



Divisional Commissioner Jammu, Shantmanu speaking at training programme organized by IIPA at Jammu on Saturday.

## IIPA organizes training prog on management

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Aug 31: Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA), J&K Regional Branch organized a training programme on Management Competencies here today.

It was inaugurated by the Divisional Commissioner Jammu Shantmanu and attended by 56 officers from various departments including Police and Civil Administration besides J&K Bank and SMVDSB.

While speaking on the occasion, the Divisional Commissioner emphasized that during the delivery of public service the active cooperation of public at large must be ensured for the desired results. He exhorted the young officers that when ever in doubt while decision making, think of the common man. He further laid stress on

improving the management competencies by balancing the personal, professional and social life to become an effective tool in the delivery of public service.

Earlier, Chairman IIPA, J&K Regional Branch Dr Ashok Bhan welcomed the chief guest, faculty and participants and impressed upon the significance of this programme in bringing the practitioners and academicians at a common platform. He impressed upon the participants that while maintaining discipline in public life, the officers must try to think out of the box solutions in order to encourage initiative in the subordinate team members.

The resource persons for this programme were from the Business School, University of Jammu. They included Prof Alka Sharma, Dr Anil Gupta and Dr Komal Nagar.

## Ashok Arora meets Governor

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SRINAGAR, Aug 31: Ashok Arora, author, social activist and former secretary, Supreme Court Bar Association, called on N. N. Vohra, Governor, at the Raj Bhavan here today.

During their meeting, the Governor and Mr. Arora discussed several important issues relating to child development, child rights and education of youth.

Mr. Arora presented to the Governor his two books "Meet Your Soul" and "Simple Tips for Sureshot Success", besides a DVD. "Meet Your Soul" is a book for parents and teachers, while "Simple Tips for Sureshot Success" is for youth. The DVD contains "Kasoor Kiska", which is an educational film for youth.

### NOTICE INVITING e-TENDERS

The Executive Engineer, Jammu Central Division-I, CPWD, Jammu invites on behalf of President of India online item rate bids for following work:-  
(i). NIT No. 13/EE/JMCD-I/2013-14 Name of work: "C/o Admn. Block Quarter Guard and Store Block for Bn. Camping site of CRPF at Sunderbani (J&K). SH: C/o Link Road to Admn. Block and GO's Mess from main gate."  
Estimated Cost: Rs. 6,88,204/- Earnest money: Rs. 13,764/- Period of completion: 2 Months Last time and date of submission of bid 09-09-2013 upto 3.00 P.M.  
(ii). NIT No. 14/EE/JMCD-I/2013-14 Name of work "Repair & Renovation of GSI Office Complex Building at Transport Nagar, Jammu (J&K)."  
Estimated Cost: Rs. 31,51,618/- Earnest money: Rs. 63,032/- Period of completion: 6 Months Last time and date of submission of bid 09-09-2013 upto 3.00 P.M.  
The bid forms & other details can be obtained from the website www.tenderwizard.com/CPWD, www.eprocure.gov.in or www.cpwd.gov.in

## Non-teaching employees support VC BGSBU VC appeals agitating teachers to resume class work

Excelsior Correspondent

RAJOURI, Aug 31: As the ongoing strike by Baba Ghulam Shah Badshah University (BGSBU) teachers entered into sixth day today, the Vice-Chancellor Prof Irshad Hamal has appealed the agitating faculty to resume class work in the interest of students career.

He said that majority of the demands projected by the teachers have been conceded and policy matters were under consideration which may take some time to get mitigated.

Admitting that the University has to work under constraints in view of limited resources and remote geographical conditions, the VC however hoped that these difficulties would be overcome soon.

The demands projected by the teachers are being discussed by a committee and the talks are yielding results. A few issues require further discussion which I hope will also be addressed soon. Further delay in resumption of teaching shall only lead to academic loss and inertia in the University. The academic activity should, therefore, be resumed in the interest of our students and the stability

of the University, the VC appealed. Meanwhile, extending support to the VC, BGSBU Non Teaching Association has also appealed the agitating teachers to avoid such pressure tactics which damage the career of students.

A meeting of the Association was held on the campus wherein the members highlighted the achievements of University and cooperative approach of the BGSBU administration.

A delegation of BUNTA also met Teaching Association president and made him formal appeal to look into the request of the non teaching community for smooth functioning of the university.

The BUNTA meeting was attended by Aftab Mir, Zakir Hussain Malik, Shahbaz Choudhary, Rakesh Sharma, Muzaffer Iqbal Malik, Mohammad Shafeeq, Mohammad Shafiq Chouhan, Mohammad Naseer, Zaheer Usmaan, Fareena Kousar, Ashwani Kumar, Shahbaz Ahmed, Mintay Sharma, Rizwan Ahmed, Mohammad Iqbal, Naseeb Mirza, Sajjad Hussain, Khalid Rasool, Brig Mohan, Javed Iqbal, Asif Rashid, Tanveer Raja, Tariq Mehmood Batt and Javed Ahmed, Mushtaq Ahmed, Manoj Kumar and Manzoor Ahmed.

## Govt, private institutions' plea to Chairman BOSE

Excelsior Correspondent

KISHTWAR, Aug 31: The representatives of various Government and private educational institutions have appealed to the Chairman, J&K Board of School Education (BOSE) to conduct the examination of class 10th and 12th in the last week of November.

This was stated by delegation of Government and private educational institutions, which visited the EXCELSIOR office today.

Consequent upon the situations arising out of intermittent earthquake, tense atmosphere and curfew, almost three months of the precious period of schooling and academic activities of the student community of Kishtwar, Doda and Ramban has been badly affected, they said.

They added that in Kishtwar particular schooling is not still on track and it may take some more time to gain impetus in academic activities.

They urged the Chairman, BOSE to conduct the examination of class 10th and 12th in the last week of November, so as to bring schools and students out of pulls and pressures of earlier examination and also give the opportunity to the students to improve and prepare thoroughly for the ensuing board exams.

## Mega Final of 'Voice of J&K' held at Jammu

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Aug 31: The Mega Final of Voice of J&K, a singing competition, organised by Pooja Kala Sangam, Nagrota Kandoli, was held here today at Government Polytechnic Bikram Chowk.

Minister for Housing and Horticulture and Culture, Raman Bhalla, was the chief guest while Dr Ravinder Singh Rissam (Retd CEO) and Centre Head, Sharda Education Academy, Surinder Kumar Bhatt, Principal, Government Higher Secondary School Nagrota, Sarpanch Raman Wazir, Sarpanch Raman Slathia, Dr Salim Choudhary, MD, Choudhary Nursing Home, Satish Sharma, president, PYC, Jammu-Poonch Constituency, were the guests of honour on the occasion.

A total of 22 participants including male and females in Senior and Junior category from different areas, schools and colleges took part in the function. The winners were awarded Rs 10,000 cash, a certificate and medals by the chief guest while gift coupons were awarded by the Centre Head of the Sharda Education Academy.

The Sharda Education Academy also announced the concession/scholarship to all the finalists of the function. The winners also got an opportunity to perform in music albums. The show was adjudged by renowned music director, Surinder Manhas, veteran singer, Narinder Wazir, music composer, Bishan Dass and Hitesh Badyal, guitarist and president, Nirvana Academy Cultural Club.

The Director of the function, Raju Gill, while speaking announced that Pooja Kala Sangam will organise these kinds of event in future also.

Vaneet Gill, assistant director, Raj Kumar Magotra coordinator, Aditya Khajuria, Antu Kotwal, Rajinder Kumar Lucky and Anil Kumar were also part of the organising team of the event.

## Three-day eye camp commences

Excelsior Correspondent

LEH, Aug 31: Three-day eye camp organized by Health Department, Live to Love Organization and Tilganga Institute of Ophthalmology Kathmandu commenced at SNM Hospital, here.

Out of the registered 170 eye patients mostly from Changthang region and other backward areas of Ladakh, who were referred for surgery by conducting cataract screening, nearly 100 eye patients have so far been treated with cataract surgery.

Eye Specialist Doctors of

## Shabir flags off Mobile Medical Units

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Aug 31: Minister for Health, Shabir Ahmed Khan flagged off three Mobile Medical Units from the Directorate of Health Jammu today. This ambitious health care initiative envisaged under the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) caters to primary preventive, curative, promotive and referral health needs of the people in the un-served remote areas at their doorsteps.

The Minister exhorted that a liberal funding from the Central Government and able guidance of Union Health Minister Ghulam Nabi Azad has helped to revamp the health services in the State, adding that these mobile units are a step ahead towards strengthening the primary health care services. He said there has been due recognition of the hard work and collaborative efforts of the department at the national fora.

Director Health Services B. S. Pathania, Mission Director NRHM Yash Pal Sharma, Director Family Welfare Dr. Baldev Raj Sharma, senior officers of the department and prominent citizens were present on the occasion.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr Khan informed that in the

initial phase three mobile units have been sent to Rajouri, Udhampur and Doda and very soon the facility will be extended to other districts also. He said that these fully equipped units developed at a cost of Rs 27 lakh each will provide medicare and other diagnostic facilities to the people of the remote areas at their doorsteps.

He stressed the need to further improve and streamline the functioning of the department and said that all efforts are being made to resolve the grievances of the staff but at the same time he maintained that the expectations of the Government and the people have to be fulfilled with ardor and honesty. He said that patients' trust and belief in the profession should be maintained and strengthened by the doctors with their dedicated efforts. He asked for ensuring punctuality of staff in the offices and health centers.

## Distribution of ration among selected families condemnable: TDFD

Excelsior Correspondent

DODA, Aug 31: Distribution of free ration among selected families in tehsil Thathri in general and Jia and Joura Panchayats in particular is highly condemnable.

This was stated by president, Tehsil Thathri Development Front (TDFD), Kuldeep Kumar Rao in a statement issued here.

He said that the developmental works is taking place in the areas where the favorites of the politicians resides and same is in the case of earthquake affected families residing in Doda and Kishtwar districts in general and tehsil Thathri in particular.

He said that this step-motherly treatment of the Government and the agencies concerned needs to be investigated by an impartial

agency, so as to bring forth this grave act of nepotism and favoritism.

"Report of deviation of Kahara-Jai road submitted by committee framed by Chief Secretary has been compiled on the bases of wrong information received by the committee from the ground level employees, which is perverse and contrary to the facts and situation existing on spot", he added.

Rao appealed to Union Health Minister Ghulam Nabi Azad, Chief Minister Omar Abdullah and Minister for Roads and Buildings Abdul Majid Wani to depute officers from the office of Divisional Commissioner, Jammu, along with Technical Officer from the office of Chief Engineer, PMGSY, Jammu, so as to redress the grievances of the inhabitants.

## Charak takes up railway related issues with Chairman PSC

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Aug 31: Due to the acute shortage of staff, there are only 3 to 4 ticket reservation counters functioning at Jammu Railway Station and needs 10 to 12 counters to cater the needs of the rising number of tourists and

Gurman Singh, Member, DRUCC. Charak further stated that there are only four general ticket counters, whereas at least 6 to 8 counters are required to cater to the inflow of the users.

He added that during the recent rains, sheds at the platform of Jammu Railway Station were leaking, which have added woes to the tourists vis-a-vis pilgrims and demanded immediate repair of the same. Charak also demanded additional platforms at Jammu Railway Station.

He demanded replacement of DMU with EMU and its composition should be increased for 6 bogies to 12 bogies, change of timing of Udhampur-Jammu DMU in view of the timing of the Government offices and corrective measures to check the dumping of garbage near Udhampur railway line.

"We had taken all these aforesaid issues with the Chairman, Passenger Services Committee (PSC), who assured that all the issues will be redressed at the earliest", Charak informed.



Gambhir Dev Singh Charak interacting with media persons at Jammu on Saturday.

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This was stated by Gambhir Dev Singh Charak, member, Zonal Railway Users Consultative Committee (ZRUC) during a press conference here today. Charak was accompanied by

## Protest against Finance Company

Excelsior Correspondent

RAJOURI, Aug 31: A large number of investors today held protest demonstration against Vikrant Finance Company at main bazaar here today.

The investors who have allegedly been duped by the management of the company assembled at main bazaar in the town here and held protest demonstration. They were demanding their hard earned money back. They also raised slogans against the police and the district administration and alleged that despite lodging complaint with the police and the district administration their money was not repaid. They also raised slogans against the owners/ management of the Finance Company and after staging protest for about half an hour they dispersed.

## Absconder held after 5 yrs

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Aug 31: Police today arrested an absconder, who was evading his arrest for the past five years.

A police spokesman said that, police today arrested an absconder, who has been identified as Karamat Hussain, son of Mohammad Hussain of Bafliaz, Surankote, District Poonch.

He said that the accused was involved in a case registered with Akhnoor Police Station under FIR number 74/2008 under Section 279, 304-A RPC.

The accused has been handed over to Akhnoor police for further investigation under Law, he added.

A special team constituted by the police arrested the accused under the supervision of SP Headquarters Shailender Singh.

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