

Farooq, Omar, others pay tribute to Aga Syed Mehdi

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SRINAGAR, Nov 2: The Jammu and Kashmir National Conference president and Member of Parliament from Srinagar Dr Farooq Abdullah and vice president Omar Abdullah paid glowing tribute to noted religious scholar Late Aga Syed Mehdi on his 22nd martyrdom anniversary.

NC vice president Omar Abdullah also paid tribute to Aga Syed Mehdi and recollect-ed the late leader's numerous positive contributions to the public life.

Among others general secretary Ali Mohd Sagar, additional general secretary Dr Sheikh Mustafa Kamal, Provincial president Nasir Aslam Wani, chief spokesperson Tanvir Sadiq, Party MPs Mohd Akbar Lone, Hasnain Masoodi, senior leaders Ch Mohd Ramzan, Abdul Rahim Rather, Mohd Shafi Uri, Mubarak Gul, Shameema Firdous, Ali Mohd Dar, Dr Bashir Ahmed Veeri, Javed Dar, Imran Nabi Dar, Syed Tauqeer Shah, Ahsan Pardesi, YNC Provincial president Salman Ali Sagar, Sarah Hayat Shah, Women's Wing Provincial president Er Sabiya Qadri, Ifra Jan and others also paid glowing tributes to Late Aga Syed Mehdi on this occasion.

Train operations resume between Nurpur and Baijnath stations

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JAMMU, Nov 2: Train operations resumed today between Nurpur and Baijnath stations of heritage narrow gauge line between Pathankot-Joginder Nagar, which is also known as Kangra Valley Railway.



Extra engines and coaches are also planned to be brought here so that train services can increase.

To provide speedy assistance in case of any untoward incident, ART (Accident Relief Train) which was earlier stationed at Pathankot has also been brought to Nurpur station.

First train ex Nurpur stn 04699 departed right time at 06:00 hrs and first ex train ex Baijnath Paprola also departed right time at 06:00 hrs. Second set of trains departing time has been scheduled at 15:00 hrs ex both the terminal stations. Crossing of the trains happened at Jwalamukhi road station.

The section was closed since more than four months due to which the movement of people of this portion of Kangra district was badly affected. Now with the train services getting resumed, it will bring a solace to the people of this region and will help with the movement of people whether it is for education, trade or other reasons.

Thief arrested with clue of tattoos on hands, stolen items recovered

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JAMMU, Nov 2: Miran Sahib Police arrested a thief with a clue of tattoos on his hands and recovered stolen items from his possession.

The team put in hectic efforts and finally arrested the accused with the help of two tattoos on his hands.

NC nominates NCSU office bearers

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JAMMU, Nov 2: With the approval of NC provincial president Jammu, Rattan Lal Gupta, provincial office bearers of NC Student Union (NCSU) have been nominated by Harsh Vardhan Singh, provincial president NCSU.

On his disclosure, 6 stolen android phones, laptop and Rs 45,900 cash were recovered. Further investigation into the case is going on.

45 grams heroin recovered, 1 held

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RAJOURI, Nov 2: The police arrested a drug-peddler and recovered a consignment of heroin from his possession in Nowshera area today.

Official sources said that acting on the specific input of narcotics smuggling, a police team from Police Station Nowshera, headed by SHO Rajesh Jasrotia established a naka along with concerned Executive Magistrate in Rajpur Bhatta area of Nowshera. The alert naka party observed suspect named Liaquat Hussain, son of Mohd Mir, resident of Androoth, Qila Darhal coming towards them.

TRT Nagrota elects new president

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Nov 2: TRT Nagrota Migrants Development Committee has elected Rook Krishen Koul as its president and Kamal Krishen Bhat as vice president.

The accused was credibly suspected to be carrying some narcotics to sell among local youth in the area who was approaching towards the naka party.

SSP Samba discusses forthcoming challenges with police officers

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SAMBA, Nov 2: SSP Samba, Dr. Abhishek Mahajan, held a meeting with the officers of District Police Samba/ CID/ Army/BSF/CRPF/ITBP/Intelligence Bureau and other sister agencies at Conference Hall, DPO Samba to discuss the forthcoming challenges in the coming days.

At the outset of the meeting, SSP Samba highlighted the various challenges to come up in the coming Winter along the International Border (IB) including cross border infiltration, digging of tunnels and drone dropping of arms/narcotics. SSP stressed upon all the participants for effective and coordinated efforts of all the sister agencies to meet out any eventuality and to thwart the nefarious designs of Anti National Elements (ANEs).

The participants appraised the meeting about the current security scenario in their area of responsibility. During the meeting, inputs/feedback was shared and discussed in length. In the meeting, emphasis was laid on more synergy among the police and security forces deployed in the district and measures to be taken to strengthen border security grid.

Ganderbal admin issues guidelines to control lumpy skin disease

Excelsior Correspondent

SRINAGAR, Nov 2: The district administration Ganderbal has issued directions for controlling the spread of lumpy skin disease and has asked all the departments to work in coordination.

In this regard, the Animal Husbandry Department has been directed to implement all advisories issued by the Administrative Department from time to time on the ground and identify the prevalence of the disease and ensure vaccination of the animals affected by the disease.

"On identification of prevalence of the disease, Municipal Council Ganderbal shall apply the insecticides and fly repellents in & around the cattle farms/ individual

Officers asked to ensure quality disposal of grievances

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SRINAGAR, Nov 2: The administration in Ganderbal has directed the concerned officers to ensure quality disposal of all the grievances addressed to them.

In this regard, the Deputy Commissioner of the district through a circular has stated that it has been observed in the recent 'Awaam Ki Awaz' that some issues of 'IGRAMS' came to the fore, where, it said, Action Taken Reports are not uploaded on the Portal.

"Also it has been evaluated at Secretariat level...and has been found that the grievance has been disposed of by the concerned department as per Portal report, but the complainant has shown displeasure/ dissatisfaction with the reply," DC said.

Two absconders arrested

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RAMBAN, Nov 2: Police arrested two absconders, who were at large from the past two years.

As per official sources, on specific information a team from Police Post Jawahar Tunnel led by PSI Harish Kumar under the supervision of SHO Banihal Inspector Mohammad Afzal Wani, SDPO Banihal Nisar Ahmad Khoja and SP Ramban Mohita Sharma conducted raid and apprehended two absconders from Ramban, who were evading their arrest from the past two years.

The accused were identified as Gurjeet Singh, son of Amit Kumar of Gurharabahi, Ferozpur Punjab and Joginder Singh, son of Kartar Singh of Nadana, Ferozpur, Punjab.

Woman dies due to electric shock

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Nov 2: A woman died due to electric shock while taking bath in Garhi area here, police sources said.

The deceased was identified as Phoolan Devi, wife of Tirthnand of Bihar, at present Garhi District Jammu.

The body of the deceased has been shifted to mortuary of Government Medical College and Hospital (GMCH) for autopsy. Kanachack Police has taken cognizance in this regard.

Development should reach last mile and last person: Mandeep Kaur

Excelsior Correspondent

POONCH, Nov 2: Commissioner Secretary, Rural Development Department (RDD) and Panchayati Raj, Mandeep Kaur today visited Panchayat Seri Khwaja of Lassana block of the district and participated in the B2V4 activities there.

During the visit to Panchayat Halqa, the Commissioner Secretary also interacted with general public and PRI representatives of the block and held detailed deliberations with them regarding the development of their area. She also had a detailed feedback from them regarding the developmental activities carried out in the area.

During the interaction, Kaur gave patient hearing to various issues and demands of the local populace regarding healthcare, education, employment, SBM, JYM etc. She advised the local level functionaries to be sensitive towards locally felt needs while make developmental plans. She also assured the public that all of their genuine issues will be resolved on priority.

Dogri movie 'Aaun Aan Shinda' to be released on Nov 11

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Nov 2: Dogri movie 'Aaun Aan Shinda' by Suman Kesar Productions and AB Films is going to hit cinema houses on November 11.



A poster release function for the movie was held here today by the team behind the movie which lead role in the movie. Others who have acted in the film were Shivani Wazir, Ashish Kohli, Sugam Bral, Rahul Khatri, Arun Sharma, Amrik Singh, Rekha Sharma, Subash Jamwal, Hitesh Mahajan, Rimjhim Anand, Sheetal Rakwal, Manik Sharma, Ankur Sharma, Ishan Mansotra, Shekhar Sharma, Neeraj Sharma and Lucky Khatri. The film has been produced by Suman Kesar, story conceptualized by Shilakha Sharma, dialogues given by Vikram Sharma, the film is directed by Aditya Bhanu, music is given by Gautam Ganesh, songs written and composed by Chamam Lehri while Post Production was done by Neeraj Badyal.

Congregations

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JAMMU, Nov 2: The bi-annual congregation of Rohmetra Mahajan Biradari will be held on November 6 (Sunday) instead of November 8, at Devsthan Nanak Nagar, Shivaji Chowk Sector-14, near Power Grid Station. President of the Rohmetra Biradari, Parbhakar Rohmentra, said the congregation has been preponed on account of Chander Grahani on November 8. He requested all the Biradari members to attend the congregation and seek blessings of Kuldevta Baba Pragan Nath Ji.

Jandial Biradari is going to hold its bi-annual congregation on 6th November at Devsthan of Baba Sehejnath Ji, Gole Pulli, Jammu. According to the president of the Sabha, Raman Gupta, even though the Kartik Purnima this year falls on 8th November but unfortunately there is moon eclipse and the 'Sutak' starts from 7 AM, the Devsthan cannot be opened for Puja. As such it was decided to hold the 'mail' on 6th November. General secretary Rakesh Jandial, said the Hawan will start at 7.30 AM and 'Dhwaj-Arohan' will take place at 9.30 AM. After 'Pattal Puja', the langer will commence at 10 AM.

The annual congregation of Patyar Biradari will be held on November 6 at Datti Devsthan, Bampur. Hawan will start at 10 AM and Bhandara will be served to the devotees from 1 PM onwards.

Puri Biradari is going to hold its congregation on November 7 at Suletar, Sula in Reasi district.

Woman dies under mysterious circumstances

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JAMMU, Nov 2: A woman died under mysterious circumstances in Dhoon Bajalta area here, police sources said.

The deceased was identified as Sharda Devi, wife of Mohan Lal of Dhoon Bajalta District Jammu. The body of the deceased has been shifted to mortuary of Government Medical College and Hospital (GMCH) for autopsy. Sidhra Police has taken cognizance in this regard.

2 injured as truck rolls down

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UDHAMPUR, Nov 2: A driver and his associate were injured when their loaded truck slipped into deep gorge at Garai on the National Highway Udhampur.

According to the reports, the truck bearing registration number HP38E-0935 was on its way from Jammu towards Srinagar and loaded with paper board rolls when driver lost control over the vehicle resulting into the accident. Police and locals rushed to the spot and shifted the injured persons to Udhampur District Hospital. The injured were identified as Sudesh Kumar (22), son of Sardari Lal and Sandeep Singh (25), son of Sham Raj, both residents of Basholi, District Kathua.

Modi Govt reaching at doorstep of people: BJP

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Nov 2: Sanjay Baru and Arvind Gupta listened to the public grievances at BJP Headquarter.

Prime Minister, Narendra Modi led Jammu Kashmir (UT) administration reaching at doorstep.

This is particularly evident after the total unification of J&K with the rest of India, stated by Sanjay Kumar Baru, BJP senior leader and JMC Councilor.

"The Modi Government took historic decisions to transform the face of the region. Now, J&K has embarked on a new path of development," said Sanjay Baru.

Sanjay Kumar Baru was accompanied by Arvind Gupta, BJP state secretary. J&K BJP was attending to the public grievances at BJP Headquarter, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu.

Baru, while categorically said that the Modi Government has taken liberty to empower the common masses directly, particularly those, who were denied even the basic rights by the previous Governments. "We, as sincere soldiers of BJP are sincerely trying to reach out to masses to sort out their issues", he said.

Arvind Gupta said that BJP leaders are attending to the public grievances in the remotest of regions to sort out their issues. He said that the main issues presented in the camp related to the water, electricity, lanes, drains, roads, health, revenue departments, ration issue etc.

Gupta said that the maximum of the issues presented in the camp were immediately taken up with the concerned departmental officials and they have issued letters for the others.

3 drug peddlers arrested, 11.87 grams heroin seized

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UDHAMPUR, Nov 2: Udhampur Police today arrested three drug peddlers in two different cases and recovered 11.87 grams of heroin like narcotic substance from their possession.

According to reports, a scooter bearing registration number JK14D-1209 was intercepted by a Police party, led by Incharge PP Tikri, PSI Abdul Satar and assisted by SHO Rehambal Rajesh Sharma, under the supervision of DySP Hqs Sahil Mahajan, while performing duty at naka point Tikri, Udhampur.

During frisking, 9.35 grams of heroin like substance was recovered from the possession of scooter rider, identified as Amir Khan, son of Mir Qasim of village Bindla, Ramnagar. Police seized the recovered contraband and arrested the accused, identified as Vickram Jeet Singh, son of Rajinder Singh of Ward number 10, Ramnagar and Rahul Sharma, son of Romesh Chader of Ward number 09, Ramnagar.

Case FIR number 142/2022, under section 8/21/22 NDPS Act has been registered in this connection in PS Ramnagar. Further investigations in both the cases were going on to unearth the backward and forward linkages.

Drug peddler arrested, 7 grams of Heroin, air pistol seized

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SAMBA, Nov 2: Continuing its drive against the menace of drugs, District Police Samba under the overall supervision of SSP, Dr. Abhishek Mahajan has arrested a drug peddler in the jurisdiction of Police Station (PS), Vijaypur and recovered approximately seven grams of Heroin (Chitta) like substance along with cash and other items including one Kirch & air pistol from his possession.

After developing specific information regarding drug peddling in the area of Gurha Salathia, Vijaypur, a naka was established by Additional SP Samba, Surinder Choudhary along with PSI, Deepika Kumari and PSI SajidJalal of PS Vijaypur in the area.

During naka, one person who was selling Chitta in the lane near his house was nabbed and identified as Sahil Singh, son of Yashpal Singh of UdhMandi, Gurha Salathia.

During his personal search, approximately seven grams of Heroin like substance (Chitta), foil Paper, five lighters, Scissors, Torch, Cutter, two syringes, cash of Rs 23110/-, weighing machine, Kirch, pouch, four mobile phones, and one air pistol have been recovered from his possession.

In this connection, a case FIR No. 168/2022 U/S 8/21/22 NDPS Act 4/25 Arms Act registered at PS Vijaypur. Further investigation started.

It is pertinent to mention here that during the last month, Police Station Vijaypur headed by SHO, Inspector, Tribhuvan Khajuria under the supervision of SDPO, Vijaypur Ms. Priyanka Kumari has registered two cases under NDPS Act and got detained a notorious narcotics smuggler under PSA.

Acting on complaint, a missing report was registered on October 29 at PS Ghagwal and search started to trace out the missing lady.

Police reunites missing lady, her children with family

Excelsior Correspondent

SAMBA, Nov 2: District Police Samba today reunited a missing lady along with her two children with their family whose missing report was lodged at Police Station (PS) Ghagwal.

Police said, a written report was lodged at PS Ghagwal by one

Woman allegedly commits suicide

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Nov 2: A woman allegedly committed suicide by consuming some poisonous substance at her residence in Nandral Shahpura, police sources said.