hardik Pandya, Mohammed Shami and Rishabh Pant.

Meanwhile, Mumbai Indians (MI) opener Rohit Sharma surpassed Royal Challengers Bengaluru (RCB) stalwart batter Virat Kohli on Sunday to become the player with the most 'Player of the Match' (POTM) awards in the history of the Indian Premier League (IPL) so far.

Indian women's hockey team leaves for five-match series in Australia



BENGALURU : The Indian women's hockey team left from Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru, on Sunday night en route to Perth, Australia, via Singapore, for their upcoming five-match tour. The friendly series will begin with two matches against Australia A on April 26 and April 27, followed by three high-stakes encounters against the world no 5-ranked Australian senior team on May 1, May 3, and May 4, all set to be played at the Perth Hockey Stadium. Led by dynamic midfielder Salima Tete, with experienced forward Navneet Kaur as her deputy, the 26-member squad will use the tour as a crucial preparation ahead of the European leg of the FIH Pro League 2024-25, which begins in June. Speaking before departure, Captain Salima Tete said, "It's a proud moment for me to lead the team on this tour. We've worked really hard at the national camp in Bengaluru, and everyone is excited to take on this

challenge. Playing against Australia A and the Hockeyroos will give us the chance to test our strategies and grow as a unit. This tour will help us fine-tune our performance before heading into the Pro League in Europe."

Vice-captain Navneet Kaur added, "The team is feeling confident and united. We've taken a lot of positives from our recent performances, especially the way we recently fought in Pro League. This tour is another great opportunity to push ourselves, improve on key areas like finishing and transitions, and keep building towards our bigger goals this year."

The Indian team will be looking to carry forward the momentum from their recent FIH Pro League campaign, where they held world No.1 Netherlands to a 2-2 draw and secured a shootout bonus point in Bhubaneswar. With several young players earning their senior team call-up, the tour also promises to be an important stepping stone for the squad's

Himachal Pradesh Public Works Department INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

The Executive Engineer HPPWD, Division Sarahan District Sirmour H.P on behalf of the Governor of H.P invites percentage bids, in electronic tendering system in 2 Cover System for the under mentioned work from the eligible and approved contractors/Firms registered with HPPWD Department.

Sr. No.	Name of work	Estimated Cost (Rs.)	Earnest Money	Cost of Tender Form	Time Limit	Eligible class of Contractor
1	Repair and maintenance of Marighat Sultanpur road Km 0/0 to 16/00 (SH- Repair of pot hole at Rd 2/00 to 5/00 damaged due to disaster .	918628	18000	350	03 Month	D
2	R/R damages on Prem Nagar Chandog Girdh Sandrol road Km 0/0 to 15/0 (SH- C/O 900 mm dia Hume pipe culvert alobhwith wing wall at RD 9/255 PCC U shape drain at RD 9/200 to 9/330 damages due to disaster.	616092	12000	350	03 Month	D
3	Repair and maintenance of Dabara Bari Bhun Padah road Km 0/0 to 2/300 (SH- Repair of pot holes in Km 0/0 to 2/00 damaged due to disaster .	918628	18000	350	03 Month	D
4	R/R damages on Prem Nagar Chandog Girdh Sandrol road Km 0/0 to 15/0 (SH- P/L GSB, G-III and BC at RD 9/200 to 9/350 and seal coat in various RDs damages due to disaster.	1008295	20000	500	02 Month	D

Terms and conditions of IFB		
Availability of Bid Document and mode of submission: The Bid document is available online and bid should be submitted in online mode on website https://hptenders.gov.in as per the key dates below:-		
Key Dates:		
1.	Date of Online Publication	10-04-2025 04:30 P.M
2.	Document Download Start and End Date	11-04-2025 12:30 P.M 26-04-2025 11:00 A.M
3.	Bid Submission Start and End Date	11-04-2025 02:30 P.M 26-04-2025 11:00 A.M
4.	Date of Technical Bid opening, Evaluation of Technical Bid followed by Opening of Financial Bid.	26-04-2025 11:30 A.M

NORTHERN RAILWAY OPEN E-TENDER NOTICE						
Tender Notice No: NR/Proj/UMB/Advt/11				Dated: 21.04.2025		
Chief Electrical Engineering Project, Ambala Cantt for & on behalf of the President of India invites OPEN E-TENDER on web site www.irops.gov.in for the following works. Tenderer may submit their original/revised offer up to prescribed closing time & date. No tender will be accepted manually.						
Tender No. NR-Proj-UMB-25009A						
Name of Work: - Design, Supply, Erection, Testing and Commissioning of feeder work for Upgradation of existing 1x25 KV Electric Traction System into 2x25 KV Electric Traction System in between Ghaziabad-Moradabad section of Moradabad Division of Northern Railway (135 RKM/270 TKM)".						
App. Cost (Rs.)	Bid Security (Rs.)	Completion Period (Months)	Cost of Tender Document (Rs.)	Date of Closing	Date of Opening	Pre-Bid Conference
61.77 Cr.	3238700/-	24	Nil	26.05.2025 at 15:00 hrs.	26.05.2025 at 15:30 hrs	Yes
Two Packet System	Bidding Type	Auto Elimination Rule Applicable	Initial Cooling off period (HH:MM)	Minimum Decrement (%)	Subsequent Cooling Off period (HH:MM)	
Two Packet System	Two Stage Reverse Auction	Yes	04:00	0.2	00:20	

Similar nature of work: "Design, supply, erection, testing and commissioning of 50 Hz, single phase 25 KV AC OHE or 2X25 KV OHE Work". Tender documents are available on Railway website i.e. www.irops.gov.in and the same can be downloaded from there. Earnest Money deposit (EMD) and Tender document cost (TDC) in respect of e-tendering will only be accepted through net banking and payment gateway only. Details of bank account number and technical details have been provided for in the software (IREPS) to which prospective registered tenderers will have access at the time of tendering. **Note:** -Technical and Financial Eligibility and all other terms & conditions, may be seen in Tender document and downloaded from Railway website i.e. www.irops.gov.in.

AAVAS FINANCIERS LIMITED (CIN:L65922RJ2011PLC034297) Regd. & Corp. Office: 201-202, 2nd Floor, South End Square, Mansarovar Industrial Area, Jaipur. 302020	 AAVAS <small>FINANCIERS</small> SAFRE SAPKL SAATH BHARAT
POSSESSION NOTICE	
Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of AAVAS FINANCIERS LIMITED under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred upon me under section 13(12) read with Rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice calling upon the borrowers mentioned herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the respective notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on me under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 9 of the said rules on the dates mentioned as below. The borrower and Guarantor in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the AAVAS FINANCIERS LIMITED for an amount mentioned as below and further interest thereon.	
Name of the Borrower	Date & Amount of Demand Notice
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	Date & Type of Possession
DHANPATI DHANPATI, SACHIN SACHIN, RAM KUMAR, RAJINDER KUMAR (A/C NO.) LNKRRK02919-20122421	5 FEB 25 Rs. 505096/- 3 FEB 25
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ADMEASURING 106 SQ. YARD	

Singer Holly Riva collaborates with percussionist Bickram Ghosh for single 'Chase like an animal'



Australian singing sensation Holly Riva has collaborated with renowned percussionist Bickram Ghosh for their single 'Chase like an animal'. Speaking about the cross-cultural collaboration, Holly Riva said, 'Chase like an animal' is about "letting go of your energy and spirit and feeling every beat of the moment". "Working with Bickram has been an incredible experience... his rhythm speaks a language that connects instantly," Riva, whose music has been featured on popular shows such as 'Home and Away' and 'The Bachelor', told a news agency on Friday before performing at a live show in Kolkata.

"He opened the door for musicians like me": Ricky Kej hails A.R. Rahman for his contribution to music



Three-time Grammy Award winner Ricky Kej praised music maestro AR Rahman and said that he has not only "personally given jobs to musicians in every genre" but also "built long lasting careers" for many. Taking to his Instagram handle, he posted a picture with Rahman and wrote, "Just wanted to put it out there. No one in my opinion has done more for new talent, singers, instrumentalists, ensembles and for the general music landscape as much as Mr. @arrahman has." Kej added that Rahman has given jobs to musicians "in every genre in India", "He has not only personally given jobs to musicians in every genre in India (contemporary, pop, folk, classical, western), but through his diverse compositions, he has made numerous musical styles thrive and built long lasting careers for many. He opened the door for musicians like me to have international audiences. It is sad that people attack him, just because he is a soft target. This really needs to stop." Talking about Kej, he first won a Grammy in 2015 for Winds of Samsara in the Best New Age category and later for Divine Tides, with Stewart Copeland, in 2022. In 2023, he and Copeland were honoured again for Divine Tides. He has secured his fourth Grammy nomination for 'Break of Dawn' in 2025.

'Mardaani 3' set for Feb 27, 2026 release



Yash Raj Films (YRF) has officially announced the much-awaited release date of its hard-hitting crime thriller, 'Mardaani 3'. The third instalment of the female-led action franchise is set to hit theatres on Friday, February 27, 2026, timed ahead of Holi. Accompanying the release date announcement, the studio also unveiled an electrifying first look of Rani Mukerji, who returns to reprise her iconic role as Senior In-

spector Shivani Shivaji Roy, a fierce, fearless, and justice-driven police officer. "The countdown begins for #Mardaani3! On Holi, good will fight evil as Shivani Shivaji Roy returns to the big screen on February 27, 2026," the caption read. As the only female-cop-led franchise in Indian cinema, 'Mardaani' has carved out a distinct legacy. Speaking about the film's tone, Rani Mukerji had earlier teased that 'Mardaani 3' is an "edge-of-the-seat thriller" that is "dark, deadly, and brutal."

According to the makers, the film will feature a bloody, violent clash between Shivani's goodness and sinister evil forces. The third instalment will see Aditya Chopra, the producer behind the franchise, collaborating with fresh talent to continue the legacy of 'Mardaani'. The film's script is penned by Aayush Gupta, the writer behind 'The Railway Men'. 'Mardaani 3' will be directed by Abhiraj Minawala, who is currently the Associate Director of 'War 2'.

Rashmika Mandanna reminds fans about self-love



In a world that is making lives busier, actor Rashmika Mandanna took some time to remind her fans of the importance of self-love. On Sunday, Rashmika took to her Instagram account to share a thoughtful message for her fans, along with two adorable pictures showing her holding a rose. Along with the pictures, the actress added a caption encouraging everyone to appreciate and be kind to themselves. "When was the last time you got yourself flowers? Just a gentle reminder to appreciate and thank yourself often... because you deserve all the love and kindness in the world," she wrote. On the work front, Rashmika was recently seen in Sikandar alongside Salman Khan. The film is directed by A.R. Murugadoss, renowned for his Tamil and Hindi blockbusters like Ghajini and Thuppakki. Sajid Nadiadwala produced the project, which also marked Salman Khan's reunion with him after their 2014 blockbuster, Kick. The film was released in theaters on March 30 but did not perform well at the box office. The actress was also seen in Chhaava, which starred actor Vicky Kaushal and became a massive hit. The Laxman Utekar directorial, based on the life of Chhatrapati Sambhaji Maharaj, also starred Akshaye Khanna in a major role. Chhaava became Vicky Kaushal's highest-earning film, surpassing his previous blockbusters: Uri: The Surgical Strike, Raazi, Sam Bahadur, and Zara Hatke Zara Bachke.

Actors reveal their Summertime Fitness Routine!

CHANDIGARH : The scorching summer heat often makes it challenging to stay active, but with the right fitness choices, staying healthy and energised is absolutely possible. From refreshing workouts to smart exercise timings, adapting your routine to the season can make all the difference. &TV artists share their favourite ways to stay fit, cool, and motivated during the peak of summer. These include Vikram Dwivedi (Vishambhar Singh, Bheema), Sapna Sikarwar (Bimlesh, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan), and Vidisha Srivastava (Anita Bhabi, Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai). Vikram Dwivedi, who plays Vishambhar Singh in Bheema, shares, "For me, summer is not an excuse, it is motivation. I tweak my workouts to early mornings or late evenings to avoid the harsh sun, and I focus on compound body-weight movements like planks, jumping jacks, and burpees to maintain stamina. Hydration is crucial, so I sip on buttermilk, coconut water, and occasionally, a chilled glass of homemade bel sharbat. Staying active, even during shoots, is my top priority." Sapna Sikarwar, aka Bimlesh from Happu Ki Ultan Paltan, says, "Summer is when I feel most alive and energetic. There is something about the warm breeze and longer days that lifts my spirits. I make the most of it by taking long evening walks, it is my me-time to unwind and connect with nature. At home, I indulge in dance workouts, which are not only a great way to burn calories but also lift my mood instantly. The best part? My daughter often joins me, and it turns into a fun bonding session full of laughter and music. Along with that, I practice simple yoga stretches to keep my body flexible and my mind calm. When it comes to staying cool and hydrated, I swear by fresh watermelon juice. It is refreshing and loaded with goodness. And



nothing beats a tall glass of chilled chaas with mint after a workout. For me, fitness should never feel like a burden. It is about enjoying the process, staying active, and making it a joyful part of everyday life." Vidisha Srivastava, who plays Anita Bhabi in Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai, adds, "Fitness is my anchor, especially during busy shooting schedules when the days can get hectic. It keeps me grounded and gives me the energy I need to perform at my best. During

summer, I love switching between Pilates and yoga; they complement each other beautifully. While Pilates helps with core strength and posture, yoga brings a sense of calm and balance that is much needed amidst the chaos. On weekends, I am available for swimming. It is the perfect way to unwind, stay cool, and gently work every muscle in the body without feeling the heat. When it comes to food, I do not believe in crash diets or fads. I prefer a clean, seasonal diet that nourishes me from within. Staying hydrated is a top priority. I keep sipping on nariyal paani and aam panna throughout the day. These natural drinks not only keep me refreshed but also help maintain electrolyte balance. For me, fitness is not about extremes, it is about consistency, listening to my body, and making mindful movement a natural part of my lifestyle." Watch your favourite artists in Bheema at 8:30 pm, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan at 10:00 pm, and Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai at 10:30 pm, airing every Monday to Friday only on &TV!



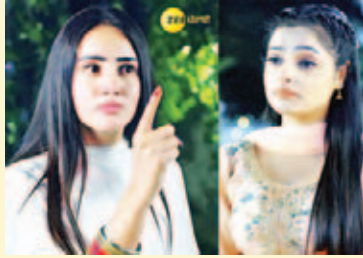
Randeep Hooda meets Prime Minister Narendra Modi: It was a great honour



Actor Randeep Hooda says meeting Prime Minister Narendra Modi was a "great honour and a privilege". Hooda, who most recently starred in "Jaat", shared a series of pictures alongside the prime minister on his Instagram handle. Hooda's mother, Asha Hooda and sister, Anjali Hooda, were also present. "It was a great honour and a privilege to meet the Hon-ourable Prime Minister of India, Shri @narendramodiji. His insight, wisdom, and thoughts on the future of our great country are always so inspiring. His pat on the back is a great encouragement to keep doing good work in our respective fields and contributing to the growth of our nation," the 48-year-old actor wrote in the caption.

Zee Punjabi Stars Unite to Raise Awareness Against Human Trafficking

Zee Punjabi continues its commitment to meaningful storytelling by bringing together artists from different shows to spotlight a pressing social issue — human trafficking. In an upcoming special episode of Kashni, Veera from Sehajveer makes a powerful guest appearance to join hands with Kashni in a dramatic mission to rescue kidnapped girls. The storyline unfolds with Kashni being abducted along with two other innocent girls, revealing a dark human trafficking racket. Sehajveer, known for her strength and courage, enters the narrative to assist Kashni in her escape and together, they take down the criminal operation. The intense and emotional plot not only keeps audiences on the edge of their seats but also sends a strong message about bravery, resilience, and the importance of standing up against injustice. This crossover is more than just entertainment — it's a reminder of the harsh realities many face and the role media can play in spreading awareness. By integrating this powerful social issue into its fictional world, Zee Punjabi aims to start conversations and encourage viewers to stay alert and informed. Don't miss this impactful collaboration as two beloved characters come together for a cause bigger than themselves. Catch the special episodes airing on 22nd & 23rd April at 9 PM—only on Kashni! Zee Punjabi is available on all MSOs and DTH platforms like Fastway, Airtel DTH, Tata Play DTH, Dish TV, d2H and others.



On-screen rivals, off-screen partners in crime: Akash & Kalikant bring fire and fun to Zee TV's Jagriti: Ek Nayi Subah



CHANDIGARH: In Jagriti — Ek Nayi Subah, Kalikant (Aarya Babbar) and Akash (Sagar Parekh) may have a troubled relationship as a father-son duo, filled with emotional tension and drama. However, off-screen, they share a much lighter bond, characterised by laughter and camaraderie that brings joy to their workdays. Sagar and Aarya have developed a vibrant off-screen friendship, marked by endless banter, spontaneous fun, and unexpected moments that make their time on set enjoyable. While their characters clash intensely on-screen, their off-screen connection is rooted in shared laughter and enjoyable experiences. This natural chemistry makes long shooting days something to look forward to. Sagar took to his social media account to describe their bond as effortless and lively. He often finds himself embracing Aarya's infectious enthusiasm, which includes impromptu dance breaks and quick-witted exchanges that keep everyone on set entertained. Sagar Parekh said, "On screen, Aarya Sir and I might be constantly at odds as father and son, but behind the scenes, it's a completely different story. Working with him is an absolute pleasure—his energy is unmatched, and there's never a dull moment when he's around. From random jokes to spontaneous dance moves, he brings this spark to the set that's so infectious. We're always pulling each other's leg, laughing between takes, and creating these fun, unexpected moments that honestly make work feel like play. It's rare to find someone who can switch so seamlessly from intense scenes to pure fun off-camera—and Aarya Sir does it effortlessly." While the duo enjoys their off-camera connection, the tension will only escalate on-screen when Akash discovers that Jagriti (Rachana Mistry) is none other than his friend, Jaggu. Will they join forces to save the Chitta community from Kalikant's sinister plans?

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