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NEWS BRIEFS

SC introduces reservation for apex court staff

NEW DELHI: In a first, the Supreme Court has introduced a formal reservation policy for the direct appointment and promotion of its staffers belonging to scheduled castes and scheduled tribes. The decision was communicated in a circular issued on June 24 to all Supreme Court employees. "As per the directions of the Competent Authority, it is to notify for the information of all concerned that the Model Reservation Roster and Register has been uploaded on the Supnet (internal email network) and it is made effective from June 23, 2025.

Five feared killed in crackers factory blast in TN's Sivakasi

VIRUDHUNAGAR : At least five workers, including two women, were killed in a sudden blast at a fire-cracker manufacturing factory in Sivakasi in the district on Tuesday, police said. The devastating fire gutted the unit and left many injured, they said. Smoke that billowed from the factory as the fire-crackers burst, could be seen from a distance. Police and fire and rescue services personnel who reached the spot, rushed the injured to the hospital.

Rupee rises 25 paise to close at 85.51 against US dollar

MUMBAI: Rupee appreciated 25 paise to close at 85.51 (provisional) against the US dollar on Tuesday, supported by weakness of the American currency in the overseas market and a positive tone in the domestic equities amid rise in risk appetite. Forex traders said the US dollar is trading at lowest levels since February 2022 as President Donald Trump's growing influence on Federal Reserve policy revived fears over the central bank's independence. Moreover, Brent crude prices remained subdued, offering a buffer to India's import bill and helping cool inflation.

Dalai Lama may announce his successor on Sunday



CHANDIGARH: The Nobel Peace laureate, His Holiness the Dalai Lama may announce his successor this week, possibly through a message or on July 6, his birthday, during a gathering expected to include numerous dignitaries from both India and abroad. The year-long birthday celebrations of the Tibetan spiritual leader will start in McLeodganj in Dharmashala, the headquarters of the Tibetan government-in-exile, and conclude on July 5, 2026.

Cloudbursts wreak havoc in Mandi; four dead, 16 missing



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Mandi district in Himachal Pradesh is facing severe devastation due to heavy monsoon rains and multiple cloudbursts.

During the past 15 hours, Sandhole recorded 224 mm of rainfall, Mandi 216 mm, and Pandoh 215 mm, causing flash floods and landslides.

Four people have lost their lives, while four were injured, and 16 others are missing. Rescue teams have saved 287 people, including 233 in Mandi, 51 in Hamirpur, and three in Chamba. Houses, roads, and bridges have been damaged, with 10 homes and 12 cowsheds destroyed.

A key bridge was washed away, and NH-305 remains blocked, leaving many stranded.

Haryana sees 30 pc surplus rains in June, Punjab 28 pc

CHANDIGARH: Several parts of Punjab and Haryana received rainfall on Tuesday. The common capital, Chandigarh, witnessed 13.5 mm rainfall.

In Haryana, rains were witnessed in Ambala, Hisar, Rohtak, Karnal, Narnaul, Charkhi Dabri, Panchkula and Rewari, among other places. In Punjab, places including Amritsar, Ludhiana, Patiala, Pathankot, Mohali and Gurdaspur received rains.

Chandigarh has seen heavy downpour, measuring more than 200 mm, in the last three days.

According to the Met department, Chandigarh received 13.5 mm rains in the 24 hours until 8.30 am on Tuesday. In the two days prior to that, the city had received 190 mm rain.

The Met office also said that Punjab, Haryana and Chandigarh have received surplus rain in June. Punjab received 69.7 mm rainfall last month, against the normal of 54.5 mm, which was 28 per cent surplus, the Met office said. Likewise, Haryana received 30 per cent surplus rains in June, with 71.7 mm rains in June, against its normal of 55.3 mm.

Haryana aims to increase MBBS seats by over 3,400 : CM Saini



BUREAU CHANDIGARH: Haryana Chief Minister, Sh. Nayab Singh Saini said that the state government is consistently working to provide better resources to doctors and quality healthcare services to citizens. He said that medical colleges are being established in every district. While there were only 6 medical colleges in 2014, the number has now increased to 15, and 9 new colleges are under construction. As a result, MBBS seats have risen from 700 in 2014 to 2,185 currently. The state government aims to increase MBBS seats to over 3,400 by the year 2029, said Sh. Nayab Singh Saini.

The Chief Minister was addressing a gathering as the chief guest at an event organized on the occasion of National Doctors' Day by the Derabassi Medical Association in Chandigarh. He appreciated the significant contribution of the Derabassi Medical Association in the field of human service, mentioning that a free dialysis center has been operational at Chaurasia Hospital for the past two years.

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PM Modi lauds 10 years of Digital India initiative

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi today lauded the successful completion of 10 years of the Digital India initiative, calling it a historic milestone in the country's journey towards becoming a digitally empowered and technologically advanced society.

The Prime Minister shared a thread on X, posted by MyGovIndia, to mark the occasion.

He emphasised that the Digital India initiative, launched a decade ago, has significantly impacted the lives of millions and contributed to the nation's growth, particularly in sectors like dig-

ital payments, healthcare, and education.

In his post, the Prime Minister said, "Today is a historic day as we mark #10YearsOfDigitalIndia! Ten years ago, Digital India began as an initiative to transform our nation into a digitally empowered and technologically advanced society".

"A decade later, we stand witness to a journey that has touched countless lives and ushered in a new era of empowerment. India has made many strides in digital payments, powered by the collective resolve of 140 crore Indians. Sectors like health and education



have also benefitted from this initiative, he added".

He further highlighted the trans-

formative impact of the programme, highlighting its far-reaching effects on the lives of ordinary citizens.

"This thread offers a glimpse of the transformation and its scale!" he added. Notably, the Digital India initiative, launched in 2015, to enhance online infrastructure, increase internet connectivity, and improve digital literacy.

MyGovIndia on X said, "In 2015, PM @narendramodi launched Digital India to make technology accessible for all".

ED raids Raheja Developers in alleged 'fraud' with homebuyers

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The Enforcement Directorate said on Tuesday it has seized "incriminating" documents and details of assets following searches against real estate company Raheja Developers Ltd. and its directors in a money laundering case linked to alleged fraud with homebuyers.

The raids were undertaken on June 27 in



Delhi-NCR and Mohali in Punjab. Developers Ltd, its Managing Director Naveen Raheja and others, the federal agency said in a statement.

Delhi-NCR and Mohali in Punjab.

The money laundering case of the Enforcement Directorate (ED) stems from multiple FIRs registered by the Economic Offences Wing (EOW) of the Delhi Police against Raheja

Kejriwal on three-day Gujarat visit, to launch 'Gujarat Jodo' campaign



AGENCY NEW DELHI: Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) national convener Arvind Kejriwal on Tuesday embarked on a three-day visit to Gujarat following the party's bypoll victory in the Visavadar Assembly constituency, amid efforts by AAP to expand its organisational footprint in the western state.

According to a statement from AAP, Kejriwal will be in Ahmedabad from July 1 to 3 to attend organisational meetings and galvanise support for the party's newly launched 'Gujarat Jodo' membership campaign, which begins in Ahmedabad on July 2 and will be expanded statewide.

"I am going to Gujarat today to meet the workers after the victory in Visavadar," Kejriwal posted on X before leaving for Ahmedabad.

Hope to bring India-US trade deal to a successful conclusion, says EAM Jaishankar

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NEW YORK/NEW DELHI, JULY 1

India is hopeful of concluding a trade deal with the US very soon, External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar has said. "We are in the middle, hopefully more than the middle, of a very intricate trade negotiation. Obviously, my hope would be that we bring it to a successful conclusion, I cannot guarantee, because there's another party to that discussion, but no question," Jaishankar said in an Exclusive Fireside Chat with Dev Pragad, Newsweek CEO.

"I believe it's possible, and I think we'll have to watch this space for the next few days," he said. US President Donald Trump has set a July 9 dead-

line for imposing reciprocal tariffs.

Last week, President Trump announced that he has signed a trade deal with China and teased a new big deal with India.

"We have one coming up maybe with India. A very big one where we're going to open up India," Trump said.

White House Press Secretary Karoline Leavitt told a news briefing on Monday that "they are finalising these agreements".

The EAM's comments come as a trade delegation led by India's Chief Negotiator, Rajesh Agrawal, is in the US for negotiations.

Earlier, Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal has said that India and the US intend to give prefer-



ential market access to businesses, even as both countries will continue

working bilaterally to resolve issues like tariffs on aluminium and steel.

According to reports, an interim deal could be possible before the first tranche of the proposed bilateral trade agreement (BTA).

US Secretary of Commerce Howard Lutnick has said that a trade deal between India and the US could be finalised soon. "I think we are in a very, very good place, and you should expect a deal between the United States and India in the not-too-distant future because I think we found a place that really works for both countries," Lutnick said last month.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Sukhdev Singh son of Bhan Singh and Jasbir Kaur wife of Sukhdev Singh are residents of Ward No. 12 Lehragaga, Tehsil Lehra (Sangrur) Pb. We inform everyone that our daughter Simarpreet Kaur has fallen into the wrong company and is completely beyond our control, due to which we have dispossessed Simarpreet Kaur from all our movable and immovable properties. From today onwards, she will be responsible for her own personal and financial loss and the person who deals with her will also be responsible for it.

524478
I, Resmo Devi W/o Chand Ram R/o Village Amboli (193) Distt. Jhajjar (haryana) 124106 Declares That In My Aadhar Card Bearing No. 977833875147, My Name Is Wrongly Written As Reshma Devi & Dob Is 01.01.1950. But My Real Name Is Resmo Devi & Dob Is 01.07.1946. Please Correct My Name As Resmo Devi & Dob As 01.07.1946 In My Aadhar Card.

84451
We, Gurmeet Singh Grewal S/o Darshan Singh & Sukhwinder Kaur W/o Gurmeet Singh Grewal R/o Vill: Mahaua, Tehsil Khanna (Ludhiana) declare that our daughter Rajvir Kaur Grewal @ Raju is out of our control. We disinherit her from our entire moveable /immovable properties. We have no relation with her, anybody dealing with her at their own risk.

63372
I, Hitherto Known As Parminder Singh Sidana S/O Daljit Singh, R/O Opp. R S D College, Guru Nanak Avenue, Ferozepur City, Distt Ferozepur, Punjab- 152002, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hereafter Be Known As Parminder Singh. It Is Certified That I Have Complied With Other Legal Requirements In This Connection.

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I, POONAM am legal wife of NO. 14885233N RANK L NK/CLK (SD), NAME PUSHPENDRA KUMAR, UNIT 5571 ASC BN (MT) C/O 56 ??? Presently residing at VILL BUDHANA MUSTKIL, PO BUDHANA MUSTKIL, DISTT AGRA, UTTAR PRADESH 282006. Hereby declare that I have changed my name from POONAM to KM POONAM. Both names Pertains to one and the same person. Vide Affidavit Attested by Notary Public (GOVT OF INDIA) Kindly Correct it.

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I, RAJSHREE am legal wife of NO. JC-775141H, RANK SUB MAJ, NAME KOTHAVALA RATNAKAR NEMINATH, UNIT 629 EME BN C/O 56 ??? Presently residing at WARD NO. 4, BAGANI, SANGLI, MAHARASHTRA 416302. Hereby declare that I have changed my name from RAJSHREE to RAJSHREE RATNAKAR KOTHAVALE. Both names Pertains to one and the same person. Vide Affidavit Attested by Notary Public (GOVT OF INDIA) Kindly Correct it.

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I, HYMAVATHY SAI is legally Wife of No. 6497020N Rank HAV/ASH Name ANNA PUREDDY ESWARAREDDY of Unit 458 (I) COMP PL ASC C/O 56 APO Residing at RAMAPURAM, VTC R A C H E R L A , P . O . SOMADEVIPALLE DISTRICT PRKASAM, STATE ANDHRA PRADESH, PIN CODE 523368. Hereby declare that I have changed my name from HYMAVATHY SAI to ANNA PUREDDY HYMAVATHI. Both names Pertains to one and the same person. Vide Affidavit No. IN-PB49945376165419X Dated 01/07/2025 Attested by Notary Public (GOVT OF INDIA) Kindly Correct it.

I Ashwani Kumar S/o Bhim Sain R/o #21, Near 24 no Phatak, New Majithia Enclave, Patiala have changed my name from Ashwani Bansal to Ashwani Kumar. Concern Note.

900016
I, Kuldip Kaur W/O Bhupinder Singh, Village Harchandpura, Teh. Patran, Dist. Patiala have changed my name Kuldip Kaur to Kuldeep Kaur

98740
I, Rajbala wife of Shri Sunil Kumar resident # 240, Sector 15, HUDA, Jagadhri, Yamuna Nagar, hereby change my name from Rajbala to Varsha.

100046
I, Harpreet Kaur D/o Gurbachan Kumar R/o Village Subhana Near Urban Estate Phase-1, Jalandhar-II P.O. Mithapur Distt. Jalandhar Punjab 144022 have changed my name from Harpreet to Harpreet Kaur. All concerend note.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
BEFORE SH. VINAY CHAUDHARY, SUB-REGISTRAR, U.T., CHANDIGARH.
Whereas, Sh. Rahul Kalra S/o Late Sh. Vijay Kumar Kalra R/o House No. 1591, Sector 22-B, U.T., Chandigarh has applied for registration of un-registered WILL, dated 02.12.2024 of Late Sh. Vijay Kumar Kalra S/o Late Sh. Hari Chand Kalra, who died on 01.04.2025. As per the WILL, Late Sh. Vijay Kumar Kalra S/o Late Sh. Hari Chand Kalra has bequeath his moveable and immovable property in favour of his Son Sh. Rahul Kalra & his wife Smt. Meenu Kalra as mentioned in the said WILL.

The General Public is hereby informed through this Notice that, if anyone has any objection or claim regarding the registration of said unregistered WILL, he/she may file objection/s in the office of the Sub-Registrar, situated at Ground Floor, 30 Bays Building, Sector 17, Chandigarh within 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, failing which the same will be registered under Section 40 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908.

Given under my signature and seal of this office.
SUB-REGISTRAR, U.T., CHANDIGARH

PUBLIC NOTICE
GENERAL NOTICE REGARDING RECRUITMENT OF PEON Applications are invited for the recruitment of one Peon at The Bugra Multipurpose Cooperative Agricultural Service Society Ltd., Bugra (Sangrur). Applications must be submitted to the Society's office by 5:00 PM upto 09.07.2025. The candidate must have passed +2 (Senior Secondary), and the merit list will be prepared on the basis of the percentage of marks obtained in +2. The age of the candidate must be between 18 and 37 years. Only residents of Village Bugra, falling within the operational area of the Society, are eligible to apply. The candidate must have passed Punjabi as a compulsory subject up to 10th standard. To apply for the post, the candidate must submit a Demand Draft of ₹1000/- in favour of the Society. The decision of the Selection Committee will be final. Other terms and conditions will be displayed at the Society's office. Sd/- Secretary Mobile Number: 94177 72789

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ਵਿਚ:- ਦਰਮ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਅਥਵਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਪਬਲਿਕਨ ਕਰਵਾਉਣ ਸਬੰਧੀ।
ਉਪਰੋਕਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਦੋ ਸਬੰਧ ਵਿੱਚ ਇੱਕ ਦਰਮਜ਼ੀ ਰਸੀਦ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਨੰਬਰ 943/ਰਸੀਦ ਮਿਤੀ 25.04.2025 ਵੱਲੋਂ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਨੇਕਲਨ ਬੈਂਕ ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਦੇ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੰਬਰ PNB/LCBL/HISAPPL/FG Dated April 24.2025 ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਹੋਈ। ਜਿਸ ਵਿੱਚ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਨੇ ਕਰਤੀ ਕੀਤੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਹ ਪਸ Equilable Mortgage Farm M/s Shree Bharat Lal Agro Industries Pvt Ltd. ਤੋਂ ਨਾਮ ਬਦਲ ਕਰ M/s B/LG Industries (P) Ltd. ਅਤੇ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਨੇਕਲਨ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਰਤ ਲਾਲ ਅਗਰਿ ਇੰਡਸਟਰੀਜ਼ ਪਾਰਸ਼ੇਵਟ ਨਿਮਨਵੱਲ ਅਭਿਨਵਜ਼ ਦੀ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਟੀਜ਼ ਭਾਗਦਰ ਭਗੀਲ ਅਭਿਨਵਜ਼ ਰਵਾਜ਼ਰ ਨੰਬਰ 339 ਫਰਵ ਜਮਾਈ ਸਾਲ 2017-18 ਬੇਟਰ ਖਤੀਨੇ ਨੰਬਰ 32/30/46 ਅਤੇ 17/17/26 ਵਿੱਚ ਹੈ ਇਸ ਵਿੱਚ ਜੋ ਮੇਲਸਜ਼ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਭਰਤ ਲਾਲ ਅਗਰਿ ਇੰਡਸਟਰੀਜ਼ ਪਾਰਸ਼ੇਵਟ ਨਿਮਨਵੱਲ ਅਭਿਨਵਜ਼ ਦਾ ਬਣਦਾ ਹਿੱਸਾ ਹੈ। ਉਸ ਪੱਖ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਬੈਂਕ ਪੀ.ਐਨ. ਦੀ ਬਾਬਤ ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਉਕਤ ਪੱਤਰ ਵਿੱਚ ਕੀ ਲਾਈਨ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਹੋਈ ਹੈ ਕਿ Bank Has No objection for such change of name subject to that Object of Bank over the property remains intact ਇਤਾ ਗਿਰਮ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਬੈਂਕ ਨੂੰ ਦਰਮ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਤਬਦੀਲ ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਕੋਈ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਜੇਕਰ ਅਮਰ ਜਾਂ ਖਾਸ ਕਿਸੇ ਵਿਚਕਾਰੀ ਨੂੰ ਇਸ ਦਰਮ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ M/s Shree Bharat Lal Agro Industries Pvt Ltd, ਤੋਂ ਨਾਮ ਬਦਲ ਕਰ M/s B/LG Industries (P) Ltd. ਕਰਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਕੋਈ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਜਾਂ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕਰਨਾ ਹੋਵੇ ਤਾਂ ਉਹ ਇਸ ਇਤਿਹਾਜ਼ ਦੇ ਜਾਰੀ ਹੋਣ ਦੇ 15 ਨਿਨ ਦੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਆਪਣਾ ਇਤਰਾਜ਼ ਇਸ ਦਰਮ ਵਿੱਚ ਖਾਮ ਕਰ ਲਵੇਗਾ।
ਬਾਅਦ ਜ਼ਰੂਰੀ ਨਿਰਦੇਸ਼ਾਂ ਅਨੁਸਾਰ ਨਿਰਮਲ ਅਨੁਸਾਰ ਹਰ ਇੱਕੀ ਸਮੀਖਿਆ ਸਿੱਧ ਹੋਵੇਗੀ। 1. ਸੁਰੱਖਿਤ ਸਿੱਧ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਵਾਂ, 2. ਸੁਰੱਖਿਤ ਕੋਰ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਵਾਂ, 3. ਜਸਗੀਰ ਸਿੱਧ ਅਤੇ, 4. ਜਸਵਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੱਧ ਬੇਟੇ ਨਹਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੱਧ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਭਾਗ ਸਿੱਧ, 5. ਨੰਦਾ ਸਿੱਧ, 6. ਗੁਰਦੇਵ ਸਿੱਧ, 7. ਗੁਰਮੀਤ ਸਿੱਧ, 8. ਅਨਮੋਲ ਸਿੱਧ ਬੇਟੇ ਜਗਮੀਤ ਸਿੱਧ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਅਰਜ ਸਿੱਧ, 9. ਬਲਵਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੱਧ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਬੇਰ ਸਿੱਧ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਸਰਵਨ ਸਿੱਧ, 10. ਜਸਵਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੱਧ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਅਰਜ ਸਿੱਧ ਇਕੱਠ ਸਿੱਧ ਜਸਮੀਅਤ ਪਿੰਡ ਭਾਗਦਰ ਭਗੀਲ ਸਿੱਧ ਭਾਗਦਰ ਸਿੱਧ ਮੋਹਾਂ।
ਇਸ ਨੋਟਿਸ ਨੰਬਰ 224/ਗੋਰਾ ਮਿਤੀ: 30-06-2025 ਨੂੰ ਦਰਮਜ਼ੀ ਮੋਹਾਂ ਅਤੇ ਮੋਹੇ ਦਰਮਜ਼ੀ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਜਾਰੀ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ।
ਸਹਾਇਕ ਕਲਰਕ ਦਫਤਰ ਦੁਆਰਾ, ਸਬ ਡਰਿਜਿਸਟਰਜ਼ ਮਾਹਾਰਾਸ਼ਟਰ।

I Balbir Kaur w/o Krishan Singh r/o Village Jeon Singh wala Tehsil Talwandi sabo Distt.Bathinda (Punjab) have changed my name Balbir Kaur to Daljit Kaur. I know that Daljit Kaur w/o Krishan Singh. Please note.

60018
I Rajinder Kaur W/o Gurdev Singh R/o Todar Majra,Distt Sas Nagar Mohali,Have Changed My Name To Rajwinder Kaur

666554
I, Prabhjot Singh s/o Nirmal Singh r/o Village Mallian Khurd Nakodar Jalandhar Punjab - 144623 have changed my name from Prabhjot Singh to Singh Prabhjot. All note please.

100066
I Manjit Singh s/o Jasvir singh R/o Sarawan (Faridkot) Have Changed My Name As Manjit Singh Manktala.

100071
I, Sunaina Khurana w/o Sh. Krishan Kumar R/o # 1621/13, Near Telephone exchange, Radaur, Distt Yamunanagar have changed my name from Sunaina Khurana to Sunaina.

511363
I GURMIT KAUR wife of NO JC846007K NB Sub BALVIR SINGH R/o VPO Dadupur Groya, PO Sham Churashi, Distt Hoshiarpur, Punjab- 144105 My DOB wrongly entered as 14-7-1974 in my husband service record. My correct DOB is 08-04-1974

778934

PUBLIC NOTICES
ਮੈਂ, ਸਤਨਾਮ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁੱਤਰ ਗੁਰਬਚਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਵਾਸੀ ਪਿੰਡ ਰਾਮ ਖਾਹਰਾ ਜ਼ਿਲ੍ਹਾ ਤਰਨ ਤਾਰਨ ਬਿਅਨ ਕਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਮੇਰਾ ਲੜਕਾ ਮਨਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਮੇਰੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਸੁਣਨੇ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਹਰ ਹੈ। ਮੈਂ ਇਸ ਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਤਮਾਮ ਚੱਲ ਅਚੱਲ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਤੋਂ ਬੇਦਖਲ ਕਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ। ਇਸ ਨਾਲ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਕਿਸਮ ਦਾ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਖੁਦ ਜ਼ਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ।

63372
ਮੈਂ ਰਾਜੇਸ਼ ਗੁਪਤਾ ਅਤੇ ਨੀਨਾ ਗੁਪਤਾ ਵਾਸੀਅਨ ਮਕਾਨ ਨੰਬਰ 31, ਸੋਹਿਅ ਗ੍ਰੀਨਸ, ਨੇੜੇ ਸੂਰਿਆ ਇਨਕਲੇਵ ਜਲੰਧਰ ਇਹ ਬਿਅਨ ਕਰਦੇ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਸਾਡਾ ਲੜਕਾ ਸਮੀਸ਼ ਗੁਪਤਾ ਅਤੇ ਉਸਦੀ ਪਤਨੀ ਨਿਕਿਤਾ ਨਾਗਪਾਲ ਸਾਡੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਹਰ ਹਨ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਅਸੀਂ ਉਹਨਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਚੱਲ ਅਚੱਲ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਤੋਂ ਬੇਦਖਲ ਕਰਦੇ ਹਾਂ। ਉਹਨਾਂ ਨਾਲ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਖੁਦ ਜ਼ਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ। ਸਬੰਧਤ ਨੋਟ ਕਰਨ।

ਮੈਂ ਮਹਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਪੁਤਰ ਨਛੱਤਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਵਾਸੀ ਗੁਰੂ ਕੀ ਨਗਰੀ, ਗੱਗੀ ਨੰਬਰ-4 ਬਠਿੰਡਾ ਨੇ ਬਿਅਨ ਕੀਤਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਮੇਰਾ ਲੜਕਾ ਰਮਨਦੀਪ ਸਿੰਘ ਭੰਗੂ ਮੇਰੇ ਕਹਿਣੇ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਹਰ ਹੈ, ਮਾੜੀ ਸੋਗਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਪੈ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ। ਮੈਂ ਇਸ ਨੂੰ ਆਪਣੀ ਚਲ ਅਚਲ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਤੋਂ ਬੇਦਖਲ ਕਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ। ਇਸ ਨਾਲ ਲੈਣ ਦੇਣ ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਖੁਦ ਜ਼ਿੰਮੇਵਾਰ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ। ਸਬੰਧਤ ਨੋਟ ਕਰਨ।

524479
I, Kamalpreet Kaur alias Gurjit Kaur D/o Gamdoor Singh, W/o Gurpreet Singh, resident of Haji Rattan, Bathinda, do hereby declare on that both the above names are my own, meaning that I am known by these two names.

524479
I, Harmanjit Singh S/O Gurbir Singh R/o Vpo Adda Amarkot Dist trantaran Harmanjit Singh given name and saggu is my Sur name.

72737

I, Tarsem Lal, son of Hans Raj, resident of House No.-142, Near Government Primary School, Lamini, Pathankot Tehsil and District Pathankot, Declare that in the birth certificate of my daughter, whose registered number is BU/ES/09/001537746, registration date 10-07-2009, certificate serial number-ES7134660, the name of my daughter's mother is wrongly written as ਜਸਦੀਤ ਕੌਰ in Punjabi and JASVIR KAUR in English. Whereas the correct name of my daughter's mother is ਜਸਦੀਤ ਕੌਰ in Punjabi and JASBIR KAUR in English as per Aadhaar card and all other documents.

400014

I Mandeep Kaur Wo Ranjeet Singh R/o VPO- Laroi, Jalandhar, Punjab 144201 declare that My name is Mandeep and my surname is Kaur

778934
I Savinder Kaur Mother of No JC373305F Ex Sub Baldev Singh R/o Village Rour Khehra, Wadala Bangar, PO Batala, Distt Gurdaspur, Punjab-143505 My correct name & DOB is Savinder Kaur (01/01/1943) instead of Subinder Kaur (01/07/1932)

778934
I DIPANSHU S/O SUSHIL KUMAR R/o H. NO. 162, BUNGA COLONY, BIRRING, JALANDHAR CANTT, PUNJAB, 144005 have changed my name from DIPANSHU TO DIPANSHU KUMAR

778934
I Ranjit Singh S/o Jarnail Singh R/o VPO-Laroi, Jalandhar, Punjab -144201 declare that I have changed my name from Ranjit Singh to Ranjeet Singh and my surname is Singh.

778934
I, Narinderpal Singh Khehra S/o Gurmeet Singh R/o Street No-3,jarman Colony,old Cant Road Faridkot Have Changed My Name Narinderpal Singh

900028
I, Mangal Rajendra Kharmale Mother Of Cfn Name Kharmale Shrikant Rajendra S/o Rajendra Kharmale R/o Post Of Bhandgaon, Tal. Parner, Dist. Ahilyanagar, State - Maharashtra, Pin Code- 414103. Have Changed Name From Mangal To Mangal Rajendra Kharmale As Per Aadhar Card.

900028
My name is Mohit Kumar. I want correction in my old passport. My name has been shown as Mohit Kumar in name column of old passport. I want to rectify my name in such way that Mohit has been entered in given column and Kumar will be sur-name. My given name is Mohit and sur-name is Kumar.

98706
I Manish S/o Jaswinder Lal R/O H.No. B X-856, Santokhpura, Jalandhar, Punjab, have changed my name from Manish to Manish Mahey All concerned please note.

900026
I Jiwan Kumar S/o Naresh Kumar Jindal R/o of 141, Patel Nagar Bathinda have changed my name Jiwan kumar to Jeevan Kumar Jindal S/o Naresh kumar

524479
I, Kamalpreet Kaur alias Gurjit Kaur D/o Gamdoor Singh, W/o Gurpreet Singh, resident of Haji Rattan, Bathinda, do hereby declare on that both the above names are my own, meaning that I am known by these two names.

524479
I, Harmanjit Singh S/O Gurbir Singh R/o Vpo Adda Amarkot Dist trantaran Harmanjit Singh given name and saggu is my Sur name.

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PUBLIC NOTICE					
Notice is hereby given that the following Share Certificate (s) issued by ICDO Bank Ltd. ("the company") are stated to have been lost or misplaced and the registered shareholder (s) applied for issue of duplicate share certificate (s)					
FOUO NO.	Registered Shareholder (s)	Cert No.	Issued Date	Expiry Date	Equity Shares
1034651	Anandpreet Kaur Alias Anandpreet Kaur Ahluwalia	81092	13/09/2006	13/09/2040	455
1034651	Anandpreet Kaur Alias Anandpreet Kaur Ahluwalia	924983	58/09/2006	58/09/2040	45
Any person who has/have a claim in respect of the said certificate (s) should lodge his/her claim with all supporting documents with the company or KPN Technologies Ltd., selenium Tower B, Plot 31-32, Gachibowli, Financial District Hyderabad-500032. If no valid and legitimate claim is received within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, the company will proceed to issue duplicate certificate (s) to the Shareholder (s) listed above and no further claim would be entertained from any other person (s).					
Date: 28-06-2025.					
Place: Pathankot.					
Name of the Holder(s) Anandpreet Kaur alias Anandpreet Kaur Ahluwalia					

I, Nirmala W/o Vikram Singh R/o 1136 village Nigdhu, Tehsil Nilokheri, District Karnal, declare that I have changed my name from Nirmala Pundir to Nirmala. In future, I should be known and identified by the name of Nirmala.

100070
I, Darshana Garg D/o Babu Ram R/o H.No. 260 W.No. 10 Moonak Teh-Moonak Distt. Sangrur have known by both names Darshana Garg & Dashana Goel one and the same person.

63372
I Gurjit Singh Gill S/o Boota Singh R/o Neo Machhike Moga have changed my name to Gurjit Singh.

63372
I, Renu Sharma C/o Rajesh Sharma R/o Tanki Wali Gali Amritsar Road Distt. Moga have known by both names Renu Sharma & Renu Bala one and the same person.

63372
I, Rajesh Sharma C/o Harbans Lal R/o W.No.03 Tanki Wali Gali Amritsar Road Distt. Moga have known by both names Rajesh Sharma & Rajesh Kumar Sharma one and the same person.

63372
I Kulwant Singh Dhaliwal S/o Gurbax Singh R/o Hamidi Tehsil, Mahal Kalan District, Barnala, Have Changed My Name To Kulwant Singh.

63372
I hitherto known as Davinder Kumar alias Muhamad Raihan S/o Shonki Lal, Patti Nilowal, Vpo. Bilga, Teh.Phillaur, Distt. Jalandhar, Punjab, Pincode-144036, have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as Davinder Kumar.

63372
I, Poonam Rani W/o Naveen Passi, R/o Charach Wali Gali Ward No 8 Sant Nagar Ferozepur City, District Ferozepur, Punjab-152002 Have Changed Name After Marriage from Poonam Rani to Poonam Passi.

63372
I, Simerjeet Singh S/o Bal Krishan R/o #173 W.No. 8 Parmanand Basti Mata Modi Chowk Sunam Distt. Sangrur have changed my name to Simerjeet Singh Bagga.

63372
I, Paramjit Kaur C/o Harjeet Singh R/o Vill: Sohail Khurd Muhem Distt. Jalandhar have changed my name from Parmjit Kaur to Paramjit Kaur.

63372
I Sarbjeet Kaur W/O Rajinder Singh R/O Village Kular Khurd, Distt Sangrur Have Changed My Name To Sarabjeet Kaur.

63372
I, Payal W/o Ankit Garg R/o 121/1 Vijay Nagar Jagraon (Ludhiana) have changed my name to Payal Garg after marriage.

63372
I, Harjinder Kumar S/O Satpal R/O Village Cheta PO Pharala Tehsil Banga Distt. S B S Nagar, Punjab, India, have changed my minor son's name from Lovepreet to Lovepreet Singh.

63372

I, Som Nath S/O Kuvar Munda R/O Village Akalgarh PO Fatehpur Khurd, Tehsil Garhshankar, Distt. Hoshiarpur, Punjab, India, have changed my name from Som Nath to Som Nath Munda.

63372
I, Rajnish S/O Bhagat Ram R/O Village Nurpur Jattan, PO Possi, Tehsil Garhshankar, Distt. Hoshiarpur, Punjab, India, have changed my Name Rajnish to Rajnish Bhatoye.

63372
I, Balwinder S/o Tarsem Singh R/o Vill: Bhan Mazara Po. Langroya Teh-Nawanshahr Distt. SBS Nagar have changed my name from Balwinder to Balwinder Singh.

63372
I, Dalwinder Singh S/o Amrik Singh R/o Village Kalal Majra, Kishanpura, Distt. Rupnagar have changed my Minor Son name Samrath Veer Singh's & Samrath Veer Singh to Samrathveer Singh.

63372
I, Reema Mohit Bansal, W/O Mohit Bansal, R/o # 16650, St.No 11, Basant Vihar, Bathinda, (Punjab) have changed my name Reema Mohit Bansal to Reema Wadhawan.

63372
I, Bharat S/o Roshan Lal R/o H.No. 1086 W.No. 16 Mohalla Sodhian Da Moga have changed my name from Bharat to Bharat Kumar.

63372
I Amandeep S/o Dilbag Rai R/o Vpo Langeri Teh Banga Distt Sbs Nagar Have Changed My Name To Amandeep Rattu . In My Name Amandeep Is My Real Name And Rattu Is My Surname.

63372
I Chotti W/O Lal Khan R/O Village Jatiwal Tehsil Malerkotla Distt: Malerkotla. I Have Changed My Name From Chotti To Salma.

63372
I Aliya Choudhry W/O Mohammad Shehbaz R/O Mohalla Khatikan Gali, Anardana, Malerkotla Have Changed My Name Aliya Chaudhary.

63372
I, Navjot Singh Bath S/O Amrik Singh R/O Vpo. Manki, Ludhiana Have Changed My Name To Singh Navjot.

63372
I Kulwinder Singh Dhanju S/o Bikar Singh R/o Village: Mewa singh wala , P .O. : Sarai Jattan, Teh: Sultanpur Lodhi , Distt: Kapurthala have changed my name from Kulwinder Singh Dhanju to Kulwinder Singh.

63372
I Kulvinder Kaur W/o Jasvir Singh R/o Village Jabbowal Po. : Wara jodh Singh, Teh- Sultanpur Lodhi Distt: Kapurthala have changed my name from Kulvinder Kaur to Kulwinder Kaur.

63372
I Kirandeep Kaur Gill W/O Yograj Singh, R/O Village Thatha Dalel Singh, P.O. Thatha Kishan Singh, Tehsil Zira, (Ferozepur), Have Changed My Name Kirandeep Kaur.

63372
I, Sanjna D/o Tilak Raj R/o H.No.792 W.No.15 Mohalla Ravidass Pura Noormahal Road Phillaur Distt Jalandhar 144410 Pb, Have Changed My Name From Sanjna To Sanjna Kumari.

63372
I, Manpreet Singh Sidhu S/o Labh Singh R/o H.No. 24162-A Guru Ki Nagri Bathinda have changed my name from Manpreet Singh Sidhu to Manpreet Singh.

63372
I, Parveen Kaur D/o Deep Kumar R/o Vill: Samrari Po. Bara Pind Teh-Phillaur Diit. Jalandhar my given name is Parveen and surname is Kaur.

63372
I, Amandeep W/o Ashwani Kumar R/o Vpo. Saloh Distt. SBS Nagar have changed my name to Amandeep Kaur after marriage.

63372
I, Param Pal Singh S/o Gurdip Singh R/o Vill: Bainapur Po. Pabwan Teh-Phillaur Distt. Jalandhar have changed my name to Pampal Singh.

63372
I, Jaswinder Kumar S/o Resham Lal R/o Vill: Powadra Teh-Phillaur Distt. Jalandhar my given name is Jaswinder and surname is Kumar.

63372

I, Karanvir Singh Bhangu S/o Harjinder Singh R/o Vill- Jagowal Teh-Amargarh Distt Malerkotla have changed my name from Karanvir Singh Bhangu to Karanvir Singh.

63372
I, Sony Thapar W/o Pankaj Verma R/o Hno. 663, Street No.4, Ram Kuttir, Hira Mahal Nabha,Teh . Nabha, Distt. Patiala, Punjab -147201, India have changed my name Sony Thapar to Sony.

63372
I, Reema Mohit Bansal, W/O Mohit Bansal, R/o # 16650, St.No 11, Basant Vihar, Bathinda, (Punjab) have changed my name Reema Mohit Bansal to Reema Wadhawan.

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I Amandeep S/o Dilbag Rai R/o Vpo Langeri Teh Banga Distt Sbs Nagar Have Changed My Name To Amandeep Rattu . In My Name Amandeep Is My Real Name And Rattu Is My Surname.

63372
I Chotti W/O Lal Khan R/O Village Jatiwal Tehsil Malerkotla Distt: Malerkotla. I Have Changed My Name From Chotti To Salma.

63372
I Aliya Choudhry W/O Mohammad Shehbaz R/O Mohalla Khatikan Gali, Anardana, Malerkotla Have Changed My Name Aliya Chaudhary.

63372
I, Navjot Singh Bath S/O Amrik Singh R/O Vpo. Manki, Ludhiana Have Changed My Name To Singh Navjot.

63372
I Kulwinder Singh Dhanju S/o Bikar Singh R/o Village: Mewa singh wala , P .O. : Sarai Jattan, Teh: Sultanpur Lodhi , Distt: Kapurthala have changed my name from Kulwinder Singh Dhanju to Kulwinder Singh.

63372
I Kulvinder Kaur W/o Jasvir Singh R/o Village Jabbowal Po. : Wara jodh Singh, Teh- Sultanpur Lodhi Distt: Kapurthala have changed my name from Kulvinder Kaur to Kulwinder Kaur.

63372
I Kirandeep Kaur Gill W/O Yograj Singh, R/O Village Thatha Dalel Singh, P.O. Thatha Kishan Singh, Tehsil Zira, (Ferozepur), Have Changed My Name Kirandeep Kaur.

63372
I, Sanjna D/o Tilak Raj R/o H.No.792 W.No.15 Mohalla Ravidass Pura Noormahal Road Phillaur Distt Jalandhar 144410 Pb, Have Changed My Name From Sanjna To Sanjna Kumari.

63372
I, Manpreet Singh Sidhu S/o Labh Singh R/o H.No. 24162-A Guru Ki Nagri Bathinda have changed my name from Manpreet Singh Sidhu to Manpreet Singh.

63372
I Renu D/o Som Nath R/o Village Muggowal, Tehsil Garhshankar, Distt Hoshiarpur, Punjab India- 146109 have changed my name from Renu to Renu Rani.

63372
I, Amandeep W/o Ashwani Kumar R/o Vpo. Saloh Distt. SBS Nagar have changed my name to Amandeep Kaur after marriage.

63372
I, Samina, W/o Nadeem Ahmed Khan, R/o Z/A B-14/0522, Gulshan Colony, Near T-Point, Madevi Road, Tehsil & Distt. Malerkotla, after marriage Have changed my name from Samina Begum to Samina.

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I, Dalvir Singh S/o Kartar Singh R/o H.No. 319/9, Gurdeep Nagar, St.No. 5, Jagraon, (Ludhiana) have changed my name Dalvir Singh Sohi.

63372
I, Baljeet Kaur W/O Tara Singh, Aged About 63 Years, R/o H.No.26, Vill- Khizrabad, Po. Khizrabad West, Teh-Kharar, Distt SAS Nagar (Mohali) Punjab, PIN 140109, Declare that I, have changed my name from Baljit Kaur to Baljeet Kaur.

63372
I, Kartar Singh Johal S/O Amar Singh R/o Vpo. Babarpur Teh-Payal Distt. Ludhiana have changed my name from Kartar Singh Johal to Kartar Singh.

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I, Mukhtiar Kaur Johal W/o Kartar Singh R/o Vpo. Babarpur Teh-Payal Distt. Ludhiana have changed my name from Mukhtiar Kaur Johal to Mukhtiar Kaur.

63372
I, Manish Kumar S/o Raj Kumar R/o Vill-Shahpur Pira, Nurpur Lubana, Kapurthala, declare that I have adopted the surname Kumar. Now my first name is Manish and last name is kumar.

63372
I, Iqbal Singh Grewal S/O Sukhdev Singh R/O Rania Distt Moga Have Changed My Name To Iqbal Singh.

63372
I Manpreet Singh Brar S/o Kuldeep Singh R/o Vill- Udekaran district, Shri Muktsar sahib have changed my name to Manpreet Singh.

63372
I, Sita Ram S/o Radhey Shyam Sharma R/o H.No. 294, Govt Sen Sec Girls School, Mandi Harji Ram, W.No.17, Malout, Dist. Sri Muktsar Sahib have changed my name to Sita Ram Sharma.

63372
I, Mohd Sahid S/O Mohd Saleem, R/O Mohalla Bathindia, Dhobghat, Malerkotla, Have Changed My Name To Mohd Shahid S/O Mohd Saleem.

63372
I, Simarnjit Kaur W/O Gurjit Singh, R/o House No 9, Ward No 3, Vill Dhakoli, Zirakpur, Dhakauli, S.A.S Nagar (Mohali), Punjab-140603. have changed my name and shall hereafter be Known as Manpreet Kaur Saini.

524473
I Maninder Singh Ajmal S/o Inderjit Singh R/o 34 G.I. Enclave, Dosanjh Road, Khothran, Tehsil Banga (SBS Nagar) -144632 have Changed My Name to Maninder Singh.

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NEWS BRIEFS

BSNL holds Telephone Advisory Committee meeting in Chandigarh, highlights 4G and FTTH expansion

CHANDIGARH: The Telephone Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting of the Chandigarh Telecom District of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) was held on July 1 at the Conference Hall of the BSNL Exchange in Sector 34-A, Chandigarh. The meeting was chaired by Hon'ble Member of Parliament Sh. Manish Tewari and attended by 12 other TAC members. At the outset, Sh. M.C. Singh, Principal General Manager, BSNL and Member Secretary of TAC, welcomed the Chairperson and members, expressing gratitude for their time and participation. He underlined BSNL's pivotal role as a strategic national asset, especially in expanding communication infrastructure with a focus on Fibre-to-the-Home (FTTH) and indigenously developed 4G mobile services.

Rains have made Kharar's courts worse

SHASHI PAL JAIN KHARAR: On one hand, the Government is making long promises to provide facilities to the people, but on the other hand, it seems that the ground reality is something else. Senior lawyer Gurmair Singh of Kharar today sent a photo of the courts showing the standing water there and asked the authorities to tell how lawyers and litigants can get out of this water. He said that the courts of Kharar are very busy and a large number of people come here every day. He said that the judges have been told about this many times and the officials of the Municipal Council have also been requested but nothing has happened. He has demanded that the Government should pay immediate attention to this. Steps should be taken to improve the situation here.



Central Bank of India, Chandigarh zone celebrates Doctors' Day with gratitude



CHANDIGARH : Central Bank of India, Chandigarh Zone, under the able leadership of Zonal Head Shri Arvind Kumar, celebrated Doctors' Day with great respect and admiration. During the event, esteemed doctors were felicitated for their invaluable contributions to public health and society. The event witnessed the gracious presence of Regional Head Chandigarh, Shri Ram Kumar Yadav, along with other officials and staff members, who paid heartfelt tributes to the medical fraternity.

Mixer tipper plunges into pond near Moga; three injured, driver untraceable for 20 hours

JAGRAJ SINGH SANGHA MOGA, JULY 1:

A high-speed mixer tipper veered off the road and plunged into a deep roadside pond near village Fatehgarh on the Moga-Jalandhar Highway late last night, leaving three motorcyclists seriously injured and the driver missing for nearly 20 hours.

The accident occurred around 9:30 pm on Sunday. Members of the Samaj Sewa Society, led by Mayor Baljit Singh Chani, and the Bhagat Pura Singh Sewa Dal, led by Daljit Singh Gill, along with police personnel from Dharamkot police station, DAP Ramandeep Singh, and SHO Jatinder, rushed to the scene and rescued the injured. Two of the victims were admitted to Faridkot Medical Hospital, while the third was referred to Bathinda. One of them is reported to be in critical condition.

Despite continuous efforts by local divers and social service volunteers, the administration failed to retrieve the submerged mixer tipper from the pond. The



district administration and municipal authorities reportedly lacked the necessary heavy machinery, including a Hydra crane, to aid in the recovery operation.

As public frustration mounted over the prolonged inaction, a twist emerged late in the evening when workers from the company owning the mixer claimed that the missing driver was "with them." However, when pressed by journalists about his whereabouts, the company

representatives offered vague responses, further fuelling anger among local residents and volunteers.

A bottle of liquor was also recovered from the vehicle, raising questions about the driver's sobriety at the time of the crash. Social workers have demanded legal action against the driver and called on the Dharamkot police to investigate the company's role in withholding information.

There is also widespread criticism of both the National Highways Authority and local administration for failing to secure the accident-prone pond alongside the highway. Citizens have demanded immediate fencing and safety measures, warning that such negligence could lead to more tragedies in the future. Many have also pointed out that mixer tippers and other heavy vehicles operating in the area often lack proper documentation, and some drivers don't possess valid licenses—raising serious concerns about regulatory enforcement.

National Doctor's Day: Hry CM Nayab Singh Saini felicitates doctors

GAURAV GOEL CHANDIGARH, JULY 1

The Derabassi Medical Association (DMA) commemorated National Doctor's Day with a grand event at Hyatt Regency, Chandigarh, today, celebrating the unwavering dedication of healthcare professionals and recognizing excellence in the medical field. The occasion also marked the launch of the inaugural edition of the DMA magazine and the prestigious 'Best Healthcare Awards-2025'.

The event was graced by Chief Guest Nayab Singh Saini, Chief Minister of Haryana. His presence underlined the significance of the occasion and the vital role doctors play in nation-building. Saini said, "In Haryana we have already established 15 medical colleges and 9 more are coming up. We want every district of Haryana to have a medical college."

Saini added, "The idea is to increase the number of doctors in the state. Our objective is to churn out as many as 3400 doctors each year by 2029. We have ramped up recruitment of doc-



tors too." The CM commended DMA for taking up philanthropic initiatives like free dialysis, in the same breath he added, "The Haryana government is running a free dialysis service for kidney patients across the state."

Meanwhile, the special guests who graced the event included renowned figures from the medical fraternity such as Dr Sanjeev Goyal, Registrar, Board of Ayurveda and Unani, and Dr Rakesh Sharma, President, National Commission for Indian System of Medicine (NCISM), and former Director of Ayurveda, Punjab. Dr R P Gabbha, Patron NIMA, Chandigarh and Dr Meenu Gandhi, President NIMA, Chandigarh also graced the event.

Dr Rajeev Gupta, President, DMA, said that over 25

outstanding doctors, hospitals, and diagnostic institutions were felicitated for their exemplary clinical service, community contributions, innovative practices, and ethical leadership. These awards aim to spotlight the often-unrecognized efforts of dedicated healthcare professionals and institutions.

"This day is about celebrating the heroes in white coats – our doctors – who dedicate their lives selflessly. The DMA remains committed to protecting doctors' rights while enhancing community healthcare outcomes through continuous innovation and service," said Dr Gupta.

Dr Akash Goswami, General Secretary, DMA, added: "Our aim is to create a strong ecosystem where knowledge-sharing, community health drives, and ethical practice flourish hand in hand. The launch of our magazine is a step in that direction." "The landmark event marks the launch of our vision for a more integrated, innovative, and compassionate healthcare future."

General Body meeting of Gillco Valley & Cultural Society, Sector-115 held

SHASHI PAL JAIN KHARAR, JULY 1

The Gillco Welfare and Cultural Society held its General Body meeting on June 29 at the Sector-115 shopping complex in Gillco Valley, with notable participation from residents, especially women.

Gurjit Singh welcomed members and shared ongoing development updates. Executive member Vinay and new secretary Sahil Dub addressed key issues, including cleaning of vacant plots, clearing rainwater chambers, and fixing street lights and sewer backflow. Chief Advisor Er. Brij Mohan, also State Head of Legal Affairs at Akhil Bhartiya Grahak Panchayat, emphasized that the management must prioritize essential services like potable water, better park amenities, and modern street lighting. He warned of legal action if contaminated water is supplied, citing the Consumer Protection Act, 2019.

Former president Karamjit Singh Sidhu urged collective action to ensure resident grievances are addressed effectively. Active participation came from office bearers including Surjit Singh, Pritam Singh, Harjinder Singh, Raja, Baljit Singh, and Gurcharan Singh.



Appeal to end Mohali sanitation strike, seek land for waste management

SHASHI PAL JAIN MOHALI JULY 1

Kuljit Singh Bedi, Deputy Mayor of Mohali Municipal Corporation, has written a letter to the Chief Secretary of Punjab, requesting him to personally intervene to end the ongoing strike of sanitation workers in Mohali. Along with this, he has also requested the Chief Secretary, being the Chairman of GMADA, to issue directions to the chief administrator of GMADA to immediately provide land to the Mohali Municipal Corporation for dumping its garbage.

Deputy Mayor Kuljit Singh Bedi said that the sanitation situation in Mohali city has become very worrying, and garbage is scattered



everywhere because the sanitation workers and those collecting garbage from homes have gone on strike. He said that after a heated exchange during a meeting between the Commissioner of the Municipal Corporation and a leader of the sanitation workers the other day, first the employees of the Municipal Corporation went on strike against the sanitation workers' leader,

and from the next day the sanitation workers went on strike against the Commissioner. He said that the atmosphere in the Municipal Corporation is very tense, and garbage is not being picked up from the city. Moreover, due to the monsoon season, the garbage lying at and outside the RMC points has also started rotting and is emitting a foul smell, creating a risk of disease spreading in Mohali. Along with this, the environment is also being severely affected. The Deputy Mayor said that the situation has become so bad that people in the city are crying out in distress, and it would not be surprising if this issue is not resolved in time and people come out on the roads to protest against the government.

SDM conducts a surprise check of the Tehsil office



SUMER GARG SUNAM: While following the instructions of the Punjab government and under the guidance of Deputy commissioner, Sangrur; Mr. Sandeep Rishi; the local SDM, Parmod Singla conducted a surprise check of Tehsil office, Sunam and observed that the work of transfer deeds.

While talking with the mediapersons, SDM said that the working process of transfer deeds is running satisfactory, there is no pendency of work and no person will face any problem. He said the basic needs of the people are being fulfilled and if still any person faces any difficulty then one can tell one's problem to him.

SDM further said that as per the directions of government the program of people is being solved on the priority basis. He also discussed with the people, who came into the office for their work and they have expressed their satisfaction over their works. When our reporter contacted Ms. Rajwinder Kaur, Tehsildar on telephone, she said that during the visit of SDM, the work was in order.

Grand inauguration of Branding and Selfie Point by Inner Wheel Club Chandigarh City Beautiful



LK BANSAL MOHALI: Inner Wheel Club Chandigarh City Beautiful organised the grand inauguration of a Branding and Selfie Point near Manav Mangal Smart School, Phase 10, Mohali today. This event emerged as an inspiring initiative reflecting the club's commitment to social awareness and creative expression. The chief guest of the program was Usha Sharma, ZCC and Narpinder Singh Rangji, Municipal Councillor from Ward No. 16 who inaugurated the site and appreciated the efforts of the club. Club President Sarbani Dutta shared that this selfie point was once a barren and neglected piece of land, which the Inner Wheel team transformed into a vibrant and meaningful space through hard work and dedication.

She stated, "Our intention was not merely to create a beautiful corner, but to develop a symbolic space that raises environmental awareness. The theme includes planting trees, building birdhouses, and promoting responsible waste disposal, especially plastics. This place stands as a symbol of our collective commitment to clean air and biodiversity." All members of the club participated in the event with great enthusiasm and took a pledge to spread the message of this new initiative far and wide.

Sarang Sikandar launches AI-Driven song 'Me & Her'



RN KHERA CHANDIGARH: In a touching tribute to his legendary father Sardool Sikandar, singer and composer Sarang Sikandar launched his latest single 'Me & Her' on his 32nd birthday at the Chandigarh Press Club. The event wasn't just about a new song, but was about remembering a musical legacy, embracing new technology, and expressing deep love for family and music. The event was also graced by his mother and wife of late Sardool Sikandar, Amar Noorie who is also a noted actress and singer.

What makes 'Me & Her' special is its unique use of artificial intelligence, making it one of the first AI-written songs in the Punjabi music scene. Sarang, who has written, composed, and sung the song, shared that this track is his way of staying connected with his late father.

"This is more than a tribute. It feels like I'm speaking to my father through music, using the technology of the future," he said emotionally.

Dr Vinod Kumar Sharma's name included in World Book Record for commendable contribution to Hindi literature

BUREAU CHANDIGARH: Congratulating renowned litterateur Dr Vinod Kumar on his incredible achievement, World Book Record is thrilled to award him a certificate recognizing his outstanding contribution in the Hindi field. World Book Record said that this is not just a certificate, it gives an extra boost to Dr Vinod Kumar's career. It strengthens his knowledge and hard work. This certificate has international importance which reflects the exceptional skills of Dr Vinod Kumar. This certificate is proudly awarded to make him stand out in the crowd.

Dr Vinod Kumar's educational qualifications are D.Litt., Ph.D. M. Phil.; M.A. (Economics, Political Science, Mass Communication, Hindi); M.Ed.; B.Ed.; PGDMC.; PDPET. He has written 28 books. He has given presentations on national and international level platforms, TV channels, newspapers and magazines.

Dr. Vinod Sharma told that he has the company of famous litterateur Prem Vij. He also considers him as his literary Guru. He always keeps motivating him to move forward. In writing, Chancellor Padma Shri Hamahendra Singh Bedi, DAV College Managing Committee New Delhi's Head Padma Shri Poonam Suri, DAV College Managing Committee New Delhi's Secretary Ravindra Talwar, Sanskriti Bodo Sangh's Founder Shri Rao Vijay Prakash Singhji, Dr. Chandra Trikha, famous litterateur Prem Vij, KK Sharda, Dr. Lalchand Gupta Mangal, etc. have made significant contributions.



Dr. Pragati Ashok Katariya honoured as Best Ayurvedic Physician on Doctor's Day

BUREAU CHANDIGARH: Vaidya Pragati Ashok Katariya, a renowned Ayurvedic expert and cosmetologist was awarded the prestigious Best Ayurvedic Physician in Chandigarh at the Best Healthcare Awards-2025 held on the occasion of National Doctor's Day. The award was presented by Haryana Chief Minister Sh Nayab Singh Saini during a grand ceremony organized by the Derrabasi Medical Association (DMA). Dr. Katariya who is serving Ayurveda to strengthen this movement over the last two decades is a Professor and Head of the Department of Ayurvedic Medicine at Shri Dhanwantri Ayurvedic College and Hospital, Sector 46, Chandigarh.

Her professional affiliations include being the Finance Secretary of Akhil Bhartiya Ayurvedic Mahasammelan (Chandigarh) and memberships in NIMA-Chandigarh, Vishwa Ayurved Parishad, Dera Bassi Medical Association and Bharat Vikas Parishad's Swastik Shakha.



Two-Day U-19 boys basketball league organized at Doraha Public School



AMRISH ANAND DORAHA: A two-day Under-19 Boys Basketball League was organized at Doraha Public School on June 28-29. The league matches were conducted in a "League cum Knock-out" format and were sponsored by Bhangu Hospital, Doraha. The event was formally inaugurated by Dr. Mandeep Singh, representing Bhangu Hospital. In the final results of the league, Street Ballers Ludhiana secured the first position, West Point School Kotkapura stood second, and High Hoops Academy bagged the third place. The prize distribution ceremony was presided over by Dr. Surinder Singh of Bhangu Hospital. Medals and trophies were sponsored by Jag Driving School, Canada. During the event, Dr. Surinder Singh lauded the performances of the young athletes and assured continued support for the 2026 edition of the league as well. Students of Doraha Public School — Sachin Chauhan, Divya Noor Kalsi, Gursharan Singh Soni, and Jaipratap Singh Mangat — volunteered in serving refreshments to the participating players. At the conclusion of the event, Dr. Sukhwinder Singh Cheema, League Manager and representative of Malwa Central College of Education, Ludhiana, shared brief insights about the achievements of the U-14, U-17, and U-19 boys and girls during the Doraha Basketball League 2025.

NEWS BRIEF

BJP district president Lalpura slams Punjab's Land Pooling Scheme, calls it scam

BAHADURJEET SINGH RUPNAGAR: Rupnagar BJP District President Ajayvir Singh Lalpura has strongly opposed the Punjab government's land pooling scheme, calling it a "scam" aimed at misleading farmers and grabbing fertile land without consent. He alleged that key land records (khasra numbers) were published in newspapers without informing landowners, violating their rights and trust. Lalpura emphasized that most affected areas in Rupnagar, including Badi Haveli, Gurdaspura, Bara Phool, and Badi Railon, are agricultural hubs. "This is not just political; it's about our farmers' land, identity, and future. I will fight tooth and nail to protect it," he said. He urged farmers whose land appears in notices to immediately contact him at 98075-88075. "This is just the beginning. If the scheme isn't withdrawn, a mass protest will follow," he warned.

Advocate P.S. Ghuman highlights vision for an inclusive legal system

DALJEET AJNOHA HOSHARPUR: In an insightful conversation with senior journalist Sanjeev Kumar, Advocate P.S. Ghuman, the President of the Bar Association, Hoshiarpur, emphasized his vision of a more accessible, inclusive, and welfare-oriented legal system. Advocate Ghuman stressed that justice must never be a privilege, but a right available to all, especially the economically weaker sections of society. "Our legal system, though robust, needs to be more approachable for the common man. Legal aid must reach those who hesitate to seek help due to financial or procedural barriers," he said. He reiterated his commitment to strengthening the free legal aid system and ensuring that the marginalized communities are informed and empowered to claim their rights through legal channels. "Awareness is key. People must know that justice is not out of their reach," he added. On the welfare of advocates, Advocate Ghuman highlighted several pressing concerns faced by the legal fraternity.

Record-breaking GST growth of 44.44% in June, 27% in 1st quarter: Cheema

GAURAV GOEL CHANDIGARH, JULY 1

Punjab has recorded a record breaking 44.44 percent growth in Net GST collections for June 2025 and a substantial 27.01 percent growth for the first quarter of Fiscal Year (FY) 2025-26, marking the highest-ever GST revenue growth in a fiscal quarter and for the month of June in the state's history. Punjab Finance, Planning, Excise and Taxation Minister Advocate Harpal Singh Cheema revealed this while addressing a press conference after facilitating the top five taxpayers of the state for their exemplary contribution to the state's economic growth and revenue generation, including Ashu Agnihotri from Ambuja



Cement, Sanjay Malhotra from HPCL-Mittal Energy Limited (HMEI), Chaman Lal Sharma from Samsung India Pvt Ltd, Ankush Sharma from Tata Steel and Nitin Dada from Dada Motors. The Minister acknowledged their contributions and emphasized the importance of responsible tax practices in achieving inclusive development and fiscal sustainability. Finance Minister Cheema

at Rs 2379.90 crore, reflecting a remarkable revenue growth of Rs 732.21 crore over the Rs 1647.69 crore collected in June 2024. This follows monthly net growth trends of 15.35 percent in April and 24.59 percent in May. The net GST collection during the first quarter of FY 2025-26 reached Rs 6,830.40 crore, even amidst the conflict between India and Pakistan in May 2025, compared to Rs 5,377.75 crore in the first quarter of 2024-25. This represents a growth rate more than four times the 6.41 percent growth rate registered during the first quarter of FY 2024-25. The Finance Minister also launched a scathing attack on the previous SAD-BJP and Congress-led governments, citing their

failure to check tax evasion and improve the state's fiscal health. He asserted that the Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann-led Punjab Government has ensured consistent month-on-month and year-on-year growth. He noted a GST collection growth rate of 16.25 percent in FY 2022-23, 15.51 percent in FY 2023-24, and 12.84 percent in FY 2024-25, registering a total collection of Rs 62,733 crore in three years. In contrast, during the Congress regime from FY 2018-19 to FY 2021-22, the state merely collected Rs 55,146 crore. Similarly, during the SAD-BJP regime, the state witnessed only 4.57 percent and 2.67 percent growth in VAT and CST collection during FY 2014-15 and FY 2015-16, respectively.

Jasvir Singh Sekhon takes charge as Member Punjab State Food Commission



GAURAV GOEL CHANDIGARH, JULY 1

The Punjab State Food Commission (PSFC) today formally got a new Member when Jasvir Singh Sekhon took charge here at the Mahatma Gandhi State Institute of Public Administration (MGSIPA) amid the presence of Cabinet Ministers Harpal Singh Cheema, Aman Arora, Lal Chand Kataruchak & Barinder Kumar Goyal. The Cabinet Ministers expressed gratitude to the Chief Minister Bhagwant Singh Mann and National Convenor AAP Arvind Kejriwal for placing

trust in the capabilities of Mr. Jasvir Singh Sekhon and exuded confidence that the new incumbent would further take forward the initiatives of ensuring nutritious food to all, promoting organic farming and providing clean drinking water. On the occasion, Sekhon said that would fully justify the faith reposed in his abilities and ensure that the schemes initiated by the Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department are percolated to all sections of the society especially those linked with the farming sector as it is the core part of the procurement operations.

Barnala Police arrests thieves who stole jewellery and cash

KULDEEP SOOD BARNALA, JULY 1

Mr. Satvir Singh PPS DSP Sub Division Barnala while giving information to the press said that under the directions of Mr. Sarfaraz Alam IPS SSP Sahib Barnala, under the special campaign being run by Barnala Police to control drug smuggling and anti-social elements, Barnala Police achieved great success when on 30-06-2025 Tinku son of Sohan Lal resident of Geeta Bhawan Barnala near had written his statement to the local police that "On 28-06-2025, he had gone to visit Khatu Dham and Bala ji along with his family, then at night an unknown person entered his house and committed the crime of stealing gold and silver jewellery and cash" against which case number 290 dated 30-06-2025 U/s 331(4), 305, 3(5) BNS. Police Station City



Barnala was registered on which special teams were formed under the able leadership of Insp: Lakhwinder Singh under the direction of Senior Superintendent of Police Barnala, on which special teams arrested the following persons who committed this theft within 24 hours and recovered the stolen gold and silver ornaments. Dosian Gurdev Singh Lali son of Gurjant Singh, Amritpal Singh alias Bittu son of Gurjant Singh and Gurjant Singh son of Gurdial Singh resident of Janda Wala Road Santa Wali

Chetak Corps celebrates 47th Raising Day



ANIL VERMA BATHINDA: Chetak Corps of Indian Army celebrated its 47th Raising Day at Bathinda Military Station, marking the momentous day of it's raising on 1st July 1979, under the command of Lieutenant General ML Tuli. With its motto of 'Fight Forward, Fight Aggressive', Chetak Corps since its raising has evolved, through a series of transformations, into a highly professional, battle ready and operationally effective formation. In a solemn ceremony to commemorate the occasion, Lieutenant General Shamsheer Singh Virk, General Officer Commanding, Chetak Corps, along with all ranks, laid wreaths at the 'Yodha Yaadgar' War Memorial, in revered remembrance of the bravehearts, who laid down their lives during the various battles fought by the formation while safeguarding the boundaries of the Nation. On this occasion, the Corps Commander exhorted all ranks of the Corps to continue to perform their duties with utmost dedication and to uphold the highest traditions of the Army. He praised all ranks for their high state of readiness, which was evident during 'Operation Sindoor' and urged them to remain operationally ready to take on future assignments with selfless resolve and courage.

CU Punjab Scholar attends Summer School Programme in UK

BUREAU BATHINDA: Ms. Sanju Kumawat, a doctoral research scholar from the Department of Mass Communication and Media Studies at the Central University of Punjab, Bathinda, was selected to attend the prestigious Summer School Programme at the University of Sheffield, England, held from June 23-25, 2025. The programme was organized by the Economic and Social Research Council's (ESRC) Digital Good Network, under the aegis of UK Research and Innovation. Her participation was fully funded by the ESRC, covering accommodation, meals, return travel, and visa expenses. Ms. Kumawat is currently pursuing her doctoral research on mobile phone access and usage patterns among young rural girls in India. Her research topic was prominently highlighted during the selection process and played a key role in her successful nomination. The Digital Good Network Summer School is an annual international initiative that offers around 20 seats, with a minimum of two reserved for overseas participants. It provides a platform for early-career researchers to engage with eminent scholars in the field of digital research. This year's edition focused on innovative research methodologies, interdisciplinary approaches, and critical discussions around the concept of the "digital good." Expressing her gratitude, Sanju said, "It was an incredible opportunity to interact with global scholars and explore new methodological approaches that have enriched my research. During the programme, I was able to share insights from my work and learn immensely from others in the field."



Mental health just as important as physical health: Dr Shivali



VERMA GURDASPUR: A seminar on work life balance conducted by Dr Shivali Barwal, Soft Skill trainer w/o. Col. Pushraj, Commanding officer, Tibri cantonment Gurdaspur at Red Cross Integrated and Rehabilitation centre for addicts Gurdaspur- Romesh Mahajan National Awardee Project Director. A very energetic and enthusiastic seminar on work life balance conducted by Dr Shivali Barwal, Soft Skill trainer, from Tibri cantonment at Red cross integrated and rehabilitation centre for addicts Gurdaspur. The main purpose to conduct this kind of seminar was to enhance the quality of mental peace and work capabilities of employees working over there. All staff members present in the centre attend this seminar and share their views with the trainee. This was really a very fruitful session with the importance of prioritizing well-being and personal life alongside professional responsibilities. This session highlights the need to create boundaries, schedule priorities, and integrate work and life in a way that leads to fulfillment and happiness.

Illegal mansion of jailed drug smugglers demolished in Jagraon

SUKH NAHAR JAGRAON: Today in Jagraon, illegal construction carried out by imprisoned drug smugglers was demolished using a bulldozer. In the Majjina area, the Municipal Council, with the help of the police, took down an illegal structure. According to Municipal Council EO Sukhdev Singh Randhawa, Inderjit Kaur had encroached on land and built a mansion-like house. The council had earlier sent a notice to the owners requesting property documents. When the documents were not provided, action was taken. SSP Dr. Ankur Gupta stated that the house belongs to Harpreet Singh Happy Loga and his wife Inderjit Kaur Indu, both of whom are currently in jail on drug trafficking charges. During the demolition, Inderjit Kaur's lawyer, Rajwinder Singh Raja, said that a case had already been filed in Jagraon Court No. 4 requesting a stay order regarding the house. The next hearing was scheduled for July 4. He said that a notice had been sent to the council on June 11. The council intentionally demolished the house before the court hearing. He added that the council could have taken action after the court proceedings. The lawyer accused the council of violating court orders and questioned why no action was taken by the council when the house was originally being constructed.



SDM orders employees to present in their circles



SUMER GARG BHAWANIGARH: The SDM Bhawanigarh, Manjit Kaur held a meeting with the employees of Tehsil office and issued instructions to follow the guidelines of the Punjab government, keeping in view the rainy season ahead all employees should be present at the headquarters, so that People should not face any type of difficulties, when they come for their work to the offices. Besides others Tehsildar and Naib Tehsildars were also present on the occasion. SDM Bhawanigarh issued directions to all officers and field staff that they should be present in their respective headquarters, so that in case of any emergency an immediate action can be taken to resolve the problem. Apart from this, instructions were issued to all the Kanungos and Patwaris to clear the daily pandencies of intakal. Expedite the works covers under the Swamitva scheme. In addition, the judicial case should be disposed of within the time limit. Be sure to quickly dispose of cases of division.

Child Protection Unit Moga stops child marriage within hour of getting information



JAGRAJ SINGH SANGHA MOGA: The Child Protection Unit of District Moga is fully prepared to provide its services to the people of Moga and is committed to protecting child rights. The unit is working fully prepared to prevent child marriage or create awareness under this act. When the Child Protection Unit Moga came to know about a child marriage today, their team stopped the child marriage from happening in just one hour and also spread awareness among the children and parents about it. Sharing information about this, District Child Protection Officer Moga Mrs. Paramjit Kaur said that Today, when they received information about child marriage being conducted in village Drolai, they took immediate action and stopped the child marriage. In this unit, Child Protection Officer Mrs. Sukhvir Kaur and Legal Cum Probation Officer Harwinder Kaur were present, CDP Madam Anju Singla, Principal of Senior Secondary School Drolai Bhai Madam Jaspreet Kaur, Police Department. Paramjit Kaur said that when the girl and her family members were presented before the Child Welfare Committee, the Child Committee Chairman Dr. Rajesh Puri and the committee members counseled the girl and her family members that child marriage is a crime under the law and an FIR can also be lodged against those who perform and arrange child marriages.

ADC reviews progress of various environment-friendly activities in the district

PARAMJIT SINGH JALANDHAR, JULY 1

Additional Deputy Commissioner (Urban Development) Jasbir Singh reviewed the progress of various environment-friendly activities being carried out in the district under the District Environment Plan.

While presiding over a meeting of the District Environment Committee along with Commissioner Jalandhar Municipal Corporation Gautam Jain at the District Administrative Complex here, Additional Deputy Commissioner Jasbir Singh stressed on stopping direct flow of dairies and sewage waste into Kala Sanghya Drain. He directed Jalandhar Municipal



Corporation, Punjab Pollution Control Board to take appropriate action against those polluting the drain. Apart from this, he also directed to monitor the discharge points of such villages, whose water falls directly into the drain, so that compliance with pollution control guidelines can be

ensured. The Additional Deputy Commissioner directed the officers of the Municipal Corporation, Municipal Councils and Nagar Panchayats to expedite the ongoing projects of solid waste management, legacy waste management, sanitary landfill in their respective jurisdictions and complete them at the earliest. He also stressed on the compliance of the ban on single-use plastic and stressed on the Municipal Corporation/ Council officers to ensure complete compliance of the ban instructions and spread awareness in this regard.

During the meeting, the installation of new STPs and the performance of the existing STPs were also assessed.

President of Desh Bhagat University Dr. Sandeep Singh honored by Lieutenant Governor of J&K

AJAY MALHOTRA FATEHGARH SAHIB, JULY 1

In a noteworthy recognition of his contributions to education and youth empowerment, Dr. Sandeep Singh, President of Desh Bhagat University, Punjab, was honored by Manoj Sinha, the Lieutenant Governor of Jammu & Kashmir. The felicitation took place during the Mega Job Fair 2025, held in Jammu. The event, a joint initiative by Desh Bhagat University and the Cluster University of Jammu, drew an overwhelming response from students and job seekers across the region. As Chief Guest, Manoj Sinha commended the university for launching this landmark initiative aimed at



empowering the youth through direct interaction with leading employers. This large-scale recruitment drive offered participants a valuable platform to connect with top industry representatives and explore promising career opportunities. In his keynote address, Shri Manoj Sinha praised Desh Bhagat University for its steadfast commitment to youth development. "Such job fairs

serve as vital bridges between education and employment," he remarked. "I commend Dr. Sandeep Singh and his team for this commendable initiative." Upon receiving the honor, Dr. Sandeep Singh expressed his gratitude and reiterated the university's commitment to organizing more events that align with national objectives of skill development, employability, and inclusive growth.

DC instructs owners to immediately clean garbage from vacant plots

ASHISH PURI KAPURTHALA: District Magistrate-cum-Deputy Commissioner Kapurthala Mr. Amit Kumar Panchal has issued strict instructions to all plot owners in the district to immediately clear garbage and other waste materials from their vacant plots. As per the orders under section 163 of BNS, strict action will be taken against those who do not comply with these directions as District Magistrate has made plot owners responsible for maintaining cleanliness in their plots in the interest of public health. He stated that garbage heaps and stagnant rainwater in vacant plots pose a serious threat to public health as they breed harmful bacteria and insects, increasing the risk of various diseases. He further instructed that plot owners must construct proper boundary walls or fences around their vacant plots to prevent illegal dumping of waste. Government departments have also been directed to clean garbage from vacant government land and properties under their jurisdiction. The District Magistrate has instructed the Municipal Commissioners of Phagwara and Kapurthala, as well as the Additional Deputy Commissioner (Urban Development), to strictly enforce these orders in their respective areas and ensure immediate action against violators.



NEWS BRIEF

Bangana administration
prepares monsoon disaster
management plan

JOGINDER DEV ARYA
BANGANA: In preparation for potential disasters during the monsoon season, Executive SDM Bangana Amit Sharma chaired a special meeting at the sub-divisional office on Tuesday. The meeting aimed to ensure prompt and effective response during emergencies and was attended by officials and staff from various departments. The discussion focused on preparedness for floods, landslides, heavy rainfall, and road blockages. The SDM directed all departments to remain on high alert and stressed that safeguarding human lives must be the highest priority in any disaster situation. Sharma reviewed the availability and readiness of disaster management resources and instructed departments to formulate a coordinated action plan. He emphasized the need for essential items such as boats, ropes, first-aid kits, and JCB machines to be kept ready at all times. "With the monsoon now underway, all staff must stay vigilant and be ready to fulfill their responsibilities in case of any emergency," said Sharma. At the end of the meeting, a preliminary joint action plan was drafted.

Dy CM offers
prayers at Mata
Chintpurni shrine



KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA: Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri today paid obeisance at the sacred Shaktipeeth Mata Chintpurni temple with devotion and reverence. On his way to attend the valedictory session of the two-day annual conference of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) India Region Zone-2 in Dharamshala, the Deputy CM made a stop at the revered shrine in Una district. During his visit, Agnihotri prayed for the peace, prosperity, and well-being of the people of Himachal Pradesh.

Tanda to become state's premier healthcare institution within year: CM Sukhu

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, JULY 1

Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu said that the Government is looking forward to make Dr. Rajendra Prasad Government Medical College, Tanda in Kangra as one of the finest healthcare institutions in Himachal Pradesh in the coming year. The Chief Minister held an in-depth discussion for more than three hours with department heads and faculty members of Tanda Medical College on Monday evening. He reviewed staff requirements and took feedback regarding modern medical technologies and equipments.

He said that the Government would invest Rs. 1,730 crore to equip all Medical Colleges in the State with modern technology, bringing revolutionary changes in the health sector and ensuring that people receive the best healthcare facilities within the State itself and



no longer need to travel outside for treatment. "I have held similar interactions with the Heads of different departments of IGMCM at Shimla and I want that the medical facilities in Tanda medical college would also be strengthened and prompt treatment to patients be ensured", said the Chief Minister.

The Chief Minister stressed the need to eliminate waiting periods for surgeries and diagnostic tests. He said that new departments would be opened at Tanda Medical College and high-end medical equipments will be installed to facilitate the people. In

addition, posts of paramedical staff, nurses, technicians, and other supporting personnel will be filled to ensure smooth functioning. The number of General Nursing & Midwifery (GNM) seats will be increased and B.Sc. Nursing courses will be introduced in Tanda Medical College, he added.

Sukhu said that during the past two and a half years, significant reforms in the education sector have helped the State to jump from 21st to 5th rank in the NAS-2025 survey. Similar reforms are now being implemented in the

health sector and positive outcomes will be visible soon in near future. Health Minister Dr. (Col.) Dhani Ram Shandil said that under leadership of Chief Minister, the present State Government was committed to deliver improved healthcare to the people of the State. He said that a robotic surgery machine has already been installed at Chamiyana Hospital and that Tanda Medical College would soon receive a robotic surgery machine as well. Chairman of Himachal Pradesh Tourism Development Corporation, R.S. Bali said that since Sukhu assumed the office of the Chief Minister, various significant advancements have been made at Tanda Medical College. Open heart surgeries and renal transplants have been successfully conducted for the first time, for which the patients earlier had to travel to expensive hospitals in Delhi, he said.

CM dedicates projects worth Rs.36 cr in Nagrota Bagwan



DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, JULY 1

Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu during his tour to Kangra district performed inaugurations and foundations stones of eight development projects worth Rs. 36 crore for Nagrota Bagwan assembly constituency. He inaugurated Rs. 3.10 crore Fire Post building at Nagrota Bagwan, Rs. 4.80 crore road from Malan to Gujrehra Pathiar and Sakrehar, Rs. 4.84 crore metalling and tarring of Kharat Jandrah Aerla Ropa Kardiana road and bridge over Dharoon khad to connect Kaled

with village Kari Da Bag completed with an outlay of Rs. 3.47 crore. He also laid foundation stones of Rs. 9.56 crore Rangehar Sadoon Malmu to Nera road including bridge over Nera khad and Rs. 10 crore various electrical infrastructure development works in Nagrota Bagwan area. Earlier, on his arrival at Nagrota Bagwan, the Chief Minister was accorded a rousing reception by the people. Ayush Minister Yadvinder Goma, Chairman of H.P. Tourism Development Corporation R.S. Bali, MLAs Sanjay Awasthi and Kamlesh Thakur, Vice Chairman, HRTC Ajay Verma were also present on the occasion.

Una to become new hub for athletics talent with Rs. 9.97 cr synthetic track in Rora

KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA, JULY 1

Una district is poised to take a significant leap in sports infrastructure as the Centre has approved the construction of a synthetic athletics track in Rora village of Haroli Assembly constituency at a cost of Rs. 9.97 crore. This track is expected to provide a modern, scientific training ground not just for local youth, but also for aspiring athletes from neighbouring districts. The new track adds a major boost to Una's growing sports infrastructure. Currently, the district already hosts a residential training facility run by the Department of Youth Services and Sports, offering advanced coaching to budding players. The addition of the synthetic track will especially benefit those aiming to build careers in athletics by preparing them for state, national and international competitions. Una has already earned distinction in sports, with its athletes excelling in hockey, kabaddi and para-athletics on multiple levels. This growing legacy



continues to inspire the next generation. Deputy Commissioner Jatin Lal said that ongoing development of sports facilities in Una has helped local talent shine on national and global platforms. He emphasized that such initiatives are also helping steer youth away from drug abuse and towards a more productive and positive future. Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri noted that Una has carved out a unique identity in sports, and the state government remains fully committed to strengthening that identity with scientific coaching and state-of-the-art infrastructure.

Former paramilitary personnel meets brave warrior of Operation Sindoor, boosts his morale

AVINASH CHAUHAN

AMB: Team of the Ex-Central Paramilitary Welfare Association, Una unit reached the house of Vyas Dev, a resident of village Bathu, Tehsil Haroli, District Una, Sub Inspector of Border Security Force (BSF) who displayed indomitable courage and bravery during Operation Sindoor against Pakistan in Jammu and Kashmir, to meet him and boost his morale. The team was led by Sarwan Singh, retired Assistant Commandant (Secretary, Himachal Pradesh). Vyas Dev has just returned home on leave Sub Inspector Vyas Dev had destroyed enemy posts on Pakistan's first line of defence and also achieved great success in shooting down a Pakistani drone. This operation took place under his leadership on the intervening night of 9 and 10 May. During this, he was seriously injured while fighting bravely and one of his legs had to be amputated during treatment. The passion and patriotism of Shri Vyas Dev is still as high today. He said that if the enemy makes any mistake again, he will once again stand at the border to protect the country. Seeing the amazing courage and sacrifice of this brave warrior, the former paramilitary organization has appealed to the Himachal Pradesh government that the family of Sub Inspector Vyas Dev should be given priority in government jobs.



Kargil Vijay Diwas: Indian Army honours martyr Deep Chand's family in Jahu

ANIL KUMAR

JAHU: On the occasion of Kargil Vijay Diwas, a solemn ceremony was held in Jahu town of Bhoranj sub-division to honour the memory of martyr Deep Chand, who laid down his life in service to the nation. The Indian Army paid tribute to the braveheart by felicitating his family. During the event, JCO (Junior Commissioned Officer) Ghanshyam Das, along with two other soldiers, met with Deep Chand's family and presented his wife, Kanta Devi, with a memento, a painting, and a certificate as a mark of respect for his supreme sacrifice. Speaking on the occasion, JCO Ghanshyam Das said, "Martyr Deep Chand's sacrifice will never be forgotten. He was a true hero of our nation." Expressing her gratitude, Kanta Devi said, "I am thankful to the Indian Army for remembering my husband's sacrifice and honouring our family. We are truly grateful for this gesture." The tribute reflected the enduring respect and remembrance the Indian Army continues to extend to the families of those who gave their all for the country.



SJVN signs power sale and power purchase agreements with UPPCL and NDMC

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, JULY 1

SJVN has signed a Power Sale Agreement (PSA) with Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Limited (UPPCL) for supply of power from its 900 MW Arun-III Hydro Electric Project. Concurrently, a Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) was also signed with UPPCL for supply of power from its upcoming 210 MW Luhri Stage-I and 382 MW Sunni Dam Hydro Electric Projects. The agreements were signed in august presence of Sh. Bhupender Gupta Chairman & Managing Director (Addl. Charge) and Sh. Sushil Sharma Director (Projects) at SJVN Liaison Office, New Delhi. On this occasion, Sh. Bhupender Gupta, CMD (Addl. Charge) said that these agreements mark significant step towards realizing SJVN's commitment to clean energy



transition and strengthening power infrastructure for urban consumers. The PSA was signed by Sh. R.K. Gupta Chief General Manager (Power Trading), SJVN and Sh. Deepak Raizada Director (Corporate Planning), UPPCL and the PPA was signed by Sh. Ashok Kumar, General Manager (C&SO), SJVN and Sh. Deepak Raizada, Director (Corporate Planning), UPPCL. The 900 MW Arun-III Hydro Electric Project is being developed by SJVN in Sankhuwasabha District of Nepal through its fully owned subsidiary SJVN Arun-3

Power Development Company Pvt. Ltd. (SAPDC). On commissioning the Project will generate 900 MW of clean energy and is expected to play a vital role in meeting the nation's growing power demand. The project is expected to be commissioned by FY 2027-28. The 210 MW Luhri Stage-I HEP and 382 MW Sunni Dam HEP, under construction on river Satluj in Himachal Pradesh are poised to play a crucial role in meeting the country's growing energy demand through sustainable and environment-friendly means.

Providing quality education is the priority of the state government: Rohit Thakur

SHANTI GAUTAM
BADDI, JULY 1

Education Minister Rohit Thakur emphasized that the present state government is strongly committed to strengthening and delivering quality education across Himachal Pradesh. He was addressing a public gathering after inaugurating the Block Elementary Education Officer's (BEEO) office in Baddi, Solan district.

Thakur said that education is the foundation of a better future, and the state government is bringing major reforms in the sector to ensure students benefit at every level. For this, separate directorates have been created for school and college education to enhance administrative efficiency.

Citing significant progress, the minister said



that under the leadership of Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu, Himachal Pradesh has secured 5th rank nationally in the latest National Achievement Survey (NAS) 2025 and Parakh 2025. In comparison, the state stood at 21st place in the 2021 survey during the previous government's tenure.

He added that according to the Annual Status of Education Report (ASER) 2024, Himachal Pradesh

students ranked the highest in the country for reading levels. This improvement reflects the combined efforts of the government, teachers, and students. Thakur stated that as part of reforms, the government has merged low-enrollment schools, rationalized teaching and non-teaching staff, expedited recruitment for vacant posts, and is establishing Rajiv Gandhi Day-Boarding Schools in all constituencies in a phased manner.

Residents block NH-03 at Darogan over waterlogging caused by construction company's negligence



RAJNEESH SHARMA

HAMIRPUR: Angered by the flooding of their homes and fields due to poor drainage on National Highway 03, residents of Darogan village in Bamsan tehsil staged a road blockade on Tuesday morning. The protest, which lasted for about an hour and a half, brought traffic to a standstill, leaving nearly 100 vehicles stranded on both sides of the highway. The demonstration took place in Darogan village under the Darogan Patti Kot panchayat, where locals sat on the road to express their frustration. Heavy rainfall earlier in the day had caused the highway's drainage system to overflow, with rainwater entering nearby homes and farmlands. Panchayat vice president Sanjeev, along with villagers Neelam, Omkar, Dalip, Bhakti Ram, Rikhi Ram, and Vichitra Singh, accused the highway construction company of negligence. They claimed that repeated warnings to site engineers and concerned officials about the risks posed by the faulty drainage had been ignored.

Dr. Rajeev Bindal appointed BJP state president in Himachal

DINESH AGARWAL
SHIMLA, JULY 1

As part of the BJP's nationwide organisational campaign 'Sangathan Parv - 2025', a key event was held at Hotel Peterhoff in Shimla to declare the new Himachal Pradesh BJP President and National Council Members. Union Minister Jitendra Singh formally announced the appointment of Dr. Rajeev Bindal as the new state president of the Bharatiya Janata Party.

The event saw the presence of prominent BJP leaders including National Vice President Saudan Singh, State In-Charge Srikanth Sharma, Co-In-Charge Sanjay Tandon, Union Minister Anurag Thakur, former state presidents Suresh Kashyap,



Satpal Satti, Suresh Bhardwaj, and Election Officer Dr. Rajeev Bhardwaj, along with MPs Indu Goswami and Harsh Mahajan. Acknowledging the widespread destruction caused by cloudbursts and torrential rain across Himachal Pradesh, the BJP leadership expressed their concern and condolences. BJP State General Secretary Trilok Kapoor stated that the programme was conducted in a modest

manner as a mark of respect to the ongoing tragedy, which has left four dead, 16 missing, and caused damage to homes, livestock and infrastructure. Union Minister Jitendra Singh, while addressing the gathering, took aim at the Congress party, stating that unlike BJP's internal democratic processes, Congress leadership decisions are often made in the kitchen or around the dining table.

PRO Meena Bedi given farewell after 38 years of exemplary service



AJAY KUMAR UPADHYAY

BILASPUR: District Public Relations Officer Meena Bedi retired today after an illustrious career spanning nearly four decades in the Information and Public Relations Department. A farewell ceremony was held in her honor, where Deputy Commissioner Bilaspur Rahul Kumar expressed gratitude for her dedicated service and extended best wishes for her future endeavors. Beginning her journey on 24 January 1987 as a clerk, Meena Bedi steadily rose through the ranks—becoming Senior Assistant in 2000, Assistant Public Relations Officer in 2008, and finally assuming charge as District Public Relations Officer on 5 July 2021. Over her 38 years and 5 months of service, she served with distinction across multiple districts including Hamirpur, Shimla, Una, Mandi, and Bilaspur, as well as at the Directorate level. Known for her professional acumen, unwavering dedication, and graceful demeanor, Meena Bedi earned the admiration of colleagues and officials alike. The farewell function was marked by heartfelt tributes and warm wishes from her fellow officers and staff. Present on the occasion were Assistant Commissioner Narendra Ahluwalia, APRO Hemant Negi, AIO Raj Kumar, and other members of the District Public Relations Office who lauded her legacy of commitment and integrity.

Inner Wheel Club Una honours 15 doctors on Doctors' Day at Haroli Civil Hospital

KISHORI LAL BAINS
UNA, JULY 1

On the occasion of Doctors' Day, Inner Wheel Club Una organised a special event on Tuesday at the Civil Hospital in Haroli to recognise the contribution of healthcare professionals. During the ceremony, 15 doctors were honoured with mementos for their outstanding service to society. Speaking at the event, Club President Shobha Soni said that doctors play a vital role in saving human lives and deserve heartfelt appreciation for their commitment. She extended warm wishes to all doctors on the occasion and urged them to continue giving their best for the welfare of humanity. Addressing the gathering, Block Medical Officer Dr Shingara Singh highlighted the government's objective of providing high-quality healthcare services at



people's doorsteps. He emphasised that recognising doctors' efforts boosts their morale and motivates them to serve patients with greater dedication. The programme began with the Inner Wheel prayer, followed by a welcome address by Club Secretary Amarjeet Babli. Club Vice President Sunita Sharma spoke about the purpose of the day, and member Suman Puri delivered the vote of thanks.

Dr Shingara Singh, Dr Monika Chandel, Dr Manmeet Saini, Dr Manish Chaudhary, Dr Anu Bala Chandel, Dr Pooja Rani, Dr Vandana Kajla, Dr Shivek Mohan, Dr Abhishek Sharma, Dr Ingit Parmar, Dr Sagar, Dr Manveer Singh, Dr Anshu Angra, Dr Pushpinder Rana, and Dr Rohit Vatsayan. Shobha Soni (President), Amarjeet Babli (Secretary), Sunita Sharma (Vice President), Ranjana Bakhshi (Joint Secretary), Nirupma Mahajan (Treasurer), Meera Mehta (ISO), and former presidents and members including Rama Kanwar, Suman Puri, Rajita Kasana, Rama Kalia, Anupa Thakur, and others.

NEWS BRIEF

Retired CRPF Assistant Commandant Vishamber Das passes away at 74

SANJEEV MAHAJAN NURPUR: The demise of 74-year-old retired Assistant Commandant of the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF), Vishamber Das, from Basa Gudyala village in Bhalalakh panchayat of Indora Assembly constituency, has left the local community in deep mourning. Though he passed away on June 28, residents continue to express sorrow, remembering his dedicated life of service. Born on March 13, 1951, Vishamber Das had a passion for serving the nation from an early age. Even during his school days, he was known for his



patriotic fervour and commitment to public service. At just 18 years old, he joined the CRPF in 1969 and served the nation across various regions until his retirement in 2008. Known for his courage and amiable nature, Das remained active in social service initiatives even after retiring. His passing is a great loss not only to his family—which includes his wife, two sons, and a daughter—but also to the broader community that held him in high regard. The CRPF has also expressed grief over the loss of its former officer and extended condolences to the bereaved family.

Bus overturns near Nangal on Nalagarh-Swarghat road; 11 injured, 3 critical

ANWAR HUSSAIN NALAGARH: An HRTC bus travelling from Sarkaghat to Chandigarh overturned near Gajmal on the Nalagarh-Swarghat road on Monday, leaving 11 passengers injured, three of them seriously. The accident reportedly occurred when the driver attempted to avoid a biker, causing the bus to skid and collide with a roadside parapet before overturning. The bus was carrying 47 passengers at the time of the incident. Emergency teams from Nalagarh police and health department rushed to the scene to carry out rescue operations. The injured passengers were taken to Nalagarh Civil Hospital. Three of them, whose condition is reported to be critical, are undergoing CT scans and may be referred to PGI Chandigarh if necessary.

Health Department observes Anti-Malaria Day at Sidhwan Khurd



GOGI KMAALPURIYA RAIKOT: Under the directions of Civil Surgeon Ludhiana Dr. Ramandeep Kaur Ahluwalia, "Anti-Malaria Month" was celebrated at village Sidhwan Khurd today. Giving information in this regard, Health Inspector Amandeep Singh Jagraon said that today, on the instructions of the department, a campaign has been launched to spread awareness among the people for the prevention and treatment of malaria and this Anti-Malaria and Vector Borne Disease Month is celebrated every year from 1 to 30 June. He further informed the villagers gathered in the Panchayat Ghar that malaria fever is spread by the bite of female Anopheles mosquito and symptoms of fever can appear after 7 to 30 days of mosquito bite. If any person has fever with chills and shivering, high fever, headache, fatigue and weakness after fever subsides and body sweats, then it may be malaria fever, for which a free blood test should be done from the nearest government hospital. He further informed that the test and treatment of malaria fever is done free of cost in all government hospitals.

Appointment of two new specialist doctors at Raj Hospital, further expansion in healthcare services

VERMA GURDASPUR, JULY 1

Continuing its commitment to excellence in the healthcare sector, Raj Multispecialty Hospital located at Simbal Chowk has announced the appointment of two new specialist doctors. This step is aimed at providing enhanced and more specialized medical services to the residents of the region.

Dr. Vishal Garg, a renowned Urologist, Andrologist, and Renal Transplant Surgeon, will now be offering his expert services at the hospital. Alongside him, Dr. Anupreet Kaur, a Dermatologist and Cosmetologist, has also joined the medical team. Both doctors were warmly welcomed today with floral



greetings by the hospital's Director, Dr. Richa Sharma, and the hospital staff.

Dr. Vishal Garg holds MBBS, MS (Surgery), and MCh (Urology) degrees and is a Gold Medalist. He brings extensive expertise in treating urinary tract disorders, male reproductive health, and performing kidney transplant surgeries. With his appointment, patients in Pathankot and nearby areas will now have access to advanced treatment

for urological and andrological issues without having to travel outside the district. Dr. Anupreet Kaur, also a Gold Medalist, holds degrees in MBBS, DDVD, and IADVL. She is an experienced dermatologist and cosmetologist, specializing in diagnosing and treating skin disorders as well as cosmetic procedures such as skin regeneration, acne treatment, hair loss management, and anti-aging therapies.

YAGYA DUTT SHASTRI PEHOWA, JULY 1

Due to heavy rains in the hilly area, the Markanda river is flowing above the danger point. On Tuesday morning, 11000 cusecs of water was flowing in the Markanda river which was touching the embankments of the Markanda river. Due to the terrible surge in the Markanda river there was a state of fear among the camp residents and farmers settled on the banks of the river. In July 2023 also, due to the surge in the Markanda river, the river water broke the embankment near village Naisi and entered the fields. Due to which thousands of acres of paddy crop of the farmers were destroyed and many residents had to face a lot of trouble. Apart from this,



the roads of the area were badly damaged. Once again, the people of the area are nervous due to the surge in the Markanda river since late Monday night. Many farmers have even started performing Havan of the Markanda river so that the surge in the

Markanda river can calm down and there was no damage to the area. However, according to the information received from the Canal Department, the water level of the Markanda River was expected to decrease due to less rainfall in the hilly areas. Due to which the farmers and camp dwellers have heaved a sigh of relief. When talked to JE Praveen Kumar of Canal Department, he said that the Canal Department was continuously patrolling the Markanda River. Weak embankments were being monitored. The department was ready to deal with any kind of situation. Regarding the water level, he said that on Tuesday 11000 cusecs of water was flowing in the Markanda River which was above the danger mark.



YAGYA DUTT SHASTRI PEHOWA: A tree plantation campaign was organized in Jhaansa village under the chairmanship of Vinod Pal Holkar, president of Youth Blood Donation Society and Devi Ahilyabai Holkar Research Development Center on Tuesday. Under this, saplings were planted at many places in the village. On this occasion, Vinod Pal said that more and more trees should be planted in the rainy season as the plants turned green quickly in such a season. He said that they should plant trees and took care of these in the memory of their grandparents, parents and martyred great men. Planting more and more trees purifies the environment. On this occasion, plants were also distributed among the villagers. Pradeep Sharma, Sukhraj Bhatti, Sandeep Luthra, Naresh Verma, Rajendra Grover, Sachin Pal were present on this occasion.

97,000 criminals convicted in UP under CM Yogi's 'Operation Conviction'

AGENCY LUCKNOW, JULY 1

Uttar Pradesh's law and order landscape has transformed under Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath's zero-tolerance policy. Moving beyond arrests, the state police--working under his direct supervision--are now focused on securing swift convictions through fast-track prosecution. Launched on July 1, 2023, Operation Conviction has proven to be a game-changer in this regard, leading to the conviction of 97,158 criminals between July 2023 and mid-June 2025, the Chief Minister's office said in a press release. ADG Prosecution Deepesh Juneja informed that out of 1,14,029 identified cases, 74,388 cases were disposed of, and



convictions were secured in 69,422 cases--underscoring the administration's commitment to turning action into results. Under the campaign, 68 criminals were sentenced to death, 8,172 received life imprisonment, 1,453 were sentenced to over 20 years, and 87,465 were given up to 20 years' imprisonment. This data demonstrates the

government's commitment to delivering swift and decisive justice, particularly in cases involving serious crimes.

Targeting organised crime, 395 accused were convicted in 272 cases involving the top 10 notorious criminals. In a major success against the mafia, 29 out of 69 identified mafias were convicted, reaffirming that the

crackdown is not limited to petty offenders. The campaign has also delivered results in cases of crimes against children. Under the POC SO Act, 17 accused were sentenced to death, including 3 in a single month, and 619 received life imprisonment. Of the 68 total death penalties, 17 were under POC SO, 48 for heinous crimes, and three under the ACL Act. On average, 143 identified cases were resolved, and 187 criminals were convicted each working day. This is a strong testament to the Yogi government's resolve to make Uttar Pradesh a safer state. Earlier, CM Yogi Adityanath on June 28 held a Janta Darshan at the Gorakhnath Temple, where he met people and listened to their grievances.

DC Uttam Singh reaches night stay in Jokhara village, hears complaints of villagers

MAINPAL KASHYAP INDRI, JULY 1

In compliance with the instructions of Haryana Chief Minister Naib Singh Saini, DC Uttam Singh of Karnal arrived in Panjokhara village of Indri for the night stay. Here he heard the problems of the villagers and resolved these on the spot. During this, he said that the villages those have funds near the gram panchayat were being considered to build a library. For this, a unified model was being prepared for the entire district. After this model was ready and the first library will be built in Panjokhara village. During this, SP Gangaram Poonia, ADC Sonu Bhatt and SDM Ashok Munjal were also present.

During the night stay, Sarpanch Deepak Kumar welcomed DC Uttam Singh and ADC Sonu Bhatt. After this, he heard the problems of the villagers in turn.



During this time various problems were submitted by the villagers. Some of these problems were resolved on the spot while some problems were given to the officials of the concerned departments to take immediate action.

DC Uttam Singh said that an attempt would be made to upgrade the school of this village under the rule so that children can take advantage of it. Along with this, he said that the village has to be kept away from drugs. If there was a drug -

free village, the youth will move forward. He called upon the students to read more and more and prepare for competition examinations. He said that the people of the village should go ahead and cooperate in the progress of their village.

During the night migration program the villagers demanded a gym. On this, DC Uttam Singh instructed the BDPO to take action by checking the feasibility as soon as possible.

Officers should keep preparations completed for Kaithal Marathon: DC



RANVIR PARASHAR KAITHAL: DC Preeti said that on July 13, Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini will flag off marathon in Kaithal. Officers should complete their preparations for this Marathon 2025 in time. Route plan for main event venue and marathon should be finalized as soon as possible, so that arrangements can be made accordingly. All officers should get maximum registration of all subordinate employees of their respective departments, school and college students, social organizations, volunteers and general public. Also, voluntary organizations, progressive farmers, youth, groups doing something special in district should participate in this marathon enthusiastically. If you have your art and any special skill on the marathon route, then you can set up a stall to display it. DC was giving directions to concerned officers after VC held from Chandigarh in video conference room of Mini Secretariat. She said that on July 13, Haryana Chief Minister Naib Singh Saini will flag off Kaithal Half Marathon based on theme Drug Free Haryana. ADC Deepak Babulal Karwa has been appointed as nodal officer for successful and grand organization of this program. Joint committee of ADC, SDM Kaithal, DSP Head Quarter and DSP Traffic will inspect spot and determine route.

Rain havoc continues, CM Sukhu inspects the situation

DHANAJY AGGARWAL DHARAMSHALA: Chief Minister Sukhwinder Singh Sukhu on Tuesday took stock of the rising water level in the Beas river. He inspected the condition of the bridge and the surrounding area on the river at Bhadoli in Kangra district. The Chief Minister inquired about the current situation from the officials and gave them necessary instructions. During this, Ayush Minister Yadavendra Goma, Kangra Deputy Commissioner Hemraj Berwa, Kangra Superintendent of Police Shalini Agnihotri and many other officials were also present. The purpose of this visit of the Chief Minister was to take stock of the preparations to deal with a possible flood-like situation. Due to the rising water level of the Beas river, people living in low-lying areas need to be alert. The administration has appealed to the people to stay away from rivers and streams and be prepared for any emergency. The Meteorological Center has predicted continuous rain for Himachal Pradesh for the next seven days. Out of these, an orange alert has been issued for heavy rain for five days, while there will be a yellow alert for two days. According to the Meteorological Department, light to moderate rain is expected in most parts of the state on July 1, 2, 3, 6 and 7. At the same time, rain is expected at many places in Himachal Pradesh on July 4 and 5. Orange alert has been issued for Hamirpur, Una, Kangra, Mandi, Solan and Sirmour districts, which means that these districts may receive heavy rains and people have been advised to be cautious. The Meteorological Department has not predicted any major change in the maximum temperature of the state during the next 24 hours.

AAP Sarpanch robbed by drug addicts with sharp weapons in broad daylight in Nabha

RAKESH JINDAL NABHA, JULY 1

There was a sensation in Nabha city when three robbers attacked Jagtar Singh, the Sarpanch of Aam Aadmi Party in village Paliya Kala of Nabha block, and looted around Rs 45,000 and fled the scene. On one hand, the Sarpanch of the Aam Aadmi Party is undergoing treatment in the government hospital of Nabha and on the other hand, the robbers who attacked the Sarpanch and looted him are walking limping in the police custody. They were the robbers who attacked the Sarpanch and looted about 45 thousand rupees from him and fled. The robbers felt that no one would catch them now because they had gone 35 kilometers from the scene of the incident. But Nabha Kotwali SHO Sarabjit Singh Cheema showed courage and reached the spot with a police party and arrested 2 robbers from Amlah constituency. Both these robbers have been identified as Joban Singh and Jagjit Singh, while Karamjit Singh is out of the police's custody. On this occasion, the victim Sarpanch Jagtar Singh said that first of all, I am very grateful to SHO Sarabjit Singh Cheema, who arrested the



robbers who attacked me and robbed me of money within an hour. He said that when I was riding a motorcycle from Nabha on the rocky road, they surrounded me and robbed me of money, after which they attacked me with sharp weapons, one of them is from my village Paliya, who had covered his face. On this occasion, SHO of Nabha Kotwali Sarabjit Singh Cheema said that when we came to know about the robbery incident, we did not get any MLR from the hospital.

KU VC launches auto appeal system to empower students digitally

DALBIR MALIK KURUKSHETRA, JULY 1

Kurukshetra University, in a significant step towards streamlining student services, formally launched the Auto Appeal System (AAS) portal on Tuesday under the leadership of Vice Chancellor Prof. Som Nath Sachdeva. During the launch of this portal, Prof. Sachdeva remarked that this initiative by the university is a strong step towards realizing the goals of "Digital India" and ensuring "Good Governance." Prof Sachdeva added that the portal will provide students--regardless of their location--with transparent, fast, and easily accessible services. Controller of Examinations Dr. Ankeshwar Prakash



informed that through this portal, students will now be able to digitally access services and information related to Inter-University Migration Certificates, Provisional Certificates, and other academic services. Dr. Ankeshwar Prakash informed that the process of issuing migration certificates had already been made fully online via the university's website as of July 18, 2023. Now, in accordance with the directions of the Haryana

Government, this service has been integrated under the Right to Service Act and is also available on the Saral Portal. Dr Prakash added that Kurukshetra University is the first institute to implement this service under the Act, marking a commendable and pioneering initiative. Registrar Lt. Dr. Virender Pal, Dr. Ankeshwar Prakash, and officials from the certificate section including Raj Kumar, Rajesh, and Nitin were present on the occasion.

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Solution camps are being organized every Monday and Thursday: Uttam Singh

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL: DC Uttam Singh said that as per the instructions of state government, solution camps are being organized every Monday and Thursday from 10 am to 12 noon in all the sub-division offices including the Mini Secretariat in district. He said that in these solution camps, complaints related to electricity, water, family identity card, old age pension and other related issues are being heard on spot and problems are being resolved and necessary guidelines are being given to officers related to problems. He said that citizens can get their problems resolved in solution camps organized on Monday and Thursday from 10 am to 12 noon in all sub-division offices including Mini Secretariat. He said that purpose of solution camp is to solve problems of citizens.

Citizens join hands in park rallies across state to improve sex ratio

BUREAU CHANDIGARH, JULY 1

In a renewed push to improve the sex ratio in Haryana, the Health and Women and Child Development Departments have launched an intensified state-wide ‘Beti Bachao-Beti Padhao’ campaign. As part of this initiative, awareness rallies and marches are being organized in public parks across the state. Each rally prominently displays banners featuring the sex ratio of the respective district, aimed at fostering public engagement and strengthening the social message of valuing the girl child.

Additionally, the Women and Child Development Department is also undertaking dedicated campaigns on the social media handles of all Deputy Commissioners in the state to further amplify the message.

With such persistent efforts, Haryana’s sex ratio has improved to 906 during the period of January 1 to June 30, 2025, up from 904 in the corresponding period last year.

The information was given during the weekly meeting of the State Task Force (STF) for Improving Sex Ratio in Haryana held under the chairmanship

of Additional Chief Secretary, Health and Family Welfare, Sh. Sudhir Rajpal here today. The meeting focused on intensifying efforts to curb illegal abortions and further improve the state’s sex ratio under the ‘Beti Bachao-Beti Padhao’ campaign.

During the meeting, the Additional



Chief Secretary mandated intensified enforcement against illegal abortions, with a clear directive for officials to pursue strict punitive action, including cancellation of licence, for any doctors found complicit. In one such recent case, a hospital in Hisar had its MTP (Medical Termination of Pregnancy) licence revoked for illegal abortion activities.

The Additional Chief Secretary

directed officials to organize birth registration camps in economically disadvantaged areas and emphasized the need for widespread public awareness campaigns to inform residents about these drives, ensuring that all unregistered children are brought into the official system. The concerned Programme Officers (ICDS) were told to compile lists of unregistered children in consultation with local Anganwadi workers by next week.

The Additional Chief Secretary emphasized enhanced surveillance of Community Health Centres (CHCs) and held Senior Medical Officers (SMOs) accountable for any illegal practices reported in their jurisdictions. He warned that non-compliant SMOs would face disciplinary action, including being barred from leaving their stations, and directed the creation of a blacklist for such officers.

The officials were also directed to keep surveillance on suspected IVF centres carrying out PGT (Preimplantation Genetic Testing) and indulging in sex-determination activities. The Additional Chief Secretary also directed intensifying action and raids in the districts falling behind in sex ratio.

Governor Acharya Devvrat virtually inaugurates newly built gaushala



HANS RAJ KURUKSHETRA, JULY 1

Gurukul Kurukshetra is doing great work towards building the future of the youth as well as building a strong nation and an aware society. In this series, today the Governor of Gujarat Acharya Devvrat virtually inaugurated the ‘Lala Jyoti Prasad Gaushala, Breed Improvement and Research Center’ at the natural agricultural farm of Gurukul located at Kainthla. On this occasion, Lady Governor Darshana Devi, OSD to Governor Dr. Rajendra Vidyalankar, Principal of Gurukul Rajkumar Garg, Director of Gurukul Nilokheri Jagdish Arya, Director of Gurukul Jyotisar Shivkumar Arya, Director of Aryakulam Mahendra Arya, Scientific Officer from NIT Yogveer Singh Lamba, Head Teacher of DAV Public School Manisha Lamba, Gaurav Arya, Kavita Chaudhary from Chamanvatika Kanya Gurukul, Director of Gurukul Kurukshetra Brigadier Dr. Praveen Kumar, Ritu Sharma, Principal Sube Pratap and other dignitaries were present.

The Governor, who joined the function virtually, said that Gurukul Kurukshetra is doing important work in the direction of cow breed improvement, here while the foreign breed cow gives 53 liters of milk per day, 22 liters of milk per day has also been recorded from the indigenous breed cows. He congratulated the Gurukul management for the newly

constructed cowshed. The Governor said that today people have forgotten the usefulness of the indigenous breed of cows, due to which cows are seen on the roads, but in natural farming, farmers will be economically prosperous by producing quality grains, fruits, vegetables from the dung and urine of the indigenous cows, and the condition of the cows will also improve. He said that this newly built cowshed of Gurukul will develop as an advanced historical cowshed of India, here many researches will be done on indigenous cows, work will be done on the breed improvement of indigenous cows like Gir, Rathi, Red Sindhi, Tharparkar, Haryanvi, Sahiwal etc. and by increasing milk production, they will be made profitable for the cattle farmers. He said that with the efforts of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, sex sorted semen is being made available in the country at a very low price, due to which maximum female calves will be born in cows and their milk production will also be more. This campaign of cow breed improvement along with natural farming by Gurukul Kurukshetra will initiate a new revolution in the entire country. In the programme, young Bhajanopadeshak Jaswinder Arya of Ved Prachar Vibhaag made the youth aware of natural farming by singing Bhajans dedicated to Mother Cow and natural farming. In the end, Dr. Rajendra Vidyalankar expressed his gratitude to Acharyashree on behalf of Gurukul management.

If common man suffers loss due to lack of water drainage, concerned officer will not be spared: DC

DALBIR MALIK KURUKSHETRA: Deputy Commissioner Neha Singh said that if any person suffers loss due to lack of water drainage, strict action will be taken against concerned officer and report of that officer will be sent to headquarters. After completing ongoing works related to water drainage and flood relief in this season, report will be sent within 2 days. Officers of all concerned departments will also ensure to submit certificate of completion of work within 7 days. She was addressing a meeting of officers regarding drainage of rainwater in auditorium of the Mini Secretariat today.

Earlier, DC took feedback from executive engineers of Haryana Saraswati Heritage Development Board, Irrigation Department, Public Works Department, Public Health Department, NAHI, Marketing Board about work done so far regarding water drainage and said that complaints of lack of water drainage related to all departments are being received continuously. He said that complaints are being received about non-drainage of rainwater from villages Khanpur Kolia, Kanipla, Masana, Kaserla, Mohri, Thol, Jhandehdi, Harman City as well as urban areas. To resolve all these complaints, SDM and officers of concerned area will inspect spot and ensure drainage of water. He said that officers of all departments will ensure immediate cleaning of drains and culverts and submit its report to administration. All officers will take this matter seriously and will monitor every situation by staying in field. If negligence is found at any level, then concerned officer will not be spared under any circumstances. If water is not drained due to negligence of officers in this district, then report of that officer will be sent personally to ACS of concerned department.

DC solves problems of people on spot during overnight stay in Panjokhra village

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, JULY 1

In compliance with instructions of Haryana Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini, Karnal DC Uttam Singh reached Panjokhra village of Indri for overnight stay on Monday evening. He heard problems of villagers and resolved them on spot. He said that it is being considered to build a library in villages whose Gram Panchayat has funds. For this, a unified model is being prepared for entire district. After preparation of this model, first library will be built in Panjokhra village. SP Gangaram Poonia, ADC Sonu Bhatt and SDM Ashok Munjal were also present. Sarpanch Deepak Kumar welcomed DC Uttam Singh and ADC Sonu Bhatt. After this, he listened to problems of villagers one by one. Various problems were raised by villagers. Some of these problems were resolved on spot while some problems were given to officials of concerned departments for immediate action. DC said that efforts will be made to upgrade school of this village as per rules so



that children of village and surrounding areas can take advantage of it. He also said that village has to be kept away from drugs. If village is drug-free, youth will progress. He called upon students to study as much as possible and prepare for competitive examinations. He said that people of village should come forward and cooperate in progress of their village. Villagers demanded to build a gym. DC directed the BDPO to check feasibility as

soon as possible and take action. He said that night stay program is a powerful medium to listen to problems of common people at their doorsteps and solve them effectively. Whatever problems related to village have come up in this program, they will be resolved. District administration is always ready to serve public. DC congratulated villagers for having a drug-free village. He said that we have to save our future generation from drugs.

Dr. Rajiv Dua, Satyam Dua honoured on Doctors’ Day

RAHUL KOHLI YAMUNANAGAR: Dr Rajiv Dua and Satyam Dua were honoured on the occasion of Doctor’s Day. A special felicitation ceremony was organised on Doctor’s Day at Dua Hospital, Jagadhri in which Dr. Rajiv Dua and his son Satyam Dua were specially honoured by Central Bank manager Dinesh Kumar, Kamaljit Singh and other staff members by presenting a shawl and bouquet. This honour was given to Doctors by the bank. Bank manager Dinesh said that the dedication and loyalty shown in the field of excellent work and medical service in the medical field is an inspiration for the society. The selflessness with which Dr. Rajiv Dua and his son Satyam Dua have served the patients is commendable. Bank employees and hospital staff of the area also participated in this felicitation ceremony.



Only the teacher can give a positive atmosphere to class: S.P. Mehta



KAMAL SHARMA TARAORI: An internal capacity building programme was organised in Narsingh Das Public School, Taraori. S.P. Mehta, who was the principal of Dyal Singh Public School, specially participated in it. He made the teachers aware of the essential elements of effective teaching. He said that it is very important for the teacher to have complete knowledge about the subject taught in the class. Only by making the subject interesting can the teacher give a positive atmosphere to the class. It is necessary to involve every student in practical work. After studying the subject, it is very important to take feedback and problems related to the subject from the students. Only by keeping these things in mind, the teacher can make teaching effective. School director Dharmendra Kheda expressed his views on the subject of essential instructions of the question paper format. He said that the question paper should be clear, concise and easy to understand for the students. Clear instructions should be given for all the questions. So that the students know what they have to do. The questions should be arranged in such a manner that the students can easily go from one question to another.

Yoga and cleanliness cure diseases: Garg

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL: Kalpana Chawla Medical College Director Dr. MK Garg has said that along with staying healthy, it is important to include yoga in daily routine. Through yoga people get help in staying healthy. He said that stress is relieved by yoga which increases our efficiency. He especially said that everyone should play an important role in spreading yoga to masses in society. He was speaking in Chai Pe Charcha program organized in park located at Karnal Tal. Coordinator of program Rajesh Kaushik welcomed all guests. He told that he organizes Chai Pe Charcha program through his group. Issues related to people are discussed. Yoga teacher and Swasth Bharat Abhiyan’s leader Naveen Sanduja made people do yoga in this program. Kalpana Chawla Medical College’s director Dr. MK Garg gave information to people about medical college. He said that Kalpana Chawla

Medical College is for service of people of Karnal. High quality health services are provided here. He also planted a sapling here. Kaushik said that his organization is working in service of people. Such programs will be organized



more often. Yoga teacher Pradeep Kamboj also welcomed guests. Yoga teacher Naveen Sanduja said that he has been associated with yoga organization for last 25 years. He has been spreading awareness about yoga as a yoga teacher for last several years. His yoga classes are going on continuously.

CM Nayab Saini lauds young international sqay martial arts champion Akshir Singh

HANS RAJ KURUKSHETRA, JULY 1:

Haryana Chief Minister Nayab Saini met young international sqay martial arts player Akshir Singh Kush at his residence in Sant Kabir Kutir on Monday and praised his outstanding achievements at the global level. The Chief Minister watched clips of the athlete’s performances and encouraged him to continue his hard work, expressing confidence that Akshir would bring further glory to both the state and the nation.

Akshir Singh Kush, only 15 years old, made the country proud by winning two silver medals at the 2024 World Sqay Championship held in Tashkent, Uzbekistan. In recognition of this achievement, Union Sports Minister Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya had earlier honoured him.

Recently, Akshir secured a gold medal at



the International Sqay Championship held in Moscow, Russia, once again bringing laurels to India and Haryana. Chief Minister Saini congratulated the young athlete for his international success at such a young age and extended his best wishes for future competitions.

Haryana Western Province Bharat Vikas Parishad workshop concludes

MANMOHAN SHARMA HANSI, JULY 1

The provincial workshop of Haryana Western Province Bharat Vikas Parishad successfully concluded under the hospitality of the branch. 230 accountable persons from 30 branches participated in the local Shri Panchayati Ramila Auditorium and received important guidance related to branch operations and various activities. National Convenor Sanskar Mukesh Jain was the chief guest of the workshop and regional president Dr. Paramjeet Pahwa was the president of the program and was present and guided by him. National Co-convenor Sanskar K.K. Arora and National Member Seva Mahipal Yadav infused positive energy in everyone with their dignified presence. On behalf of the region, Regional Organization Secretary Jiyalal Bansal, Regional Activity Coordinator Sam-

park Dheeraj Bhatia, Regional Activity Coordinator Sanskar Hariom Bhardwaj, Regional Activity Coordinator Seva Kamlesh Garg, Regional Activity Coordinator Mahila Sahyog Dr. Anjali Bharti, Regional Activity Coordinator Environment Dr. Satish Verma provided useful information to the branch responsibilities about the organization and various activities to be done in the branches in a better way and the protocol related to these.

Provincial President Rajesh Gupta threw light on the objective of the workshop and appealed to everyone to follow the guidance received in the workshop while running the branch. Chief Guest Mukesh ji in his address informed the responsibilities present in the auditorium in detail about the goals and objectives of the council, protocol and sanskar. He said that the member of the council represents the council. In

such a situation, it is our responsibility to send a positive message to the society through our works of service and culture and promote mutual harmony. Programme President Dr. Paramjeet Pahwa, while emphasising on preparing workers at the branch level, said that in the journey from member to worker, the branch in-charges should support the members in every possible way and create a mature worker. Regional Organization Secretary Jiyalal Bansal explained the subject of the organisation to all the in-charges and made them aware of the role of in-charges in the expansion of the branch and province.

In the closing session, the conclusion of the entire workshop was presented by the State President Rajesh Gupta and after free thinking, all the in-charges received the guidance of Mukesh Jain. The vote of thanks was presented

by the Branch President of Hansi Branch Dayanand Mehta. The branch also provided a plant symbolising the environment to the visiting guests and a beautiful kit to all the participating stakeholders. On this occasion Kailash Sharma, Ashok Sharma, Ravindra Mehta, Hukum Chand Goyal, Ashok Gupta, Ramniwas Verma, Anoop Kumar, Chandramohan Goyal, Mrs. Rekha Gupta, D.N. Mehta, S.C. Ahuja, Jagdish Dhamija, Kamlesh Garg, Subhash Garg, Bharat Singh, Satbir Kaushik, Surendra Goyal, M.L. Valecha, Ashwani Popli, Anil Charaya, Vivek Goyal, Dr. Virendra Ahuja, Dr. Rakesh Bhardwaj, Pramod Thakral, Pramod Kumar, Raj Kumar Manchanda, Rahul Khurana, Prem Khurana, Surendra Nath Sharma, Vinod Goldy, Narendra Verma, Tejghan Verma, Sanjay Sidhar etc. were present. This information was given by the branch secretary.

CHAMAN LAL KARNAL, JULY 1

Haryana Sikh Gurdwara Management Committee is taking care of the historical Gurdwaras of Haryana very carefully. In the holy place of Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib, Gurdwara Sheesh Ganj Sahib, Taraori, Karnal, the inn and office prepared by Jathedar Baba Joga Singh of Kar Seva Delhi was handed over to the Sikh Sangat by Haryana Sikh Gurdwara Management Committee and Sikh Sangat with the cooperation of Jathedar Baba Bachan Singhi and the foundation stone of the new Darshani Deorhi was laid. At this time, Huzuri Ragi Bhai Gurdev Singh Kuhara of Sachkhand Shri Darbar Sahib Amritsar Sahib addressed the present Sangat and performed many types of Kirtans. Dharm Prachar Haryana Sikh Gurdwara Management Committee Chairman and famous Sikh preacher Jathedar Baljit Singh Daduwal mentioned the services being done by great men in Kar Seva and appealed to the Sikh Sangat to support them with body, mind and money.



He said that the Gurus have always given the message of the welfare of humanity. The ceremony was also addressed by Sardar Jagdish Singh Jhinda, President of Haryana Sikh Gurdwara Prabandhak Committee, Senior Vice President Sardar Gurmeet Singh Ramsar, Junior Vice President Sardar Gurbir Singh Talakour, Chairman of Langar Purchase Wing Sardar Swarn Singh Bunga Tibbi. Baba Gulab Singh also addressed the ceremony. On this occasion, Baba Dilbagh Singh Kar Seva Anandpur Sahib, Sant Mahesh Muni Kurukshetra, Baba Baldev Singh Muksar Sahib, Senior Member Sardar



Rajinder Singh Barara Chairman NRI Wing, Jathedar Baldev Singh Habdi Chairman Employee Welfare Wing, Chairman Gulab Singh Mookan Former Deputy Secretary, Sarpanch Bhupinder Singh Ladi Saukra, Manager Pritam Meet Rukhsan, Giani Suba Singh Taraori Incharge Dharm Prachar Sub Office Jind, Chief Granthi Bhai Gurpreet Singh, Storyteller Bhai Pargat Singh Gaugrah at this time, Giani Amritpal Singh Manji Sahib, Giani Gurminder Singh Rattak were also present. Guru ka Langar was served. At the end, everyone was honoured by presenting Siropa.

EDITORIAL

India’s lonely war on terror

India has been virtually waging a lonely battle against cross-border terrorism with little or no help even from those nations that make lofty claims about commitment to combating global terrorism. Though New Delhi has been a victim of Pakistan-sponsored terrorism for decades, it was only after the 9/11 terror strikes in the heart of America that the international community, particularly the Western countries, woke up to the seriousness of the problem. But, then, there has been a stunning duplicity when it comes to denouncing terror acts that have roots in Pakistan. The deliberations at the recent meeting of the Defence Ministers of the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) in Qingdao, China, once again proved that India should not rely on multilateral forums in its fight against terrorism. The meeting omitted any reference to the horrific terror attack in Kashmir’s Pahalgam on April 22. India, represented by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, did the right thing by refusing to sign the SCO joint statement and insisting that the statement must explicitly mention the Pahalgam attack to highlight the ongoing threat of terrorism in the region. It is clear that Pakistan used its clout to block the proposal. What is more shocking is that the joint statement included references to militant activities in the restive Balochistan province. This blatant duplicity shows that the SCO meeting skewed the outcome in favour of Pakistan’s narrative. The experience is a reminder that India’s war on terror has been a lonely battle in the past and will remain so in the future.

Unfortunately, the global community has so far failed to achieve consensus on dealing with the menace of terrorism. While the SCO has often projected itself as a Eurasian pillar of security cooperation, the inability to agree on the definition or mention of terrorism — especially after a daredevilry attack targeting tourists of a particular religion — renders that claim increasingly hollow. India’s refusal to endorse the final statement reflects not just New Delhi’s firm stance but also the limits of multilateralism. Cross-border terrorism emanating from Pakistan is one of the major concerns of India. But, Islamabad continues to be in a denial mode and hoodwinks the international community through obfuscation and a smokescreen of counter-terrorism measures. China’s vague characterisation of the meeting as having “achieved successful results” only sharpens the contrast between public diplomacy and private dysfunction. Beijing, keen to preserve the image of SCO unity, may prefer ambiguity over substance, but that posture also weakens the organisation’s credibility. If SCO defence ministers cannot even acknowledge the targeting of civilians in a terrorist attack, holding such meetings becomes pointless as they only serve empty symbolism.

Vague and ambiguous statements and photo opportunities are no substitute for actionable solidarity. If counter-terrorism cannot be a unifying pillar, then a question mark hangs over the core objectives of the SCO.

Shubhanshu conducts muscle stem cell research on ISS

Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) astronaut and Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla, currently aboard the International Space Station (ISS) as part of the Axiom Mission 4 (Ax-4), conducted a series of scientific experiments on Monday focused on muscle health, digestion in space, and astronaut mental well-being. According to NASA, Shukla worked inside the Kibo laboratory’s Life Sciences Glovebox to study how muscle stem cells behave in microgravity.

He also recorded an educational video for Indian school students explaining how the human digestive system adapts in space. NASA said, "Indian astronaut Shubhanshu Shukla filmed a video targeted to young Indian students discussing how the digestion system adapts to space. Next, Shukla worked in Kibo’s Life Science Glovebox checking muscle stem cell cultures to learn how to maintain muscle health in space." The Life Sciences Glovebox is a sealed and sterile workspace aboard the ISS that allows astronauts to safely handle biological samples in microgravity. It is large enough to allow two astronauts to work together and is used for experiments requiring clean conditions. According to NASA, ISRO’s experiment, Myogenesis, investigates how muscle cells regenerate in space. Astronauts tend to lose muscle mass during extended missions, partly due to microgravity disrupting the function of mitochondria, the part of the cell responsible for energy production.



The study involves testing certain metabolic supplements to see if they can improve muscle repair in microgravity. Results from the research may help in developing treatments for age-related muscle loss or muscle-wasting diseases on Earth, in addition to improving astronaut health during long-duration spaceflights. NASA explained the purpose, saying, "Astronauts lose muscle mass and

the ability of muscle cells to regenerate during spaceflight, which may be due to microgravity interfering with metabolism in mitochondria, cell structures that produce energy.

The Effect of Metabolic Supplements on Muscle Regeneration Under Microgravity (Myogenesis - ISRO) investigation on the Axiom 4 (Ax-4) private astronaut mission uses muscle

stem cell cultures to examine the muscle repair process and test chemicals known to support mitochondrial function. Results could lead to interventions that maintain muscle health during long-term space missions and help people on Earth with muscle-related challenges such as age-related muscle loss and muscle-wasting diseases." Other Ax-4 crew members also contributed to

scientific research. Mission Commander Peggy Whitson used the Ultrasound 2 device to perform vein scans on Hungarian astronaut Tibor Kapu, to help understand how space affects blood pressure, balance, and vision. According to NASA, the Ultrasound 2 on the International Space Station (ISS) is a modified commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) ultrasound system that provides high-resolution ultrasound images of target areas in the human body. Polish astronaut Sławosz Uznanski-Wisniewski tested a brain-computer interface using a special headset developed by the European Space Agency (ESA). He later joined Whitson and Shukla in filming content for an astronaut mental health study.

NASA stated, "The Thoughts over Gravity, a Test of Using fNIRS-based Brain, Computer Interface in LEO Conditions (PhotonGrav) investigation verifies the effectiveness of near-infrared technology (fNIRS) in low Earth orbit to record brain activity for constructing brain-computer interfaces (BCI) operated in the microgravity environment." Commenting on the crew’s schedule, NASA said, "The Ax-4 private astronauts had a science-packed Monday fulfilling research objectives for their home countries." The Ax-4 mission is taking place alongside the activities of the ISS’s regular Expedition 73 crew. While Ax-4 focuses on privately funded science, Expedition 73 astronauts continue to work on NASA- and ESA-backed research.

Over 50,000 evacuated as Turkiye battles Izmir wildfires for second day



Turkiye continued to fight intense wildfires for a second straight day on Monday in its western province of Izmir, prompting the evacuation of more than 50,000 residents from 41 affected areas, Al Jazeera reported, citing local authorities. As per Al Jazeera, citing Turkish Forestry Minister Ibrahim Yumakli, strong overnight winds, reaching 40-50 km/h (25-30 mph), fuelled the fires in the Kuyucak and Doganbey regions with over 1,000 personnel, along with helicopters, firefighting aircraft, and ground vehicles involved in the firefighting efforts. The

Turkish disaster agency AFAD later confirmed on X that more than 50,000 people had been temporarily relocated, mostly from areas near Izmir, a popular resort region.

"A total of over 50,000 citizens from 41 settlements have been temporarily relocated to safe areas," AFAD stated on X. Due to the spreading fire, operations at Izmir’s Adnan Menderes Airport were suspended, with visuals showing thick smoke, scorched hills, and helicopters dropping water, while residents used tractors equipped with water tanks to combat the flames, as reported by Al

Jazeera.

Earlier efforts were hampered when high winds grounded helicopters, leaving water-bombing planes and ground crews to contain the fire.

The initial blaze started on Sunday between the Seferihisar and Menderes districts. The fire rapidly expanded with wind gusts up to 117 km/h (75 mph), Al Jazeera stated, citing the Governor of Izmir, Suleyman Elban. Another fire erupted at a landfill site in Gaziemir, just 13 km (8 miles) from central Izmir, spreading into nearby forest areas and threatening the Otokent industrial zone, where multiple car dealerships are located, as reported by Al Jazeera. Turkiye’s coastal areas have also experienced increasing wildfire threats in recent years due to hotter, drier summers, conditions scientists attribute to climate change. The same region in Izmir suffered a major wildfire just last year.

Drug addiction, unemployment behind rising youth suicides in Afghan provinces

At least two recent cases of suicide in Nangarhar and Kandahar provinces have brought renewed focus on growing mental health issues among Afghan youth, with drug addiction, domestic violence, and unemployment cited as leading causes, TOLO News reported. One of the victims, Abdul Haq, a resident of Chaparhar district in Nangarhar, hanged himself at home, leaving behind two orphaned children. Family members told TOLO News that he struggled with mental illness and drug addiction and had been hospitalised several times. "He was addicted to drugs. When I realised it, he had already left home twice, but I brought him back," said his father, Noorurrahman. "I brought him back a third time as well and took him to the hospital, where he received treatment. However, after returning home, he left again."

His brother, Samiullah, added, "Two days had passed since he hanged himself before the neighbours informed us. We went and brought back his body, arranged for his shroud, coffin, and burial." According to official data



cited by TOLO News, several suicide cases have been reported in recent weeks. On the 17th of Jawza (solar calendar), a young man named Abdullah Abid in Uruzgan, and on the 7th of Saratan, Fida Mohammad in Kandahar, died by suicide due to economic and mental stress. Similarly, in Pakitika province’s Barmal district, a young man named Allah Noor and his fiancée took their own lives because they couldn’t afford the dowry. Religious scholars and mental health experts have expressed concern over the trend. Abdulrahman, a religious scholar in Nangarhar, said, "The Prophet’s sayings clearly prohibit suicide.

Anyone who commits suicide is held accountable in this world and in the hereafter." Dr. Amir Pamir, a physician in Nangarhar, told TOLO News that many suicides are linked to mental health challenges and psychological pressure. "Mental illness and sudden psychological pressures lead many young people to take their own lives. The best way to prevent this is to raise awareness among youth and teach them resilience in the face of challenges." In Khost province alone, official figures show 72 suicide cases have been recorded in 2024, underscoring a growing mental health crisis across Afghanistan.

POEMS

"Schools Reopened"

Schools reopened, classrooms rejuvenated.
Ideas created, reopening celebrated.
Energetically restarted, happiness darted.
Laughter echoed, glee promoted.
Backpacks packed, inactivity done.
The school bell rings, learning has just begun.
An educational spree, knowledge for free.
Empowering individuals, success for guarantee.
Innocent hearts, curious eyes, naive minds.
Aspiring students, always ready to shine.
Learning with passion, growing with might.
Potential unleashed, fresh perspectives inside.
Unwavering faith, unfathomable love.
Revered respect evoke me to rise above.....

All the conflicts....
All the confrontations....
All the tussles....
And all the scuffles.....
To give my best....
To shine brighter....
To fly like a skylark....
To hunt like a hawk....



By :— Harpreet kaur Barnala

Gold loans have grown at CAGR of 20% in last 5 years

India’s gold loan market has increased from USD 33 billion in FY19 to USD 83 billion in FY24, growing at a compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 20 per cent, according to Praxis Global Alliance report. Gold loans have always been a popular way for Indians to borrow money.

With a strong cultural link to gold, many families keep gold as part of their savings. Borrowing against gold is quick and easy, making it a preferred option for people from all income groups.

The market includes both formal lenders like banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs), as well as informal moneylenders in villages and towns. One of



the main reasons for the gold loan market’s growth

is the increasing trust in formal lending channels.

Regulatory improvements have made borrowing safer

and more transparent, encouraging people to choose banks and NBFCs over informal lenders. Government efforts to promote financial inclusion have also helped build confidence in formal lenders.

Digital technology has played a big role in transforming the gold loan process.

Start-ups and established companies are offering user-friendly digital services that let borrowers check loan eligibility, pledge gold, and receive funds online or even at home.

Tools like eKYC, video verification, and biometric checks have made the process faster and more accessible, especially in urban and semi-urban

areas. People’s attitudes toward gold loans are also changing. Younger generations, including Gen-Z, now see gold not just as a family treasure but as a useful financial tool. They are more willing to use gold loans to meet short-term needs without feeling emotionally attached to the gold. Since gold can be easily reclaimed after repayment, many view gold loans as a smart and low-risk borrowing option.

Lenders are also offering more flexibility, such as custom repayment plans, bullet payments, and different interest rate choices. This makes gold loans suitable for a wide range of borrowers with different financial needs. Southern India continues to dominate the

gold loan market, holding 79 per cent of the total share. This is because of the region’s long-standing habit of gold ownership and comfort with using gold as collateral. However, eastern and western parts of the country are now seen as the next areas of growth. Households in these regions also have a large amount of gold, but use it less often for loans. Lenders are now focusing on these areas to expand their reach. With growing formalization, digital access, and changing customer views, the gold loan sector is expected to keep expanding. It is set to become an even more important part of India’s financial landscape in the coming years.

Yamunanagar district creates history in 'Mann Ki Baat' program: Rajesh Sapra

RAHUL KOHLI
YAMUNANAGAR: BJP District President Rajesh Sapra informed that Prime Minister Narendra Modi communicates with citizens of whole country through Mann Ki Baat program on last Sunday of every month. Mann Ki Baat was heard at all 979 booths of BJP District Yamunanagar organization in month of May and June and it was uploaded on Saral portal at



all 979 booths. This is a very big historical achievement for Yamuna Nagar district for which he heartily thanks all BJP officials and workers of Yamunanagar district and congratulates all the God-like officials and workers. He listened to Mann Ki Baat program with hundreds of BJP workers in dignified presence of Agriculture Minister Shyam Singh Rana and senior BJP leader Nepal Singh Rana.

NEWS BRIEF

Migrant woman pleads for justice



KULDEEP SOOD
BARNALA: A migrant woman, taking her three children, all girls, to the police officers for daily bread She can be seen making rounds in front of the offices. The tragedy is that no police officer is taking the time to listen to her plight. This migrant woman is from U.P. Pradesh. Due to poverty, her family got her married to a Punjabi Sikh family. Three children are born to that Punjabi, all three of whom are girls. The husband of this migrant woman is often ill. To earn a living, this family started a small hut on the side of a local road and started selling tea, water and biscuits. The husband, Darshan Singh, who was ill, was admitted to the civil hospital for treatment. He had to stop working as a hut for his care. Seeing the hut lying closed, a person known to them took the key of the hut and promised to pay some rent. The goods, ready-made clothes, etc. lying in the hut were given to the same person with some money. To eat bread etc., the said woman took the child and the husband to the hut.

81st review half-yearly meeting of city official Language Implementation Committee held



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA KARNAL, JULY 1

The 81st review half-yearly meeting of the City Official Language Implementation Committee, Karnal was held at ICAR-National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal in which the heads and Hindi officials of 47 institutions, corporations, banks and Kendriya Vidyalayas etc. of the Central Ministry, Government of India (Institutes of Indian Council of Agricultural Research located in Karnal, Kendriya Vidyalaya, Life Insurance Corporation of India, Indian

Railway Department Northern Region, all banks, Central Public Works Department, Indian Postal Department etc.) participated. For doing excellent work in the field of official language Hindi during the year 2024-25, the City Official Language Implementation Committee, Karnal awarded the first prize in the research institute category to ICAR-Indian Wheat and Barley Research Institute, Karnal and the annual magazine of the institute Wheat and Barley Swarnima 2024 has also been awarded the first prize.

Shyamkaran and Pala Ram Patwaris retire after completing 28 years of service



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL: Today, Patwari Shyamkaran and Pala Ram retired after completing 28 years of service in Tehsil Nilokheri. On this occasion, Sub-Divisional Officer Civil Ashok Kumar said in his address that both the Patwaris worked with great honesty and dedication during their service and Ashok Kumar welcomed both the Patwaris by draping shawls on them. On this occasion, Naib Tehsildar Sahil Arora also expressed his views and praised the work of both the Patwaris. On this occasion, President of Patwar Kanungo Association Kamal, Padam Kumar also welcomed them by garlanding them and said that both the Patwaris worked with great honesty and dedication during their service. Both the Patwaris also thanked the people who came and said that whenever the department needs them, they will be present and share their experiences.

Deputy Speaker Rouri represents Punjab at CPA India Region Zone II annual conference

SHASHI PAL JAIN DHARAMSHALA, JULY 1

Punjab Vidhan Sabha Deputy Speaker Jai Krishna Singh Rouri represented Punjab during the annual conference of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) India Region Zone II, held from June 30 to July 1 at the Himachal Vidhan Sabha, Tapovan, Dharamshala. The conference witnessed the participation of Deputy Speakers, Speakers & Members of Legislative Assemblies, focusing on strengthening democratic practices and legislative procedures in the region.

Deputy Speaker Rouri actively participated in the deliberations, speaking on key topics including disqualification on the grounds of defection, the use of Artificial Intelligence in Vidhan Sabha functioning, and the role of legislators in



managing state resources vis-à-vis the development of the state. He emphasized that legislators have a critical role in shaping policies that ensure effective utilization of financial, natural, and human resources, aligning them with the state's development priorities. Highlighting the significance of technology in democratic institutions, Deputy Speaker Rouri shared insights on the adoption of AI tools to enhance transparency, efficiency, and citizen participation in legislative processes. He stated that the use of AI can revolutionize procedural management,

data analysis, and accessibility of legislative business to the public. Speaking on disqualification on the grounds of defection, he underlined the need to uphold the sanctity of the anti-defection law to protect the stability and integrity of the democratic system. Deputy Speaker Rouri expressed gratitude to the CPA India Region Zone II for providing a platform for meaningful discussions and sharing best practices among legislatures of the region, contributing to the strengthening of parliamentary democracy in the country.

Prevent children from going to rivers, drains, ponds: SP

RAHUL KOHLI
YAMUNANAGAR: Police spokesperson Chamkaur Singh said that the police administration has taken cognizance of the tragic incidents that have happened in the last few days and SP Surendra Singh Bhoria has issued an advisory for the citizens of the district and appealed to the general public to keep an eye on the daily activities of their children and prevent them from going alone to places like rivers, drains, ponds and swimming pools etc. so that no other tragic incident is repeated in the future. Often, in view of the summer season, children and youth gather together and go to some river, drain or pond etc. to take bath. Due to the fast flow of water and not knowing how to swim, tragic incidents often occur. Due to the accident, the family is completely broken and many generations are not able to recover. It has often been seen that people also consume alcohol etc. while sitting on the banks of the canal. After that they take bath in the canal, due to intoxication people often die by drowning in the canal. The police are making all efforts to prevent such incidents from happening in future. The police administration has also asked all the family members and guardians to be more cautious in this direction in view of the upcoming summer season because often children and youth gather together and plan to go to such places for the purpose of spending their holidays. The Superintendent of Police has instructed all the station in-charges of the district that along with their regular patrolling, they should also keep a special eye on all the canals, drains and ponds coming in their police station area and also make people aware in this regard.



Public School reopens with joyous welcome assembly, ensuring comfort & happiness for every child



KARANPREET KARAN
BARNALA: With the spirit of love, care, and learning, YS Public School reopened its gates on 1st July with a heartwarming Welcome Assembly a perfect blend of joy, bonding, and inspiration. The school beautifully fulfilled its vision: to make every child feel comfortable, happy, and valued the moment they step back after a long summer break. The feelings were mutual students returned with glowing smiles, eager hearts, and sparkling eyes, showing just how much they had missed their second home. YS Public School is more than a place of learning it's a place where children love to come, where they adore their teachers, where even Sundays feel like a missed opportunity to be in school. The comfort of the environment and emotional connect with mentors make YSP a joyful space for every learner. From energetic warm-up activities and laughter therapy to a soulful music performance, Hindi welcome poem, and expressive role play, the entire assembly was thoughtfully curated to bring smiles and rebuild bonds after the holidays.

Relentless rain batters Bilaspur, PWD reports losses worth Rs 5.5 crores



AJAY KUMAR UPADHYAY
BILASPUR: Bilaspur district has been reeling under heavy rainfall for the past three days, significantly disrupting daily life and causing widespread infrastructural damage. The Public Works Department (PWD) has borne the brunt of the impact, reporting estimated losses exceeding Rs 5.5 crores, with the Bilaspur and Jhanduta divisions being the hardest hit. Despite the intensity of the rainfall, no road remains officially closed. However, 50 out of 563 roads under the PWD have been affected due to falling trees, debris, and damage to road structures. Prompt action by the department ensured swift restoration, with all roads now reopened. The losses include massive damage to road embankments, safety walls, and drainage systems. Division-wise, Bilaspur Division No. 1 recorded the highest loss at Rs 2.88 crores, followed by Ghumarwin at Rs 1.61 crores, Swarghat at Rs 1.16 crores, and Division No. 2 at Rs 51 lakhs. Notably, Rs 4 crores of the damage occurred by June 30, with an additional Rs 1.5 crores on Tuesday alone.

Call for immediate repair of Doraha railway crossing road before overbridge construction



AMRISH ANAND
DORAHA: Following a recent protest held at the railway line in Doraha, a fresh wave of discussion has emerged on social media regarding the urgent need for repairs to the road running alongside the canal near the Doraha railway crossing. Local residents have strongly appealed to the Punjab Government and the area MLA to ensure that this road is repaired before construction begins on the proposed railway overbridge. Social worker Jandeep Kaushal has voiced his concern, stating that if the government or district administration fails to take timely action to repair the deteriorated road, he will initiate a public fundraising drive. "I will carry a donation box (peepa) through the markets and surrounding localities of Doraha to collect funds for the road repair," he said. Kaushal emphasized that the current condition of the road is causing significant hardship to daily commuters, and the administration's delay in resolving the issue is unacceptable.

MC Commissioner Akhil Pilani forms teams in all wards to drain out water

RAHUL KOHLI
YAMUNANAGAR: The Municipal Corporation is working 24 hours to drain out the water logging in the lower areas due to heavy rain. While water was pumped out throughout the day to drain out the water the workers were busy removing water from the lower areas through pumps throughout the night. Municipal Corporation Commissioner Akhil Pilani now formed ward wise teams for water drainage. Junior Engineer, Sanitation Inspector and Beldar have been included in each team. This team will drain out the water filled in the lower areas through pumps. Corporation Engineer Rakesh June has been made the nodal officer of all 22 teams. After forming the teams, Municipal Commissioner Akhil Pilani ordered to take strict action against all those who were negligent in their duty and has also issued orders to take disciplinary action under Haryana Civil Services Rules 2016 for being absent from their duty. Municipal Corporation Commissioner Akhil Pilani said that due to continuous rain in the district, water logging situation persisted in many lower areas of the Municipal Corporation area from where the teams were engaged in every ward to drain out the dirty water. The teams of the Municipal Corporation were removing water from the lower areas through pumps into the sewerage and big drains.



DSJ Ajay Kumar Sharda visits Gharaunda Judicial Complex



SHIV KUMAR SHARMA
KARNAL: District and Sessions Judge and Chairman of District Legal Services Authority (DLSA) Ajay Kumar Sharda and Chief Judicial Magistrate and Secretary of District Legal Services Authority Dr. Iram Hasan inspected Sub Division Gharaunda on Tuesday. Additional Civil Judge (Senior Division) of Gharaunda, Gaurang Sharma was also present on this occasion. During the inspection, DSJ Ajay Kumar Sharda gave necessary guidelines. After this, DSJ Ajay Kumar Sharda and CJM Dr. Iram Hasan also inspected the Place of Safety, Nari Niketan and Shraddhanand Bal Ashram and took stock of the facilities being provided to the women and children living there and provided necessary guidance. District and Sessions Judge and Chairman of District Legal Services Authority Ajay Kumar Sharda held a meeting with all the judicial officers on Tuesday. In the meeting, he gave information about the Lok Adalat to be held on July 12 and talked about settling maximum cases.

Equal development taken place under BJP govt at center and state: Rajneesh Shamgarh

KAMAL SHARMA
TARAORI: BJP Yuva Morcha District General Secretary Rajneesh Shamgarh said that equal development was taking place under the leadership of the BJP government at the center and the state. The benefits of the policies being run by the country's Prime Minister Narendra Modi were reaching the common man. He said that record-breaking development would take place in Nilokheri constituency under the leadership of Haryana Chief Minister Naib Saini and Nilokheri constituency MLA Bhagwandas Kabirpanthi. Mr Rajneesh Shamgarh said this while he was talking to journalists after meeting the constituency MLA Bhagwandas Kabirpanthi. He also put forth many problems before the constituency MLA Bhagwandas Kabirpanthi, which MLA Kabirpanthi also resolved. BJP Yuva Morcha District General Secretary Rajneesh Shamgarh said that MLA Kabirpanthi would bring big projects of development work in Nilokheri constituency. Not only this, a network of roads will be laid in Nilokheri constituency. The roads connecting the rural areas will be strong and shiny. He said that the BJP government was moving ahead with uniform development of the entire state and under this government the state was progressing towards continuous development. The BJP government believed in doing and not in just saying. He said that with the formation of the BJP government in the center and the state all the problems like nepotism have ended.



Police arrests accused of firing in the air



YAGYA DUTT SHASTRI
PEHOWA: Police arrested the accused of firing in the air outside the Dera in Bhaur Syeda. Police station Sadar Pehwa Police Team has succeeded in recovering 32 bore revolver and five live bullets and five vacant shells by arresting Pritam Singh resident Chahalhedi Hall, accused of firing in the air outside the Dera at Bhaur Syeda. Police received information that aerial fire has been fired on the road in village Bhaur Syeda. On the information, the police team including Deputy Superintendent of Police Pehwa Nirmal Singh reached the spot. The police reached spot of crime and investigated. On the orders of the Superintendent of Police, the accused was immediately blocked in the district. Complainant Gurmantar Singh said that he lived in Cheema Farm in village Bhaur Syeda.

In-house training on NEP organised at Indian Public Sr Sec Schol



NIRMAL SAINI
RADAUR: In-house training on NEP was organized at Indian Public Senior Secondary School Radaur. Teachers of Like Public School Bakana were also present in the program. Teachers participated in the in-house training with great enthusiasm. Deepika Kamboj was the first resource person and Sonu Sharma was the second resource person. The program was presided over by school Principal Ish Mehta. The resource person made the teachers aware of the policies and objectives of the New Education Policy 2020. An attempt was made to explain all this through activities and stories. He said that with the new education policy they can provide better education to their students, due to which the all-round development of the students was possible. Everyone answered the questions asked by the resource person very seriously.

Little Millennium School celebrates Doctor's Day



HANS RAJ KURUKSHETRA: Doctors' Day was celebrated every year on July 1 in India. This day is celebrated in the memory of the great physician Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy who made significant contributions in the medical field. The purpose of celebrating this day is to express gratitude for the tireless efforts and service spirit of the doctors. This year's theme was: 'Behind the Mask, Who Heals the Healers.' - This theme draws attention to the mental, emotional and physical well-being of doctors who protect the health of others day and night. A grand program was organized on the occasion of Doctors' Day at Little Millennium School. On this occasion, many respected doctors associated with the health sector were welcomed in the school.

Free health check-up camp organised at New Happy Public School

RAHUL KOHLI
YAMUNANAGAR: On 01 July 2025, a special free medical checkup camp was organized at New Happy Public School, Sudhail to mark the occasion of Doctors' Day. The camp was held under the joint aegis of Inner Wheel Club, Yamunanagar and the Gulabi Pankh Wing of the Indian Medical Association, with participation from several esteemed doctors of the Yamunanagar district. Students participated enthusiastically in the camp, accompanied by their parents who showed keen interest in the comprehensive health assessments of their children. Various health check-ups were conducted at the camp, ensuring holistic attention to the students' well-being. The camp began with eye examinations, where vision-related issues were thoroughly assessed and necessary



consultations were provided. Following this, dental check-ups were performed, focusing on oral hygiene, cavities, and dental cleanliness. Dentists offered valuable tips on dental care. In addition, a general health check-up was carried out, which included the monitoring of blood pressure, pulse rate, skin conditions, nutrition levels, height, and weight. CBC tests were also conducted for some students, allowing an in-depth analysis of their blood-related health. The primary

objective of these check-ups was to maintain students' physical well-being and to offer timely guidance where necessary. A team of doctors from prominent hospitals in Yamunanagar participated in this camp, including Dr. R. Masih, Dr. Meenakshi Sharma, Dr. Ranvijay Rana, Dr. Bhavana, team of dentists from DAV Dental College, Mrs. Indu Kapoor, Dr. Chetan, Dr. Namrata Goyal, Dr. Deepika, and Dr. Sunila Soni. All respected members of Inner Wheel Club Yamunanagar were also

present at the event. G.S. Sharma, the School Manager, shared his views, stating: "We firmly believe that education should not be confined to textbooks alone but must ensure the holistic development of students—physically, mentally, and socially. This health checkup camp, organized on Doctors' Day, is a significant step in creating awareness about healthy living among children. We are grateful to all doctors and organizers who participated in this noble cause." The school Principal, Mrs. Toshal Wadhwa, added: "Health is the greatest wealth. Physical well-being plays a vital role in the overall development of children. Through such initiatives, we not only raise awareness about health but also encourage students to embrace self-care and make positive lifestyle choices."

Power up your plate and embrace healthy living with the curated Millet Store on Amazon Fresh

Chandigarh : Millets are redefining everyday eating in Indian kitchens, from breakfast bowls to dinner staples. As power grains and superfoods packed with protein, fiber, and natural probiotics, they support healthy living, aid digestion, and help you stay fuller for longer—making them a weight watcher's choice. With Amazon Fresh's dedicated Millet Storefront, it's easier than ever to explore clean, gluten-free, and no-maida options that fit right into your routine. And it doesn't have to be boring — whether you're starting your day with a high-protein banana pancake mix, fixing a quick millet noodle lunch, or switching to unpolished foxtail and barnyard millet as rice alternatives.

SOCIAL Introduces The SOCIAL Jumpstart

CHANDIGARH: SOCIAL announces the launch of The SOCIAL Jumpstart, a new morning format crafted for anyone seeking intentional, energizing starts to their day. Starting July, The SOCIAL Jumpstart will activate mornings from 7:30 AM to 11:30 AM across key cities, transforming familiar SOCIAL outposts into high-energy spaces for movement, recovery, and real-world connection. With curated experiences, mood-lifting menus, and culture-forward brand integrations, The SOCIAL Jumpstart signals a fresh chapter in SOCIAL's evolution, one that reclaims mornings as a vibrant, purpose-driven time to gather, move, and reset. At its core, The SOCIAL Jumpstart is a reflection of how India's cultural rhythm is evolving, where mornings are no longer rushed or routine, but intentional and community-led. With this new format, SOCIAL extends its philosophy of creating spaces that adapt to how people live, move, and connect.

Sahana System Ltd. Looks to Revolutionize Cross-Border Payments

CHANDIGARH: Sahana System Limited (NSE: SAHANA), a distinguished provider of cutting-edge IT Service Management solutions, is pleased to announce a significant and formal advancement in its strategic engagement concerning Thailand's financial ecosystem. The Company has received a communication from the Ministry of Finance, Royal Thai Government, formally acknowledging Sahana's comprehensive proposal for the strategic enhancement of the payment infrastructure and the broader advancement of financial inclusion.

Blue Cloud Softech Solutions Ltd. Secures \$9.36 Million Coastal Surveillance Project

CHANDIGARH: Blue Cloud Softech Solutions Limited (BCSSL), a leading global technology company and Solution Provider listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE: 539607), is pleased to announce a significant win by securing a contract valued at US\$9.36 million through its client in the United States. The project, spanning 18 months, involves the development and implementation of a customized coastal surveillance system to enhance security along the South American coastline.

Toyota Kirloskar Motor Sales up 3% in June 2025

CHANDIGARH: Toyota Kirloskar Motor (TKM) today announced its sales performance. Toyota Kirloskar Motor Sales up 5% in June 2025, first-half 2025 numbers grow by 16%. Vaminder Vadwaha, Vice President, Sales-Service-Used Car Business Sad, "TKM sales in the month of June 2025 was 5% higher than that of June 2024. We continue to strongly engage with our customers through after sales service support offerings and value-added offerings that are aimed at enriching their ownership experience at every step. As we move through the rest of the year.

Vi Guarantees 24 Days additional Validity for 2G Handset Customers

GURUGRAM / HISAR: India's leading telecom operator Vi, has rolled out the Vi Guarantee Programme for its 2G Handset customers. Under this programme, the benefit of 24 Days Extra validity will be credited over a 12-month period wherein 2 Days Extra Validity will be credited with every Unlimited voice recharge pack of Rs. 199 and above. The Vi Guarantee programme aims to address a long-standing challenge faced by voice-only or low data usage prepaid customers, which is the need to recharge again within the same month. With traditional 28-day packs, customers often recharge twice in a single calendar month or sometimes continue with interrupted service.

Shadowfax Technologies Limited files Confidential DRHP for Rs. 2,500 crore IPO with SEBI

GURUGRAM : Shadowfax Technologies Limited, India's leading logistics service provider has filed a confidential draft red herring prospectus with SEBI for an initial public offering. As per sources, the IPO size is expected to be in the range of Rs. 2,000 - Rs. 2,500 crore, comprising of a mix of fresh issue and offer for sale (OFS) by existing shareholders. The company is expected to be valued around Rs. 8,500 crore. In its last fundraising in February 2025, the company raised a primary and secondary capital at an approximate valuation of Rs. 6,000 crore. The company plans to utilize the proceeds the fresh issue towards enhancing capacity, driving growth, and further investments in the company's network business, according to sources.

Tenneco Clean Air India Limited files DRHP with SEBI for an IPO

Tenneco Clean Air India Limited, part of the US headquartered Tenneco Group, a key global Tier 1 automotive component supplier (Source: CRISIL Report) has filed its Draft Red Herring Prospectus (DRHP) with SEBI for an Initial Public Offering (IPO). Tenneco Mauritius Holdings Limited, Tenneco (Mauritius) Limited, Federal-Mogul Investments B.V., Federal-Mogul Ply LTD, and Tenneco LLC are the promoters of the company. The offer comprises an Offer for Sale aggregating up to ₹3000 crore by Tenneco Mauritius Holdings Limited (Promoter Selling Shareholder). The face value of each equity share is ₹10. Tenneco Clean Air India Limited is part of the Tenneco Group, a U.S. headquartered key global Tier 1 automotive component supplier. Tenneco Group generated US \$16,777 million in revenue in the year ended December 31, 2024. The Company established its first manufacturing plant in India at Panvao in 1979. The Company manufactures and supplies critical, highly engineered and technology intensive clean air, powertrain and suspension solutions tailored for Indian OEMs and export markets.

Haryana Citizens to get Land Demarcation with New Digital Portal – Dr. Sumita Misra



CHANDIGARH: - Haryana Financial Commissioner Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Dr. Sumita Misra, stated that the State Government is set to launch a new digital portal to simplify and enhance transparency in the land demarcation process. This initiative is a key part of Chief Minister, Sh. Nayab Singh Saini's 'Digital Haryana' vision and ongoing land governance reforms. After presiding over the

review meeting with officers of Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Dr. Sumita Misra informed that this citizen-centric portal aims to modernize and digitize land demarcation, addressing traditional delays and procedural hurdles. It will allow owners of agricultural, residential, or commercial land to submit their demarcation grievances online, eliminating the need for multiple visits to

government revenue offices and reducing red tape. Dr. Misra stated that the demarcation applications would be processed in a time bound manner, which will significantly streamline the process and strengthen the public confidence in the government procedure. The portal will integrate with the Revenue Department's existing digital land records system and leverage Geographic Information System (GIS) technology for precise, real-time boundary

demarcation. This integration will provide access to updated demarcation maps, revenue estate records, and historical data, minimizing ambiguities and boundary disputes. Digital rovers will replace traditional manual tools to ensure accuracy. The portal will feature a grievance tracking mechanism, allowing users to monitor their complaint's status from submission to resolution. This commitment to a defined resolution timeframe is expected to enhance accountability and public confidence in Haryana's land administration system. The meeting was attended by Director, Consolidation of Land Holdings & Land Records, Sh. Yash Pal, Revenue & Disaster Management Department, Sh. Ravi Prakash Gupta, Special Secretary, Revenue & Disaster Management Department, Sh. Rahul Hooda, Secretary, Special Secretary, Revenue & Disaster Management Department, Sh. Kamlesh Kumar Bhadoo.

SAEL Signs 400 MW Solar Power Purchase Agreement with PSPCL in Punjab



CHANDIGARH: SAEL Industries Ltd., an integrated renewable energy company, has signed a Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) through its subsidiary, SAEL Solar P15 Private Limited, with the Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL) for a 400 MW (AC) solar photovoltaic (PV) power project. Under the terms of the agreement, the solar power project will be located in Punjab and is expected to be fully operational within 24 months from the signing date. PSPCL will purchase the solar power generated by the project at a tariff of ₹2.97 per kilowatt-hour (kWh) for a duration of 25 years. "This agreement with PSPCL reinforces our commitment to delivering sustainable energy solutions at scale. Punjab has immense potential for solar development, and we are excited to contribute to the state's green energy ambitions while

also generating economic and social value for the region," said, Mr. Lavit Awla, CEO of SAEL Industries Ltd. In addition to providing affordable and reliable clean energy, this 400 MW solar project will play a pivotal role in reducing carbon emissions, promoting energy security, and creating long-term value for the community. It is also one of the only few large-scale solar projects to be developed within Punjab in recent years, adding to state's renewable energy portfolio. Punjab aims to increase the share of renewable power generation capacity within the state aligned to India's national commitment to achieve 40% non-fossil-based generation capacity by 2030. "SAEL, with its Agri waste-to-energy plants and solar projects is actively contributing to Punjab's RE transition" added Lavit. SAEL currently has 59MW installed Solar IPP capacity within the state.

Still mopping it old school: Dyson study reveals India's obsession with clean homes, but we could be making our floors dirtier

LUDHIANA:- Dyson announced the results of its first Global Wet Cleaning Study, to investigate wet cleaning habits and behaviours, frustrations people face with their wet cleaning tools, and why our best intentions might not be delivering the hygienic homes we expect. The global study uncovers that despite frequent cleaning by Indian households, current tools and habits could be making homes less hygienic, not cleaner. The study finds that hard floors dominate Indian homes, with 94.5% of people having floors made of tiles, stone, or wood—materials that attract dirt easily and require



germs in it, are spread from one part of the house to another, defeating the purpose of cleaning. 45% cite stubborn stains as their top cleaning challenge, and 31% worry about slipping on wet floors.

frequent wet cleaning. However, popular cleaning methods including traditional mops, buckets, and cloths, may be spreading dirt rather than removing it. Unlike South Korea or Australia, where wet cleaning happens more reactively, occasionally or for specific messes, in India, wet cleaning is part of the daily routine. Traditional wet floor cleaning methods remain the most preferred choice for many Indian households, with mops, cloths, or wet sweepers in constant use. Yet, despite their popularity, these tools bring their own set of challenges: 1 in 3 Indians say wet cleaning is simply too time-consuming. In fact, 75% spend over an hour on their cleaning routines, with nearly 35 minutes devoted to wet cleaning floors. Indian use of mops, brooms, and wet cloths is the highest in APAC—yet only 33% finds cloths or sponges truly effective for hard floors. 49% admit they don't change the cleaning water for every room. This means dirty water, and the

Record Alert: Škoda Auto India achieves its highest-ever half-yearly sales



Chandigarh / Ludhiana— Škoda Auto India is keeping its foot on the accelerator as it celebrates its 25th anniversary in India and 130th year globally. With 36,194 units sold in the first half of 2025, Škoda Auto has achieved its highest half-yearly sales in its 25-year history in India. Commenting on the achievement, Ashish Gupta, Brand Director, Škoda Auto India, said, "Our landmark half-yearly sales reflect the strong acceptance of Škoda products and services by customers in India. Our customers love to explore the world around them every day. With the addition of the Klyan in our portfolio, we now enable their journeys even more through an 'SUV For Everyone', as well as our sedan offering. Our aim is to get 'closer' to our customers in India with our accessible products, services, and touchpoints across the country. This achievement encourages us to stay focused on being relevant through timely product actions, offer unique value to our customers by differentiating our product and service offerings, and to continue building trust with an unmatched ownership experience." Setting sales records With sales of 36,194 units in H1 2025, Škoda Auto India is now among the top seven automotive brands in India. This is a jump of four positions from its rankings in 2024. Furthermore, it surpasses Škoda Auto India's previous best half-yearly sales in 2022 of 28,899 units.

Tree plantation in Cooperative Society Chandkhedi under International Cooperative Week



NITIN SINGLA BILASPUR: Tree plantation was done for environmental protection in Bilaspur Multipurpose Agricultural Cooperative Society Ltd. at Chandkhedi under International Cooperative Week. Deputy Head of PACS Sandeep Kumar and Branch Manager Satish Kumar were present and planted trees on PACS premises along with the committee members. Sandeep Kumar and Satish Kumar said on this occasion that along with planting trees, we should also protect them. He said that

without trees, human life is baseless. Trees provide us with building wood as well as pure oxygen for breathing. We should plant trees at our home on every happy occasion and also make our children aware of planting trees. On this occasion, clerk Pradeep Saini, Miha Singh, Joginder Singh, Mewaram, Kapil Dev, Naresh Kumar, Shubham and PACS employees were present. Photo Caption 0.1 Deputy head, manager and committee members planting trees in Chandkhedi PACS premises.

TAFE and AGCO reach comprehensive settlement covering brand rights, commercials and shareholding

Chandigarh: TAFE, one of the world's largest manufacturers of tractors and farm equipment, announced today that a comprehensive settlement and resolution has been reached with AGCO on all matters relating to brand, commercial issues and shareholding. The agreements will become effective upon the completion by AGCO and TAFE of certain governmental and other processes in India relating to the repurchase of the shares held by AGCO in TAFE. Mallika Srinivasan, Chairman & Managing Director - TAFE, said, "As we step into a new era in TAFE's growth story, we recognize and cherish the long partnership we've had with AGCO, and continue to support AGCO as an engaged shareholder." She added that, "TAFE and Massey Ferguson have been synonymous in the minds of the Indian customers for over 65 years. We re-dedicate our commitment to transformation of Indian agriculture through our innovative products, solutions and service to the farming community in India. As we move towards our vision of 'Cultivating the World', we are confident of delivering exceptional value to all our stakeholders."

Doctor's Day celebrated with fervour at Little Millennium Sector-3



DALBIR MALIK KURUKSHETRA: Doctors' Day is celebrated in India every year on July 1, this day is celebrated in memory of great physician Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy, who made a significant contribution to medical field. Purpose of celebrating this day is to express gratitude for tireless efforts and service spirit of doctors. Theme of this year was: " Behind the Mask | Who Heals Healers?" - this theme draws attention to mental, emotional and physical well-being of those doctors who protect health of others day and night. A grand program was

organized on occasion of Doctors' Day at Little Millennium School. Many respected doctors associated with health sector were welcomed in school. It was presided over by MD Parminder Singh Bath, Director Mam Chetna Saluja and Principal Sunita Rani. Stage was managed efficiently by Raveena Maam. Children dressed up as 'little doctors' in doctors' attire and gave beautiful presentations depicting role of doctors in society. Children expressed their feelings by giving welcome song, speech and presenting cards. Special thing about program was that doctors present not only

encouraged children but also gave them many useful health tips like importance of healthy lifestyle, cleanliness, balanced diet and regular exercise. Doctors explained to students that a healthy body is foundation of a good future. Director and Principal in their speech described contribution of doctors as 'true service to humanity'. MD praised such inspirational events in school and said that this helps in developing sensitivity towards society and a sense of service in children. All doctors were thanked by presenting them with mementoes.

Accused arrested for stealing temple gate in Barara

JAIBEER RANA THAMBER BARARA: Tightening the noose around criminals, Barara police successfully arrested a long-absconding accused in a temple theft case. With continuous police action against criminal elements, the public is feeling assured while a sense of fear is being instilled among miscreants. Gurvinder Singh alias Bobby, son of Ranjit Singh alias Sonu, a resident of Basantpura Colony in Barara, was booked for stealing a temple gate under sections 380 and 411 of the Indian Penal Code. The case (No. 224/2022) was registered at Barara police station, and the accused had been



absconding since 2022. Acting on a tip-off, a police team led by outpost-in-charge Vishwabandhu

apprehended the accused on June 30, 2025. He was produced before the court today. Vishwabandhu stated that efforts are being made to make Barara crime-free. Under the guidance of DSP Suresh Kaushik and SHO Pramod Rana, the police is committed to maintaining law and order and providing a peaceful and secure environment to the public. He further added that in recent weeks, Barara police have arrested motorcycle thieves in various areas and successfully recovered the stolen vehicles. He assured that strict action against criminals will continue in the future.

TECNO Spark Go 2 Goes on Sale July 1 — Big on Features, Premium Design, Light on the Pocket

Chandigarh : In a segment known for compromises, TECNO continues to raise the bar. The global smartphone brand, recognised for pioneering technology that balances innovation with accessibility, is bringing the Spark Go 2 to stores on July 1. After stirring up early buzz with its feature-packed reveal, the device is now ready to hit shelves, bringing flagship vibes to the entry-level segment and cementing its place as Mobile No. 1. For just ₹6,999, the Spark Go 2 sneaks in with big-league features disguised in an entry-level package. One of its most standout upgrades? Ella, TECNO's in-house AI assistant who doesn't just chat—she rewrites content, creates images, solves math, and supports multiple Indian languages, making smart truly inclusive. It's all wrapped in a stylish design with four colour options—Ink Black, Veil White, Titanium Grey, and Turquoise Green—offering consumers a premium look without compromise. The phone also boasts a 6.67" punch-hole HD+ display with a 120Hz refresh rate—a rare find in this price range, and a treat for everyday scrollers and binge-watchers alike.



Anti Terrorist Front announce Rs 1 cr prize for killing Pak Army chief

SHIV KUMAR SHARMA AMBALA: Anti Terrorist Front India will give a reward of 1 crore to those who kill the Pakistan Army Chief who legalises terrorism in Kashmir and supports the campaign of terrorists in Kashmir. This announcement was made by National President of Anti Terrorist Front India, Viresh Shandilya. Shandilya said that any person, even if he is from Pakistan, who kills Army Chief Asim Muni and hands over his body to India will be given 1 crore rupees and the Anti Terrorist Front India will bear the expenses of his legal proceedings. National President of Anti Terrorist Front India, Viresh Shandilya praised Operation Sindoor of Prime Minister of India, Narendra Modi and said that this operation should not be stopped and Pakistan should be finished through this operation. Pakistan understands the language of bombs and bullets. Factories are running in the madrassas of Pakistan to prepare terrorists against India, therefore Pakistan should be

destroyed and Veeresh Shandilya supported Owaisi's statement in which Muslim MP Owaisi said that Operation Sindoor will continue until the culprits of Pahalgam are killed, but Anti Terrorist Front India today demands from Modi after the statement of Army Chief Asim Munir that Pakistan is the tail of the dog and terrorists like Hafiz Syed, the mastermind of 26/11 attacks in India, have been given protection and today Pakistan Army Chief Munir supported the campaign of terrorists in Kashmir and told that Pakistan is a bad country and can never be a friend of India and Munir supported the terrorists in Kashmir and made a dirty joke with the martyrdom of the innocent people killed there including the martyred soldiers of the Indian Army. Veeresh Shandilya said that he will protest against Pak Army Chief Asim Munir in the entire country and will give a memorandum in the name of Prime Minister Modi to the Governor of Punjab that Pakistan should be declared a terrorist nation.

England's famous immigration lawyer Gurpaal Uppal in Chandigarh 3rd July



Chandigarh : England's famous immigration lawyer Gurpaal Uppal is coming to Chandigarh on 3rd July to conduct a seminar related to UK immigration at Hotel Hyatt, Eclante Mall . In this seminar, he will give information about universities, colleges and huge scholarships in them for bachelor and master courses. In this seminar, he will give exclusive information related to refusal cases, marriage cases, visitor cases, business visa and investor visa. This is a golden opportunity for all these types of visas and information about all types of student visas and all Chandigarh

Spreading the Message of Safe Riding: Honda Motorcycle and Scooter India reaches Gurugram, Haryana



GURUGRAM: Continuing its efforts to build a culture of road safety and awareness, Honda Motorcycle and Scooter India (HMSI) organized a road safety awareness programme in Gurugram, Haryana. Designed to inculcate road safety behaviour from a young age, the initiative brought together enthusiastic participation from 2400 students and staff members from Dronacharya Government College for learning and engagement through interactive sessions and hands-on learning on road safety. The campaign engaged students through a series of sessions and activities, turning their everyday environment into a platform for learning safe road behaviour. The sessions were carefully curated to make learning both engaging and impactful. Participants were introduced to the basics of safe riding, including the importance of wearing helmets and following discipline while on the road. The campaign in Gurugram adds to HMSI's growing footprint in Haryana, where the company continues to work closely with local educational institutions to build a culture of road safety from the ground up. These efforts form a part of the company's broader initiative to create a safer commuting environment by building awareness across age groups.

Agriculture Minister Shyam Singh Rana listens to public grievances at BJP office in Yamunanagar

RAHUL KOHLI YAMUNANAGAR: Haryana Agriculture Minister Shyam Singh Rana visited the BJP district office, Yamuna Kamal, where he interacted with party workers and local residents, listening to their grievances and facilitating their resolution. On his arrival, the minister was welcomed by BJP district president Rajesh Sapra, general secretaries Krishan Singla and Surendra Bankat, and media in-charge Kapil Manish Garg. During the interaction, citizens raised a variety of issues related to the Public Health Department, Power Board, Municipal Corporation, and other departments. Addressing the gathering, Minister Rana emphasized that the objective of such visits is to establish direct communication between the public, the party, and the administration. He noted that by bringing multiple departmental issues under one roof, citizens can find solutions to their problems without the hassle of visiting multiple offices.



He further stated that this initiative, being carried out under the guidance of the state government, has received widespread appreciation from the public. It reflects the government's commitment to timely grievance redressal, administrative transparency, and citizen participation. Minister Rana also highlighted that Haryana is the first state in the country to procure the maximum number of crops at

the minimum support price. BJP district president Rajesh Sapra thanked Minister Rana for taking the time to personally hear and resolve issues of the public and party workers. He added that such engagements strengthen trust between the government and the people, and expressed hope that the minister would continue to visit the office regularly to address public concerns.

Karur Vysya Bank and Kshema General Insurance announces game-changing bancassurance alliance



LUDHIANA/CHANDIGARH : Karur Vysya Bank (KVB) and Kshema General Insurance Ltd today announced a strategic bancassurance alliance to offer a specially designed dual-benefit insurance product—Kshema Kisan Sathi—to India's rural and agri-focused communities. The collaboration brings together KVB's stronghold in rural and semi-urban banking and Kshema's technology-driven insurance solutions to empower millions of customers with a holistic financial protection offering. Speaking on the alliance, Mr. Ramesh Babu, Managing Director & CEO, Karur Vysya Bank said, "As a Bank deeply embedded in India's rural landscape, we understand the challenges our customers face in their day-to-day lives. With Kshema Kisan Sathi, we are not just offering an insurance product; we are delivering peace of mind. This partnership reflects our commitment to build meaningful financial ecosystems that support sustainable livelihoods. It is aligned with our long-term vision to create a resilient, secure, and self-reliant rural economy through inclusive banking and value-added offerings." Commenting on the alliance, Mr. Natraj Nukala, Chairman, Kshema General Insurance Limited said, "This pioneering bancassurance product offers dual protection of livelihood and family by combining crop insurance and personal accident insurance for valued customers of KVB. Kshema Kisan Sathi was designed to achieve the twin objectives of enabling financial security, stability, and self-sufficiency for millions of rural families and agri-entrepreneurs while boosting rural economy. This exclusive product is the keystone in Kshema's plan of building a data-driven rural ecosystem intelligence using financial and insurance insights while deploying tech-forward innovations like satellite imaging to build predictive, preventive, and proactive solutions."

Boman Irani shares heartfelt moment as son Kayoze Irani's directorial debut Sarzameen unveils its trailer



Actor Boman Irani took to social media today to share a deeply emotional note as the trailer of Sarzameen, the directorial debut of his son Kayoze Irani, was officially unveiled. Expressing his pride and joy, Boman wrote: "There's a unique thrill in hearing your child say 'Action.' On July 25, #SarZameen arrives on Jio Hotstar – my son's first film as director and my greatest joy as a parent."

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Sarzameen marks a pivotal career milestone for Kayoze Irani as he transitions from being in front of the camera to making his first foray into feature film direction. This moment is not just a cinematic debut, but a personal triumph for the Irani family, underscoring the emotional bond between a proud father and his son stepping into a new creative chapter.

JioHotstar drops the first look of Sarzameen: Prithviraj Sukumaran, Kajol and Ibrahim Ali Khan in a stirring tale of sacrifice, service and the soul of the nation

CHANDIGARH: In a time of rising threats, a soldier must choose between the country he swore to protect... and the family he loves. Sarzameen, premiering July 25 exclusively on JioHotstar, is a powerful and emotionally charged thriller that delves into the quiet conflicts that rage behind the frontlines where the cost of duty is not just sacrifice, but sometimes, suspicion.

Set against the backdrop of an increasingly volatile Kashmir, the film follows Vijay Menon (Prithviraj Sukumaran), a decorated army officer known for his unshakable sense of duty and personal sacrifice.

As Meera (Kajol), a strong mother and wife, fights to hold the family together, Harman (Ibrahim Ali Khan) brings a raw, simmering intensity to the role of a young man caught between shadowed memories and unsettling truths.

Alok Jain, JioStar said, "Sarzameen is deeply relevant to the times we live in. It captures the emotional complexity of today's world with honesty and heart. As part of our ongoing commitment to bringing storytelling that is rooted and meaningfully crafted, we're proud to present Sarzameen, created in collaboration with Dharma. It's a film that truly reflects that vision."

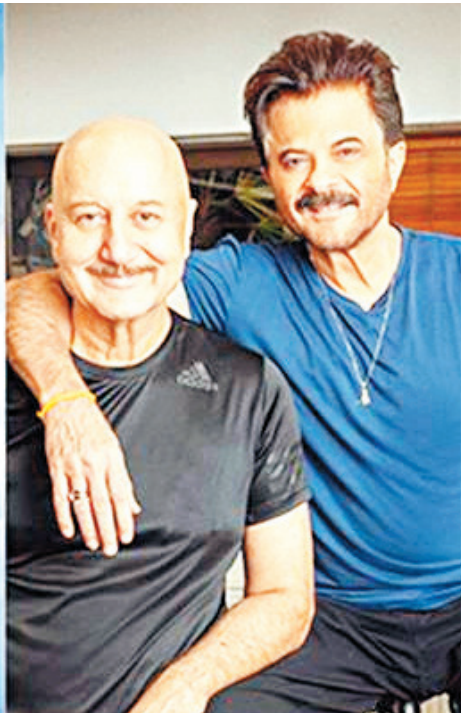


Karan Johar, Producer, said, "Sarzameen is a deeply emotional story about duty, family, and the choices that define us. It's not just a thriller, it's a personal and powerful journey that speaks to the times we live in. With honesty and heart, it explores what it means to stay true to your values when everything around you is tested. We're delighted to once again collaborate with JioHotstar to bring this story to audiences

across the country, it's a partnership that continues to support and celebrate meaningful storytelling."

Apoorva Mehta, Producer, added, "At Dharma, we believe in telling stories that connect emotionally and leave a lasting impact. Sarzameen is one such film, it has both scale and heart. Kayoze has handled the story with great sensitivity, and the performances by Prithviraj, Kajol, and Ibrahim are powerful and moving. We're proud to partner with JioHotstar to bring this film to audiences across India who enjoy meaningful and engaging cinema". Kayoze Irani, making his feature directorial debut with Sarzameen said, "Sarzameen will always hold a special place in my heart, not just because it marks my first feature film as a director, but because it gave me the chance to tell a story that is both deeply intimate and profoundly intense. I'm incredibly thankful to Karan, Apoorva, and the entire Dharma family for placing their trust in me. Working with phenomenal artists like Prithviraj Sir, Kajol Ma'am, and Ibrahim each of whom brought such emotional depth and honesty to their performances has been nothing short of a privilege. And I couldn't have asked for a more committed partner than JioHotstar to take this story to audiences across the country."

SRK, Anil Kapoor heap praise on Anupam Kher's 'Tanvi the Great'



The trailer of actor Anupam Kher's upcoming directorial 'Tanvi The Great' has received widespread acclaim from fans and celebrities, including Shah Rukh Khan and Anil Kapoor. The film, which tells the story of a young autistic woman aspiring to join the Indian Army, has sparked anticipation ahead of its theatrical release on July 18. Taking to his X handle, Shah Rukh Khan commended Kher's vision and courage, writing, "To my friend @AnupamPKher who has always taken chances... whether it's acting, filmmaking or life!! The trailer of #TanviTheGreat is looking awesome. All the best on this journey!!"

Responding to Khan's post, Kher expressed gratitude, reposting the message with the caption, "Thank you, my dearest friend, for your love and appreciation." Kapoor also lauded the film in a social media post, calling it "powerful, heartfelt, and deeply inspiring." Kapoor added, "Some stories stay with you long after the screen fades to black...#Tanvi-TheGreat is one of them. All my prayers and luck for the success of this labour of love." The Great' has already made its mark on the international stage. The film had its global premiere at the Cannes Film Festival earlier this year, where it received a standing ovation. It has since been screened at the New York Indian Film Festival, Houston, and Austin, drawing attention for both its narrative and perfor-

The film stars debutant Shubhangi Dutt as 21-year-old Tanvi Raina, a young woman with autism determined to fulfil her late father's dream: to salute the Indian flag at Siachen, the highest battlefield in the world. Her journey, as portrayed in the trailer, challenges societal expectations and institutional limitations

mances. Notably, Oscar winner Robert De Niro was among the attendees at its New York gala screening.

Speaking to a news agency, Anupam Kher shared that the film is about "igniting the goodness in human beings," which he believes has become buried in today's fast-paced world. "We all believe in goodness... but situations have made us forget it. When people watch this film, those original emotions return. The tears of viewers, the reaction to the music by MM Keeravani - it's all because we are connecting to that lost part of ourselves," Kher said.

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21-year-old Tanvi Raina, a young woman with autism determined to fulfil her late father's dream: to salute the Indian flag at Siachen, the highest battlefield in the world. Her journey, as portrayed in the trailer, challenges societal expectations and institutional limitations. In an interview, Dutt admitted she never imagined her first film would be a socially driven drama. "We've all grown up watching typical Bollywood stories, but something like this... I never saw it coming," she said. Despite her initial surprise, Dutt expressed deep gratitude, "Even ten years from now, I don't think anything can match Tanvi The Great. This will always be special." Kher emphasised that the film touches on a "universal problem", the underrepresentation and misunderstanding of individuals with autism. "It's a film from India, for the world," he said, adding that the film's success in international markets reflected its broad resonance. Veteran actors Jackie Shroff, Boman Irani, Pallavi Joshi, and Karan Tacker also feature in prominent roles. Music for the film is composed by Academy Award winner M. M. Keeravani. The project is backed by Anupam Kher Studios in collaboration with NFDC, with global distribution managed by Excel Entertainment and AA Films. The film is scheduled for a nationwide theatrical release on July 18,

Actors share their eco-friendly hacks for plastic bag-free living!

CHANDIGARH: On International Plastic Bag Free Day, actors are stepping up to inspire eco-conscious living by embracing simple yet impactful habits. From upcycling old clothes into trendy shopping totes to incorporating jute and cloth bags into their daily routines, they are proving that sustainability can be both effortless and stylish. Whether making a grocery run or appearing at the airport, their mindful choices send out a strong message: small steps can lead to a significant impact. &TV artists are also sharing their creative plastic-free lifestyle hacks. This includes insights from Himani Shivpuri (Katori Amma, Happu Ki Ultan Paltan) and Shubhangi Atre (Angoori Bhabhi, Bhabiji Ghar Par Hai). Himani Shivpuri, known as Katori Amma, shares, "I have always believed in reusing rather than discarding. At home, I've turned my old sarees and dupattas into sturdy shopping bags with the help of a friend. These fabric bags are not only durable and colourful but also carry emotional value, reminding me of beautiful moments from the past. I also keep a jute bag permanently in my car, so I never have to rely on plastic. Even on set, I try to set an example by carrying reusable bags and often talk to younger actors about making sustainable choices. On this International Plastic Bag Free Day, I urge everyone to revisit our traditional ways."



Make way for TV's Pushpa: Abhishek Malik's Allu Arjun-inspired look in Jamai No. 1 is too hot to handle

CHANDIGARH: Zee TV's popular fiction drama Jamai No. 1 is set to serve viewers a visually arresting and emotionally charged twist as Neel (Abhishek Malik) transforms into a never-before-seen avatar of Goddess Kaali Maa—one that channels the iconic intensity of Allu Arjun's look from Pushpa 2. In a first for Hindi television, the male lead steps into a divine and powerful form that blends cinematic flair with raw emotional gravitas. As the plot thickens with Riddhi's (Simaran Kaur) kidnapping and Neel's desperate mission to rescue her, viewers are in for a high-voltage visual experience.



To bring this striking transformation to life, Abhishek's makeover is no small feat—it took close to two hours each day, with full-body paint, dramatic eye makeup, elaborate temple jewellery, and a traditionally draped saree completing the intense look. What truly ups the ante? Abhishek performed a stylised, high-energy action sequence in this avatar, engaging in combat while draped in the heavy ensemble, bringing together devotion, adrenaline, and drama in a way that's never been attempted before.

Abhishek said, "Honestly, I was genuinely thrilled when I first heard about this track and I was going to play as Goddess Kaali Ma. I got goosebumps because the look is a complete replica of Allu Arjun's iconic avatar from Pushpa 2—fierce, intense, and rooted in power. We did a look test, and the response was amazing."

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