

Sewerage project to transform civic infrastructure in Jammu West: MLA Arvind

Kick-start sewerage construction work worth Rs 84 lakhs in Jammu West

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Senior BJP leader and MLA Jammu West, Arvind Gupta today kick-started the construction of a comprehensive sewerage network aimed at improving sanitation and urban infrastructure in the constituency. The project, undertaken by the Urban Environmental Engineering Department (UEED), focuses on providing sewerage connections in left-out areas, including Rehari, Sarwal, Rajpura, Shakti Nagar, and adjoining localities.

The development work of sewerage is being executed by the Sewerage & Drainage Division (West) of UEED Jammu with an estimated cost of Rs 84 lakhs. On the occasion, Vijay Manhas, XEn UEED, AEE Arun, JE Ashutosh, Veenu Khanna, Mandal President Atul Bakshi, Rajan Gupta, Amrik Singh and prominent people of Jammu West were also present. Speaking on the occasion, Arvind Gupta stated that this initiative would address the longstanding demand of the people of



Jammu West by improving sewerage facilities and ensuring a cleaner, healthier living environment. He highlighted how the lack of an efficient sewerage system has been a major concern for the area, impacting both hygiene and the overall quality of life.

Arvind Gupta reiterated the BJP's commitment to delivering development projects that directly benefit the public and improve their living conditions. He noted that this project would not only

enhance sanitation infrastructure but also contribute to a cleaner and healthier environment, aligning with the vision of a Swachh Bharat (Clean India). The initiative, he said, reflects the government's dedication to addressing grassroots issues and ensuring that urban areas in Jammu are equipped with modern amenities, he added. The MLA mentioned that the construction work involves laying a robust sewerage network, complete with house

sewer connections to previously excluded households in the above mentioned areas. Once completed, the project will significantly enhance waste management efficiency and reduce environmental concerns caused by open drainage. "The Development project of sewerage system underscores the BJP's resolve to transform Jammu West into a model constituency with upgraded infrastructure and improved quality of life for its residents." The senior BJP

leader also lauded the Urban Development Department for expediting the project and assured the public of timely completion. He further emphasized the BJP-led government's dedication to prioritizing infrastructure development and ensuring transparency in execution.

The people of the aforesaid areas expressed gratitude for the initiative, acknowledging it as a much-needed step towards modernization of the constituency's basic amenities. The MLA urged citizens to cooperate with officials during construction and adopt sustainable practices for maintaining sanitation. He also asked them to monitor the development work and inform him if any shortcoming they will notice during the construction period.

He assured that similar projects aimed at urban development and public welfare would continue to be prioritized. This milestone, he added, marks a step forward in improving civic infrastructure and the overall well-being of the people in Jammu West.

Mahajan Sewa Sangh Charitable Trust pays tributes to first PM of J&K Justice Mehr Chand Mahajan

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Neeraj Gupta President Mahajan Sewa Sangh along with the members of MSS paid tribute to the first Prime Minister of J&K and 3rd Chief Justice of Supreme Court of India Sh. Mehr Chand Mahajan on his birth anniversary at Court Road Chowk Janipur Jammu. The people who were present on the occasion was senior and respectable members from various sections of society, women and children were also present on the occasion. Mr. Gupta said that Justice Mehr Chand Mahajan was born on

December 23rd, 1889, in Kangra, Punjab (now Himachal Pradesh). He was the first prime minister of Jammu & Kashmir during 15 October 1947 - 5 March 1942 (142 days) the reign of Maharaja Hari Singh and played a key role in the accession of J&K to India.

He was also the third Chief Justice of Supreme Court of India and also a social activist and writer who work for the welfare of people of India. He played a key role in the Kashmir accession to India. He had written three famous books titled "Preserving Unity of India", "Increase Food

Production", "Kashmir's Accession to India". Mr. Gupta said that it is very unfortunate that we have no time to remember our heroes who had sacrificed and contributed their life for the welfare of the people and the country. He said that Govt. should declare holiday on the birth anniversary of the first prime minister of J&K. The people who were present on the occasion included R. K Gupta Gen Secretary MSS, Krishna Gupta, Advocate Monika Gupta President Women Wing MSS, Anmol Gupta, Anil Gupta, Arun Gupta Apurav Gupta etc.

Business leader Rahul Sahai honored in Tbilisi, Georgia

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Rahul Sahai, Chairman of the Indian Chamber of Commerce (ICC) Jammu Chapter and a prominent business leader from Jammu and Kashmir, was honored with the prestigious Business Leadership Award by the Dainik Jagran Group at a grand ceremony in Tbilisi, Georgia. Accompanying him was his wife, Rupika Sahai, Director of the Sahai Group of Companies, who was also recognized for her contributions to the business landscape. The award acknowledged Rahul Sahai's exceptional leadership, his transformative impact on the business and industrial sector of J&K, and his role in fostering growth and innovation. As a stalwart in the region's business community, Sahai has served as Chairman of the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) J&K Council, Chairman of the PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PHDCCI), and now leads the Indian Chamber of Commerce (ICC) Jammu Chapter.

In his speech, Rahul Sahai dedicated the award to the memory of his late father,

Shri Ram Sahai, and expressed gratitude to his family, especially his wife Rupika and daughters Riddhi and Akasha, for their unwavering support. He acknowledged the sacrifices made by his family due to the demands of his leadership roles and thanked his colleagues, friends, and co-chairs from various organizations for their consistent encouragement. Rahul Sahai said "I am deeply humbled to receive this recognition. This award is not just a personal milestone but a testament to the collective efforts of my family, colleagues, and the people of Jammu & Kashmir. My heartfelt thanks go to the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor of J&K, Shri Manoj Sinha Ji, and Chief Minister, Jenab Omar Abdullah, for their visionary leadership and unwavering support of the industrial fraternity," Sahai remarked.

Sahai also highlighted the strength of India's growing economy under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and reflected on the success of the G20 meeting held in Kashmir. He extended an invitation to business leaders from India

and Georgia to visit J&K to explore mutually beneficial business opportunities. The ceremony also paid tribute to the 11 Indians who tragically lost their lives in a Georgian ski resort, emphasizing the importance of resilience and community. Several prominent Indian personalities were recognized for their contributions across various sectors. Notable awardees included Dr. Rupesh K. Singh, Associate Vice President, Adani Group, Acharya Manish, Founder of Jeena Seekho, Life Careers Ltd, and MD of HIMS, Mrs. Geeta, Geeta University.

The event was attended by dignitaries from the Georgian government, adding an international dimension to the celebration. The Business Leadership Award is a testament to Rahul Sahai's relentless pursuit of excellence, his leadership of the Sahai Group of Companies, and his dedication to fostering industrial growth and community development in J&K. His recognition highlights the rising global prominence of Indian business leaders and serves as an inspiration for entrepreneurs in Jammu & Kashmir and beyond.

Saroori felicitates Paris 2024 Paralympics Bronze Medalist Sheetal Devi

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KISHTWAR, DEC 23:

Former Minister G.M. Saroori visited the native village of Sheetal Devi, Loidhar, in Kishtwar district to felicitate her for winning a bronze medal at the Paris 2024 Paralympics. Saroori praised Sheetal Devi for her extraordinary dedication, hard work, and outstanding performance, which has brought pride to the nation and inspired the youth of Jammu and Kashmir. During his interaction with Sheetal Devi, Saroori said, "Your remarkable achievements have not only made Jammu and Kashmir proud but have elevated the entire nation's spirit. Your dedication and performance at the international level are a source of inspiration for the younger generation." He emphasized the importance of such accomplishments, which highlight the immense talent and potential of the region's youth.

Sheetal Devi's achievement has created a wave of joy and celebration in her hometown. The villagers organized a special reception to honor her, with elders and young people expressing their admiration and gratitude for her bringing laurels to the region. Gifts and best wishes were showered upon her during the event. Several notable figures accompanied G.M. Saroori during the visit, including Ali

Mohammad Naik, Tariq Hussain Wani, Mehraj Din, Kailash Kumar, Naresh Kumar, Ghulam Mohammad Wani, and others. They extended their congratulations to Sheetal Devi and lauded her for setting a benchmark for the youth of Jammu and Kashmir.

Saroori further said that Sheetal Devi's journey to the Paralympics podium is a story of perseverance and determination. He said that overcoming numerous challenges, she proved that with hard work and focus, one can achieve greatness. Saroori said her success serves as a beacon of hope for young athletes who aspire to excel in sports despite hardships. G.M. Saroori urged the government to take significant measures to promote sports in Jammu and Kashmir and provide better facilities to aspiring athletes. He highlighted the need for infrastructural development and support to encourage more youngsters to participate in national and international competitions. Saroori said that Sheetal Devi's accomplishment has brought immense pride to Jammu and Kashmir and India. Her hard work and dedication are a testament to the potential of the region's youth. Saroori wishes her good luck for her future endeavors and hopes that Sheetal Devi's success will undoubtedly inspire generations to dream big and achieve their goals on global platforms.

PCC remembers Madan Lal Sharma on death anniversary

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Rich tributes were paid to Former Member Parliament and veteran Congress leader Madan Lal Sharma on his 4th death anniversary, today at PCC HQ Shaheedi Chowk, Jammu. Working President JKPC Shri Raman Bhalla chaired the meeting which was attended by senior leaders of PCC, DCC and frontal wings of the party. Floral tributes were paid to the veteran leader in the meeting and the senior leaders remembered his contributions in different capacities to the party and the people during his public life spread over to around five decades. He was a humble personality and always remained associated with the people at the grass root levels especially poor and the downtrodden. They described him as a great leader of the party who was liked by one and all because of his humbleness and qualities of leadership. He saw many ups and downs in his public life but remained a determined soldier of the people and the party. Prominent among those who paid tributes include Ravinder Sharma, Yogesh Sawhney, Ved ahajan, Th. Manmohan Singh, Arvinder Singh Micky, Nizam-ud-din Bhat (MLA Bandipora), Shashi Sharma, Suresh Dogra, Shiv Kumar Sharma, Vijay Sharma, Vijay Shastri, A.P. Singh Lucky, Rajesh Sharma, Dr. R.K. Khajuria, Rajeev Saraf, Sandeep Dogra, Praveen Singh, Bimla Sathia, Th. Hoshiyar Singh, Anuradha Sharma and others.

JSS Kathua shines at CBSE National Adolescent Summit 2024 with stellar achievements

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KATHUA, DEC 23:

The students of Jammu Sanskriti School, Kathua, shone brightly at the CBSE National Adolescent Summit 2024 on Life Skills, Mental Health, Safety & Wellbeing, held at National Bal Bhavan, New Delhi, among 800+ participants from across India. Devyanshi Bakshi earned the Exemplary Award in Eloquence: The Young Orators Championship, showcasing her exceptional oratory skills. Amav Singh received the Outstanding Award in Kalakriti: On-the-Spot Thematic Painting, impressing everyone with his creativity and artistic brilliance. Harsumeet and Akriti were awarded the Consolation Prize in Health & Wellness Exhibition: Emerging Best Practices, for their impactful and thoughtful display. These achievements reflect the dedication, hard work, and talent of our students, guided by their school counselor and PGT Psychology, Miss Sonam Sharma, and the unwavering support of our principal, Mrs. Mili R. Sumbira.

Empathy in action: Cambridge International School raises Rs 1.58 lakh for HelpAge India

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Cambridge International School, Purkhoo Camp, Domana, proudly demonstrated the power of compassion and community by raising an impressive Rs 1.58 lakh for HelpAge India. This initiative reflects the school's unwavering commitment to fostering empathy and social responsibility among its students. In a special ceremony held at the school, representatives from HelpAge India expressed their gratitude by presenting certificates and goodies to the students and teachers who collected the maximum donations. The management, along with the Principal and Vice Principal, were also felicitated for their instrumental support and leadership in making this drive a remarkable success. The overwhelming support from students, parents, and the wider community exemplifies the spirit of giving and unity. The school extends heartfelt thanks to everyone who contributed to this noble cause.

Sahil Mahajan releases Punjabi Album 'Jannat'

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Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) Jk ut Co-Convenor Sanskriti, Art and Culture cell Sahil Mahajan released Punjabi Album "Jannat" at Bahu Plaza Jammu .BJP JK UT Co-Convenor Sanskriti Art Culture Cell Sahil Mahajan Along Social Activity, Paryas Kriopia, Hai singh released the Album. The programme was organized by Dr Sandeep. The song "Jannat" has been sung by singer Ma Sheikh, and composed by Ma Sheikh. The video has been prepared by Kk Malhotra Featuring Dr Sandeep Singh & Aditi Aryan, Music Epoque G under Special thnx Parveen Sharma & Hotel Pineheripage Patnipur .The Album has been released on YouTube Athwal TryMix Record Channel" simultaneously. Sahil Mahajan appreciated the BJP Sanskriti Art & Culture Cell J&K for encouraging the young talent. He said that we as a societal family must endeavour to support and nurture young talent which will bring laurels to the whole Jammu & Kashmir. Sahil while speaking lauded the young talent of Jammu & Kashmir in bringing out melodious devotional albums. He said that "Jannat" is revered by one and all in the whole region. He praised the whole production team, especially the Singers and Sahil Mahajan for their efforts in making the release of the album. Sahil also said that new opportunities are being opened up everywhere today for the innovative mind set. He said that "Bharat Bhoomii" has a vast and rich cultural heritage and these devotees of fine arts ensure that the mind of our creative youth is directed towards nurturing their skills with a positive mind set up.

Zorawar advocates devotional, spiritual lifestyle to combat drug menace

Shree Gou Gopal Mahayagya

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During the ongoing nine-day-long Shree Gou Gopal Mahayagya held at the holy Samadhi Sthal of Shri Dawarika Nath Shastri Ji Maharaj at Sohanjana Marh here today, Chairman Team Jammu Zorawar Singh Jamwal delivered an inspiring message, emphasizing that devotion and spirituality are powerful tools to guide the youth away from drugs and towards a life of purpose and positivity.

Addressing the gathering, Zorawar Singh Jamwal stated, "Drug addiction is a growing menace that destroys lives and the very fabric of society. A life rooted in devotion and spirituality not only keeps us away from harmful influences but also provides the inner strength and clarity needed to face life's challenges. The teachings of great saints like Shri Dawarika Nath Shastri Ji Maharaj remind us of the importance of self-discipline, service, and spiritual growth as the foundation for a meaningful life." While appreciating Shri Gangadhar Ji Maharaj for organising such a mega religious and spiritual programme every year, Zorawar Singh Jamwal urged the youth to embrace spiritual practices such as prayer, meditation, and community serv-



ice to cultivate resilience and purpose. "Devotion to higher values and a connection with the divine can fill the void that often leads people to substance abuse. A spiritual lifestyle keeps the mind focused, the body healthy, and the soul at peace," he said. Team Jammu Chief also called upon parents, educators, and community leaders to actively promote spiritual and devotional activities among the younger generation. "Guiding our youth toward spiritual practices is not just a personal responsibility but a social obligation. Together, we can create an environment where our children find joy and purpose in devotion rather than falling

prey to the evils of addiction," he added. The Shree Gou Gopal Mahayagya, held to commemorate the birth anniversary of Shri Dawarika Nath Shastri Ji Maharaj, brought together devotees and spiritual leaders from across the region. The event featured spiritual discourses, devotional practices, and community initiatives, embodying the saint's ideals of compassion, harmony, and service. Zorawar Singh Jamwal's message resonated deeply with attendees, inspiring them to embrace the devotional and spiritual way of life as a powerful means to combat drug abuse and foster a healthier, more harmonious society.

Northern Zone Insurance Employees' Association celebrates its foundation day

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69th Foundation Day of Northern Zone Insurance Employees' Association, representing LIC employees of Jammu and Kashmir was observed by NZIEA Srinagar Division in the leadership of Comrade Pawan Gupta; Divisional Secretary of the Association. This DAY was celebrated in all offices of LIC of India across Jammu & Kashmir. On this occasion, at D.O. Cell Jammu, Flag of the Association was hoisted by Vice President of the Association, Comrade Dinesh Kumar Sharma. Speaking on the occasion, Com. Pawan Gupta said that NZIEA was formed on 22 December 1956, and 69th Foundation Day is being observed all over the Northern Zone today. He said that LIC employees under the

banner have been able to protect LIC till date by its struggles and it will continue to fight against the policies of the Central Government, which are leading to selling of public sector, inflation, unemployment, loss of jobs, farmers' suicide, ending with permanent employment in army etc. Com. He spoke about the sacrifices of the previous leaders due to which we, the LIC employees have achieved due rights. He stressed the need for broader level unity of the working class to fight the anti-people, anti-farmer, anti-working class, anti-youth policies of the government. He said that since its formation in 1956, NZIEA has fought many struggles and came out successful. Struggles against Automation in 1965-1969, struggle against

LIC Split Bill in 1980, and struggle against report of MALHOTRA COMMITTEE were fought and won by NZIEA. The Association continues to fight against privatisation and disinvestment in LIC. He congratulated all the members on this day. Others who were present- Com. Rajesh Gupta -Joint Secretary, Com. Rajesh Kumar-Treasurer, Com. Raj Kumar-Office Secretary, Com. Priya Sharma-Women sub-committee, Com. Harkesh Kumar Singh-Secretary Jammu-3, and others. The programme was organised at Jammu-2 by R.P. Singh, Samba by Surat Singh, R.S. Pura by Jagdish, Udhampur by Sham Singh, Rajouri by Vikas and Vinod Sharma, Doda by Anmol Sharma, Poonch by Raj Kumar, Kathua by Vijay Verma and Mohan Lal.

FFMA, SRS pay tributes to Justice Mehar Chand Mahajan on 135th birth anniversary

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Freedom Fighters Memorial Association (FFMA) and Shri Ram Sena (SRS) on Monday celebrated 135th Birth Anniversary of Justice Mehar Chand Mahajan, first Prime Minister of Jammu and Kashmir State and third Chief Justice of India at Doga Shourya Sthal Amphalla, under the Chairmanship of Rajiv Mahajan. While paying tributes to Justice Mehar Chand Mahajan, Rajiv Mahajan (Chairman Freedom Fighter Memorial Association (FFMA) and UT President of Shri Ram Sena (SRS) appreciated the contribution of Justice Mahajan as a member of Redchiff Committee which played major role in connecting J&K with rest of India through Gurdaspur.

Rajiv threw light on the contribution of Justice Mehar Chand Mahajan for which not only the people of Jammu but entire nation feel proud of him as he had worked for the welfare of the communities irrespective of caste, creed, religion and region. Mehar Chand Mahajan was the third Chief Justice of India. His contributions for both on and off the Bench, will always remain a philosophical stimulus for the legal fraternity. Law Reports are a testimony of his work as a judge. He authored many famous decisions and landmark cases. Justice Mahajan made his name as an accomplished lawyer, a respected judge, and an influential politician, he added.

Rajiv Mahajan, while paying his tributes, said that Justice Mehar Chand

Mahajan has worked on various important assignments during his life, but his position as Prime Minister of J&K was a formidable challenge for him. The biggest challenge and achievement of Mahajan's career was during the few months that he was the Prime Minister of Jammu and Kashmir from October 15, 1947 to March 1948. Others were present on the occasion Ved Gandotra (Chief Patron of Association), Prof. SS. Balwal (President of FFMA Association), R.C. Puri (Retd. KAS, Vice Chairman of FFMA), Karnail Chand (Working President), Pritam Sharma (Vice President), Sdr. Rimple Singh (General Secretary), Ravinder Mittal (Finance Secretary), (Kamal Sharma, K.L. Verma, Ram Rattan Raina, and others.

Residential refresher coaching camp of Kabaddi, Volleyball, Yoga, Judo and Wushu commences

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As per precious practice vogue, the department of youth services and sports of District Jammu today organised as a week-long refresher course of P.E.M., PET's, REK's at Youth Hostel Nagrotaw. e.f 23-12-24 to 28-12-2024. The in-services trainers are drawn from all fourteen Zones of District Jammu, comprises approximately 135 officials with resources persons of Volleyball, Kabaddi, Judo, Wushu and Yoga. The resource person are directed by authorities to train them with latest skills and technology of said event games.

So that same shall be transformed to the students in their institutions by their concerned teachers. The programme of this core shall be continued as per time table and fixture. The refresher course of the officials are supervised by ZPEO Bhalwal Smt. Awanish Rani and ZPEO Khor Smt. Ushafotedar under the overall supervision of Warden Youth Hostel Nagrota Jammu Sh. Varinder Sharma. The whole programme of refresher course is organised by, under the patronage of Director General Youth Services and Sports JK UT Sh. Rajinder Singh Tara (JKAS) under the guidance of

Joint Director Youth Services and Sports Jammu Sh. VedParkash (JKAS) and the overall supervision of DYSSO Jammu Sh. Sunil Kumar Sharma along with I/C DYSSO Jammu Smt. Harvinder Kour. All the deployed officials of organising committee were present during the inauguration in simple way to make the said programme more satisfactory. This event is being conducted by experts of the department including Sanjit Kumar, Amit Sharma, Rajesh Bhandral, Usha Devi, Ajay Wadera, Naresh Kumar, Anil Sharma, Smt. Sushma Kotwal and other technical officials of the department.