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The Payback Time

It took more than 22 hours for the forest department to get hold of the panther that had entered the city palace of Udaipur this week. This incident of an animal entering into human township is not new. In fact, every other day this kind of news hits the media. Remember, only such incidences are reported that happen in the important areas. Such issues are common for villagers who dwell around forests and are never reported.

We know that the theory of survival of the fittest applies here. People try and contain the animal for their own safety first. And in such an exercise, sometimes, the animal loses the game of life. People do not want to harm the animals and even animals have no such intentions. They live their lives on a daily basis and attack or intrude only when they are forced to.

Editorial

We believe that the animal entered the residential areas but the fact is just the reverse. And we know what it means.

The animals are not even safe in jungles. They must step out in search of water and food. Obviously, we the human, are better developed and can think for both the species. The need is just not to increase the areas of the jungle which are equipped with boundaries, but we also need to arrange the food and water for them. Those in the cage are free from the worries of food but then they are not free. And those who are free in the jungle have to struggle for their food.

The idea of providing food has to be naturally designed so that the life cycle doesn't break. It needs the natural atmosphere and ambience inside the jungle. This needs research and plans. And of course, a true will to implement the same.

Just like the jungle, we have intruded into nature's space badly. And it needs correction. We have already reached a threshold where we must cover every empty land with trees and plants. With that goal in mind, every citizen must pledge to plant as many trees as possible as they can. It's easy to find empty spaces outside the house. Just get some low maintenance plants and take their responsibilities until they become self-sufficient.

Nature will not come harming you as the animals do, but it will impact you in a way that would be irreversible. This is like investing in the future for your own kids.

The idea is that you grow your own oxygen and donate some to others as well. We also need to pay back for all the furniture we used to date and papers we utilized, and so on. It will take the rest of the lifetime but start today on a positive note.

Your act will create inspiration inside as well as outside. A plant planted by you will be taken care of by your family members for sure. And then, challenge your neighbors to join the act.

Its time to payback else we will be forced to do so in the future, which will not be a pleasant thing to happen.

Shri Milind Parande, Praised Modi Government

Banswara: The Vishva Hindu Parishad (VHP) today runs over a hundred-thousand altruistic service projects across the country for the upliftment of the Hindu society catering to the needs in the fields of education, primary health care, economic self-reliance, women empowerment and skill development. More than 3 million (30 lakh) Hindus have been newly associated with the VHP through the recently concluded Hitachintak Abhiyan (Wellwisher drive).

The Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA) has to do only with the refugee brethren from religiously persecuted minorities (Hindus, Sikhs, Jains, Buddhists, Parsis and Christians) from the neighboring countries of Pakistan, Afghanistan and Bangladesh, who have come to India to seek protection and shelter. In the last one week, more than 3 Hindu and Sikh girls have been kidnapped and forced to become Muslims in Pakistan. It further confirms the raison d'etre of CAA. The CAA is concerned only with providing security and citizenship to these refugees. The CAA does not take away the citizenship of any Bharateey.

Recently, a rally in support of the CAA in Lohardaga in Jharkhand state was attacked by a mob of violent Muslims, injuring many Hindus, burning down many their houses and causing unfortunate killing of Shri Neeraj Ram Prajapati! The Vishva Hindu Parishad strongly condemns these Jihad attacks and demands that all those that organise it, must be booked and punished under the relevant sections of IPC for murder, causing riots, arson and damage to properties, etc. At the same time, VHP also demands fair compensations to be given to all the victim families. We strongly condemn the preplanned attacks on national properties, Hindus, their homes and business establishments with the agenda masquerading as CAA-protesters!

There is also a need to take stringent legal action against all those political parties who organize, provoke, participate in or support such violent programs. Violent attacks on Hindu society under the guise, pretext and excuse of such movements are absolutely unacceptable!

None of these political parties came forward to help the Kashmiri Hindus by citing the Constitution when they were forced to flee the Kashmir valley. Therefore this violent movement is only a sponsored effort to divide the Hindu society.

People holding briefs for communist or churchian agenda and some political parties in Rajasthan are propagating that the Bheel society is not Hindu! But the fact is that many great leaders from the Bheel community, including the powerful Rana Poonja Bheel, freedom fighter Tatiya Bheel, Ven. Govind Guru Ji, Ven. Mavji Maharaj and Shri Mama Baleswar Dayal Ji etc. led the Hindu society from the front to protect its Dharma and national culture. Therefore, the Vishva Hindu Parishad calls upon all sections of the society not to fall prey to such mischievous propaganda. The Hon'ble Supreme Court has accepted the historic truth of the Sri Ram Janma Bhumi as the birthplace of Bhagwan Sri Ram. Today, in the Central Government, there are several volunteers who were associated with Sri Ram Janma Bhumi movement. Thus, Vishva Hindu Parishad is confident that, following the verdict of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, the central government will soon put in place an appropriate system for the construction of the grand Temple on the birth place of Bhagwan Sri Ram in Ayodhya. The Vishva Hindu Parishad demands that it should not be a Government Trust, the temple should not be built by the government money. It should be built as per the model already popular in the society since the Ram Janma Bhumi movement. The stone cutting and chiseling works for the construction of the temple have been going on in Ayodhya for the last 27 years, that now near completion.

'Embrace change & grow' – says Pujya Swami Brahmavihari Das on his visit to Hindustan Zinc

"As the proverb goes, 'Change is the only constant thing, and we should accept & embrace change.' Pujya Swami Brahmavihari Das from the BAPS Swaminarayan Sanstha delivered a motivational talk on how to 'Embrace change & grow' at the Head Office of Hindustan Zinc on 1st February 2020."

Pujya Swami Brahmavihari Das is an accomplished, thought-provoking, international scholar from BAPS Swaminarayan Sanstha and has delivered lectures at national and global levels, including conferences, renowned management schools, associations, and spiritual seminars with global leaders. Speaking on the topic, an insight that Swami Brahmavihari Das gave was how to be a good person and become a great leader. He said that if all people follow three simple advises, we can be better in our lives. "First is to be people-centric and not self-centric. We should look for the collective gain of people rather than personal gain. The second is to speak from your heart. Only when you speak from your heart, will you be true to your words. And the third is to always keep the promises you give. No matter how small the promise is, once you make it, the promise needs to be followed diligently," he said.



Speaking on the occasion, Sunil Duggal – CEO, Hindustan Zinc was humbled to invite Pujya Swami Brahmavihari Das to Udaipur. 'It is a privilege to invite Swami Ji to Udaipur, and I'm grateful that

he is sharing his wisdom with the employees of Hindustan Zinc. Our love and friendship have never been challenged due to time or distance, and I wish to have more of such enlightening sessions in the

future," Mr. Duggal said.

It was a great learning experience for all the employees of Hindustan Zinc who were enlightened by the wise words from Swami Brahmavihari Das. BAPS

Swaminarayan Sanstha is a Spiritual Volunteer Driven Organisation, dedicated to improving society through individual growth by fostering idea of faith, unity and selfless service.

Ethnicity Brings You the Vibrance of Pushkar



Ethnicity brings to you - The Pushkar Collection, inspired by the dramatic collage of diversified pictures that bring alive the century old sprawling festivities of the Pushkar Mela. Pushkar is an important pilgrimage destination which hosts the largest camel fair of India drawing tourists from across the globe. The abundance of colorful cultural themes from the mela, have inspired Ethnicity's Pushkar Collection, making it a visual delight.

In the collection you will find splashes of yellow, pink, teal and orange that showcases the gradient of colours, reflecting the glorious state of Rajasthan. The floral designs, mirror work and embroidery in the range, pay homage to Rajasthani culture and gives you an essence of the vibrancy Pushkar has to offer.

Shop from Ethnicity's Pushkar Collection at Ethnicity stores and www.ethnicity.in, to add to your wardrobe the melting pot of culture and contrast hues, that is Rajasthan.

'100 Farmers. 100 Stories'

Udaipur: TAFE - Tractors and Farm Equipment Limited, the world's third largest tractor manufacturer, launches '100 Farmers. 100 Stories' - a nationwide Photo and Video Story Contest, dedicated to the farming communities as part of its 'Be a #FarmDost' initiative. The objective of this unique contest is to curate the top 100 inspiring stories of farmers across India and spotlight the invisible farming community and agriculture as a profession.

The contest has two main categories - Photo Stories and Video Stories, and offers Prizes worth upto Rs. 2,20,000* across categories to the winners, besides also awarding and recognizing the farmers featured in the winning entries.

The Contest is open to all Indians above 13 years of age without any entry fee, and is being run on digital media platforms, urging participants to meet with farmers and share their inspiring and compelling stories with the help of photos or videos supported by the story behind them, which highlight positivity in farming and celebrate the contribution of farmers to the society.

This contest is open till February 29, 2020, and allows participants to register and post their entries directly on the FarmDost website: farmdost.com/100Farmers100Stories.

The jury includes senior leaders and experts across domains. T. R. Kesavan, Group President - Corporate Relations & Alliances - TAFE, is the Special Advisor to the Jury. The Jury comprises of Sunitha Subramaniyan - Head Corporate Communications, TAFE, Padma Shri Awardee Ram Saran Verma - Farmer, B N Kumar - Veteran Journalist, Hari Ganesh Desikan - Strategic Advisor & Brand Consultant, Ananda Ray - Creative Director, Rediffusion, and Faizan Patel - Photographer & Social Media Influencer.

In its fourth year, TAFE's 'Be a #FarmDost' initiative through the 100 Farmers. 100 Stories Contest will bring forth the stories that inspire people - urban, rural, young, old, to meet and interact with farmers, get a deeper insight about their work and their lives, and to recognize and respect the contribution of the farmers towards sustaining our nation.

LAND ROVER INTRODUCES NEW RANGE ROVER EVOQUE



Udaipur: Jaguar Land Rover India announced the launch of the New Generation Range Rover Evoque. Available in the highly specced S and the sportier R-Dynamic SE derivative, the New Range Rover Evoque is offered with BS-VI compliant 132 kW Ingenium Turbocharged Diesel powertrain and a 184 kW Ingenium Turbocharged Petrol powertrain with a 48-volt mild hybrid system.

Rohit Suri, President & Managing Director, Jaguar Land Rover India Ltd (JLRIL), said:

"The Range Rover Evoque has always been the most stylish and distinguished compact SUV in its category. Carrying forth this legacy, the New Range Rover Evoque packs fresh enhancements in design and technology, setting new standards in refinement and capability. We are confident that our latest offering with its sophisticated design and high technology quotient will build strong appeal amongst all Land Rover fans." The New Evoque also sports the segment-first 'ClearSight rear-view mirror' that transforms into an HD video screen. If rear visibility is compromised by passengers or bulky items, the driver simply flicks a switch on the underside of the mirror and a camera feed from the top of the car displays what is behind the vehicle in crisp high definition. The screen provides a wider (50 degree) field of vision and superior visibility in low light. Further details on the New Range Rover Evoque are available on the Land Rover India website www.landrover.in

Land Rover Product Portfolio in India

The Land Rover range in India includes the Discovery Sport (starting at Rs. 44.08 Lakh), Range Rover Evoque (starting at Rs. 54.94 Lakh), Discovery (starting at Rs. 75.60 Lakh), the Range Rover Velar (priced at Rs. 71.87 Lakh), Range Rover Sport (starting at Rs. 87.02 Lakh) and Range Rover (starting at Rs. 182.25 Lakh). All prices mentioned are ex-showroom prices in India.

Time International Remittance to India

Udaipur: Western Union, a leader in cross-border, cross-currency money movement and payments, and Airtel Payments Bank, a subsidiary of India's largest integrated telco - Bharti Airtel, today announced a collaboration enabling millions of Airtel Payments Bank customers in India to receive international remittances in their bank accounts. Airtel Payments Bank customers can soon direct Western Union money transfers into their bank accounts through the banking section of the Airtel Thanks App in real-time. These transfers will be available for withdrawal at any of the over 500,000 banking points of Airtel Payments Bank. Western Union's collaboration with Airtel Payments Bank offers another channel for swift transfer of cross-border remittances into India, the world's largest remittance-receiving country according to the World Bank.

With unmatched distribution reach, millions of Airtel Payments Bank customers across the country will soon be able to seamlessly connect and conveniently withdraw the money, sent to them by their loved ones around the world. The announcement marks further expansion of Western Union's unique ability to partner with a growing base of national tech leaders by leveraging its core assets - including global settlement capabilities, network, compliance and technology systems - to enable international cross-border transfers with customer facing innovation.

Receiver-directed money transfer services are on the rise with flexible linkages offered by mobile apps and wallets. It offers receiving customers the choice of preferred payout method based on convenience. "The future of money transfer is to deliver what customers want - allowing them to move money whenever, however and wherever they want."

Our platform cuts through the international complexities so millions of new customers can access their funds in real-time," said Western Union President and CEO, Hikmet Ersek. "Our business offers multiple channel choice for our customers and it comes from building an inter-connectedness platform that links diverse financial and fintech players including Banks, FIs, Telcos and Fintech players," Ersek said. "With India being the largest receiver of global remittances, this alliance is designed to enable better access for the recipients and contribute to financial inclusion in the country. This innovation is an example of how Airtel Payments Bank endeavours to play a role in improving the country's payments ecosystem," said Rajesh Sud, Managing Director - Financial Services at Bharti Enterprises and Additional Director at Airtel Payments Bank.

"We are delighted to collaborate with Western Union to add inbound global remittances to our portfolio of digitally enabled financial services. Our technology platforms and deep distribution reach allows customers to access a range of financial services in a convenient fashion. We will continue to bring to market innovative solutions that simplify basic financial services and empower every Indian," said Anubrata Biswas, MD & CEO, Airtel Payments Bank. The collaboration will work on the Reserve Bank of India mandated Money Transfer Service Scheme (MTSS), a quick and easy way of transferring personal remittances from abroad to beneficiaries in India.

Best Performance Award in Consecutive Second Year

Pali: Dr. Karun Chandalia was felicitated by the district collector of Pali Dinesh Kumar Jain on 26th January for the best performance as Managing Director of Pali Dairy. He was felicitated for the quality of milk, growth in marketing of milk and milk products and increase in the dividend. He was presented an appreciation certificate by the collector Dinesh Kumar Jain, SP Anand Sharma and ADM Virendra Chaudhary. Before this Pali Dairy got an appreciation by the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes Dr. Preetam B. Yashwant for paying highest tax in the whole division. On 15 August Dr. Karun Chandalia was honoured for his outstanding performance and paying highest GST in the entire region.