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Quality education & research work should be the priority : Sarangdevot

Udaipur : Lok manya teacher training college, operating under DabokCTE program. Salaha committee's second meeting concluded at the administrative building of the university which was chaired by Vice Chancellor Prof SS Sarangdevot. At the meeting, SIERT director Vinita Bohra, Banwarilal Verma, Prof KC Malu, Principal Dr Shashi Chittoda, Dr Saroj Garg, Dr Devendra Ameta, Dr Balidan Jain and Dr Premilata Gandhi expressed their views. The program was conducted by BL Shirmali and vote of thanks was given by Dr Saroj Garg. Regional education officers from various districts, IASE, CTE & DIET institutions' principals and section officers were present. Dr Shashi Chittoda informed that workshops will be organized the whole year on child rights & sex education, peace education, environment education, library science education, career & vocational education, computer & vision education, health education along with various other subjects in which teachers from Dungarpur, Banswara, Chittodgarh & Rajsamand, Sirohi and Bhilwara districts will participate.

Tree plantation under Clean & Green Campus

Udaipur : Under Clean & Green Campus program at Mohanlal Sukhadia University, tree plantation program was organized. On this occasion, Prof Vijay Shirmali, Prof GSoral, Prof PK Singh, Prof Ashok Nagar, Prof Rajeshwari Narendran, Prof BL Verma, Prof Divvijay Bhatnagar and Dr Hemraj Chaudhary were present.

14 students from GITS selected



Udaipur : 14 MBA students have been selected for the post of Associate Sales Manager in one of India's prime banks, IndusInd Bank, after a campus interview at Gitanjali Institute of Technical Studies, Dabok. Arvind Singh Pemawat, training and placement head of the institute, said that IndusInd Bank is one of India's prime private banks and is country's first new generation private bank. Company official from the bank, Prashant Shukla, Regional Manager Udaipur region & Branch Sales Manager Narendra Soni introduced the students to the company and job profile through presentation.

Science Day celebrated

Udaipur : Meera Girls (MG) College has celebrated the National Science Day today at the college campus. The event was organized by Vigyan Bharti in association with Science Department of college. The chief guest of the program was Prof Kunj Bihari, head of Social Science Department MLSU and Dr Narayanlal Joshi, assistant director (College Education). The program was directed by the principal Dr Rameshwar Ameta. While addressing the students, guests have put emphasis on the importance of Science. The National Science Day is celebrated in the memory of prominent Indian scientist Dr CV Raman.

Health check-up camp for women held

Udaipur : Health check-up camp for women by Devendra Mahila Mandal was organized at Devendra Dham. Dr Sudha Bhandari, head of the institution, minister Mamta Ranka informed that Dr Vimal checked the health of women after informing them about their body fat, visceral fat and energy level according to their weight and height using a Boyd scanning machine. They were also given health-related important tips. 78 women participated in the camp.

Lord Shiva is not just a deity in Mewar but whole and sole of the state. Eklingji one of the forms of Lord Shiva is considered as King of Mewar. Perhaps this is why Lord Shiva is a highly and widely worshipped lord here. Umpteen number of lord Shiva temples in and around the city vouch for this fact.

En route to Shri Nathdwara on the Ajmer Road, the temple of Eklingji is situated. One has to drive around 21 kilometers to reach here. And the way includes curvy elevated roads with one side high terrain mountains and deep Gorge on the other.

Driven by the devotion, thousands of people commute on foot, some even bare foot, to get a glimpse of their lord Eklingji. As usual last Saturday which was eve of the Mashivarat, thousands of devotees left for their long journey to Eklingji on foot. It takes hours and people keep taking rests at places. But there are few who start on a resolution to walk nonstop.

Bappa Rawal had incepted this temple some-



time in 734 AD. Then it was renovated to its present form by Maharana Raimal. The temple is also famous tourist spot and almost every tourist guidebook includes this temple in their itinerary.

The construction material of the temple is white stone but the Shiva Linga is made of black stone. The Linga has four faces - West face is considered as lord Bramha, North as Vishnu, East as Sun, and South face is considered as Rudra. There are several small temples in the premises. There's reservoir on the back of the temple where people come to enjoy picnic.

For the devotees, who took the roadway to temple were relieved by many volunteers who served water, cold drinks, and fruits.

Besides the main Eklingji temple, there are ample forms of lord Shiva with different names. And there are many temples which are not only famous but also are good picnic spots. Generally scenic beauty is found near a Shiva temples and that becomes a picnic spot as well.

Kamal Nath Mahadev is said to be the place

where demon king Raavan had halted to take a loo break while taking Sitaji to Lanka. Other famous temples of lord Shiva include Gupteshwar Mahadev, Naandeshwar Mahadev, Jhaameshwar Mahadev, Ubeshwar Mahadev, and many more.

There are many temples which are situated within the city and remain crowded everyday due to their high devotional values.

The Hazzareshwar Mahadev temple opposite to the Maharana Bhupal hospital, Mahaakaaleshwar temple on the bank of Fateh Sagar Lake, Neelkanth Mahadev is few to name.

Some 100 kilometers from Udaipur, the temple of Parshuram Mahadev also is famous Shiva temple which is nestled in some terrific rocks. It was both adventure and devotion for all those who visited Parshuram Mahadev temple.

Devotees observed the day long fast. Few broke their fasts in the evening while others only had non-grain food throughout the day. Temples were decorated and chants of Mahamrityunjaya mantra kept the ambience of the city devotional.

34th annual Maharana Mewar Foundation Awards given

Since last 34 years, these awards are being conferred upon people who served the society in best and inspirational way. Many of these recipients come from various domains and have achieved phenomenal successes and thereby have inspired many to brave tough situations of life and come out shining.

The ceremony commenced with the presentation of certificates to students. This was followed by the main Ceremony in which the awardees received their respective with the hands of his excellence Shriji Arvind Singh Mewar who is the Chairman and Managing Trustee of Maharana of Mewar Charitable Foundation, Udaipur. As usual, the ceremony was organized in the famous Manak Chowk of the city palace last Sunday.

Col. James Tod award which is given away to foreign national was conferred to Mr. J.P. Losty, who is a leading authority on painting in India. One of the great preoccupations of his career was properly publishing the great illustrated Ramayana manuscripts of Rana Jagat Singh I of Udaipur, Mewar. Haldighati Award, was given to, Mr. Rahul Kanwal, the Managing Editor of TV Today Network. Rahul who hosts the popular Hindi interview show Seedhi Baat over the weekends on Aajtak. Rahul is the driving force behind some of the most significant investigative stories that have been aired by the India Today group. Rahul also is a youth icon and is being followed by many young Indians who wish to understand issues pertaining to the country. His show Seedhi Baat clearly reflects his political acumen when he shoots some tough and candid questions to his guests and unearths many unknown facts that help the nation understand the celebrity.

Hakim Khan Sur Award was given to the famous Adman, lyricist, script writer, and literary person Praseon Joshi. He is a National Award Winner, and acclaimed Advertising industry Leader. His socially relevant campaigns like Malnutrition Polio eradication, Women empowerment Ministry of Tourism, the Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan (Clean India) have all won accolades and found deep and powerful consumer connect.

Maharana Udai Singh Award was conferred to Ms. Amla Ashok Ruia known as 'Water Mother' who brought water to hundreds of villages in Rajasthan through her



initiative. She has transformed the face of more than 100 villages in Rajasthan by using traditional water harvesting techniques and building check dams.

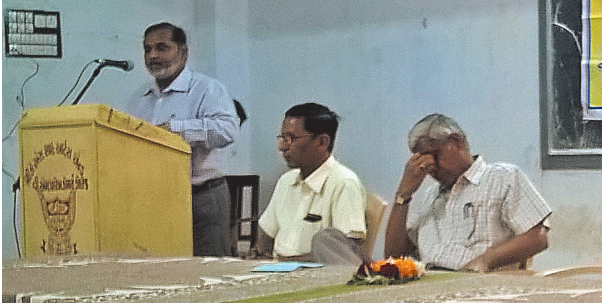
The Panna Dhari Award is instituted to honor an individual who has rendered selfless service and this time it went to Ms. P.T. Usha, an Indian track and field athlete from the state of Kerala. She is regarded as one of the greatest athletes India has ever produced and is often called the "Queen of Indian track and field". On the track she represents the spirit of a great nation. Her story is one of talent, sacrifice, and determination. Her dedication to developing the talent of young women's interest in Sport goes beyond the call of duty and she has set an example to society of permanent value.

Maharishi Harit Rashi Award was given to Professor Laxmi Sharma of Jaipur for her contribution in Vedic culture and ancient Shastra. Maharana Mewar Award has been instituted to honor work of permanent value rendered to society, in the field of social service, nation building, and character building activities was given to Dr. Laxman Singh Rathore who is an Indian scientist and is Director General of India Meteorological Department (IMD).

Maharana Kumbha Award in this edition of awards was received by Dr. Devi Lal Paliwal, Rajsamand, Rajasthan. His book entitled 'Maharana Pratap Mahan' has been widely applauded with several editions printed and is used as reference material by research scholars.

Another recipient of Maharana Kumbha Award was Mr. Tej Singh Tarun from Bijoliya, Bhilwara, and Rajasthan, who has been relentlessly working in the field of education and wealth of literature since last 18 and more years. His pioneering work comprises of several publications including Bijoliya ka Itihas, Rajasthan ke Surma, Bharat Mukh Se Bol Raha Hai, Balak Ho To Aisa, Mewar Gaurav, Madhumati, Rastradharm, and more. Maharana Sajjan Singh Award was conferred to Mr. Akash Choyal, who has been known in the Indian art world for his vision and his confrontation with the real and the unreal. Dagar Gharana Award was conferred upon Mr. Prahlad Singh Tipaniya, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, who is one of the most compelling folk voices of Kabir in India today who combines singing with the meaning of Kabir in the Malvi folk style.

Rana Punja Award went to Retired Army man Mr. Laxmanlal Katara, who has earned recognition as 'Mountain Man' of Wagad (local name for Banswara-Dungarpur belt) after he carved out an approach road leading to a hillock in Bhuwali village of Palwada gram panchayat in Dungarpur District. Aravali Award was given to Mr. Rajat Chauhan who is an Indian Archer from Jaipur, Rajasthan and Ms. Swati Dudhwal, Jaipur who is an Indian Archer also from Jaipur. Both have made the sports fraternity proud of their commitment, strength, courage, enthusiasm and strong determination in their Archery skill at Championships across the world.



Culture is much more than Religion : Prof. Chandalia

Jnanpith Award winner Poet Rajendra Shah Memorial Lecture

Kapadvanj, Gujarat : "Culture is much more than religion. Unfortunately the religious questions have overshadowed other facets of cultural identities. Culture needs to be associated with human labour, his endeavour and effort rather than mere narrow nationalism." This was stated by Prof. H.S. Chandalia at Shah K.S. Arts and V.M. Pareekh Commerce College, Kapadvanj, district Kheda, Gujarat. He was delivering Poet Shri Rajendra Shah Memorial lecture organized jointly by the college and Jeevan Ship Society.

Rajendra Keshavlal Shah (January 28, 1913 - January 2, 2010) was a lyrical poet who wrote in Gujarati. Born in Kapadvanj, he authored more than 20 collections of poems and songs, mainly on the themes of the beauty of nature, and about the everyday lives of indigenous peoples and fisherfolk communities.

Speaking on the subject "Kala, Sanskriti evam Vartaman Vishwa" Prof. Chandalia said that the modern times are characterized by capitalism and its offshoot consumerism. This has posed a great threat to art and culture because the domination of market forces has converted these two essentially human tendencies into consumable products. Religion

has become the sole marker of cultural identity and conflicts between nations and between communities within nations have become prevalent all over due to this misconception. He said that culture is a sum total of all that a society is made up of. It is a product of nature and human interaction and the world view formed by historical conditions. Culture is a by product of economy. In a system based on profit and self interest as the dominant motivating factors, art and culture also assume commercial characteristics. The very idea of nationhood is challenged in the concept of Globalization. Hence Globalization and traditional notions of nation - centered cultural identity cannot co-exist. The need is to relate culture to labour and occupation.

The function was chaired by Dr. Gopal Sharma, a well known litterateur and Principal of the college. Mr. Vipul Shah introduced Poet Rajendra Shah and talked about his literary contribution to Indian poetry. Dr. L.P. Vankar made the introductory remarks and welcomed the guests. Mr. Mayank Bhai Patel, Lecturer in Gujarati Literature offered a vote of thanks. The lecture was followed by a question - answer session in which students also participated.

Breast feeding : Mother and Child's Right

Hritu Sodhi

Mothers and babies are greatest gifts of God to each other. Every woman takes birth to give birth to another wonderful life. After marriage everything changes in a female's life. Giving birth to a new life is a challenge and it changes a female's life completely.

Mothers have to undergo medications and many complications may occur during pregnancy. Mood swings turn a woman into a maniac. Problems increase after giving birth to a child. Dark circles, fatigue, restlessness, overweight, stretch marks, sagging breasts, lack of sleep and most important is the pain of breast feeding make them

insane.

Breastfeeding is the right of both mother and child. It develops bond between mother and her new born baby. Unfortunately mothers hesitate to feed their babies.

Yes, it is a bitter truth.

Actually we live in a society where : People are used to look at a female's breast as a sexual material. They stare mothers who breast feed their children in public places as if they are watching a porn movie. Mothers get upset with these covetous eyes and feel shame to feed their babies in public places. They avoid feeding



babies while traveling. Even females don't support them in trains or buses.

We have to understand this fact that we all are born in same way and our mothers had gone through this pain to give us healthy life. There is nothing unusual to see a mother breastfeeding her baby in public. We should give her freedom and space to enjoy this natural act of motherhood.

A baby can not take food on its own. They are fully dependant on their mothers. Breastfeeding decreases the danger of breast cancer in

later ages. Its really important to understand the value of breastfeeding.

We can give our support in a unique way. Try to help a mother if she is traveling alone with her baby. Staring and making fun of her can make her conscious and uncomfortable.

May be I am not the first one to write on this topic but my motive is simple and clear. I want to give a message through this article that all mothers are respectful and we must salute them for their endless efforts which they do to keep their children healthy. Encourage them to feed their children without hesitation and shame by not staring at them.



Golchha group has been a leading group in the field of economic development. The poly clinic on hand is serving people with full capacity in the city, the mining on the other hand is proving good employment to the people. Vice president of the group Mr. Bacha Prasad says that the company has established soap stone mines in the areas of Mungabhatt,

Devla, Lohagarh, and Ultan. These mines have developed these areas well socially, economically, and religiously.

In order to facilitate tribal students with computer education, the Golcha group established a computer center in 2011 which hitherto has educated hundreds of underprivileged students.

The VP further tells that the

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group has taken many social initiatives like ambulance services, dense forestation, free drinking water, uniform distribution in schools, and support in many basic facilities.

The Golchha group has also been a renown name in Dhariwad where they have been involved in various public participation programs. In the Bhugapat and Devla villages, the group has constructed 10 and 6 anicuts respectively. Under the Mukhyamantri Jal Swawlamban Yojna, the Golchha group has taken the noble task of constructing anicuts in the areas of Ambav and Talkhedia.

The contribution of the group in the area of education is also remarkable. They facilitate education in primary sections as well as providing vehicles for the students to commute to and from the school. Such facilities not only ease of the hardship students face but also find it interesting to attain education. There are various villages across which the Golchha groups is working and is bringing sea changes in the lives of people. Such endeavors are not only giving life a fair chance to grow in villages, it also is ensuring that the migration towards cities for employment is contained and for good reason.