



Prominent Citizens Question Delhi Government's Intentions

"Black Money" and India's Demonetization Project

Annual Sport's Day at Ryan



Winners never quit & quitters never win. Just play, have fun & enjoy the game.... Students of Ryan International School, Udaipur witnessed & celebrated its 4th Sports Day in the school premises. Under the vision "Sports, Leisure & Recreation" of our Mentor the Ryanites had participated in various sport activities & races like sack race, spoon race, lemon race, obstacle race & fruit race. Guest on the occasion were renowned sports personalities Mr. Sanjeev Malik- International Wrestler, Mr. Jai Bhagwan- Gold medalist in wrestling (Commonwealth), Mr. Ravindra Charan- SHO in Police, Mr. Rajat Chapraval-CK Naidu Player & Mohd. Saif- Ranji Player & CK Naidu player. Both the Ryanites & guest enjoyed the event. Winners of different sports activities were felicitated. Principal - Mrs. Poonam Rathore congratulated all the winners.

Children's Day Celebration !!!

"Every child comes with the message that God is not yet discouraged of man"- Rabindra Nath Tagore. Ryanites enjoyed the day along with their teachers in the school. Yes !!! The birthday of the first Prime Minister of India "Pandit Jawahar Lal Nehru", the most awaited day for every child.... Children's Day was celebrated with full zest in the school premises. The event started with the message of Lord Almighty followed by the cultural activities. Teachers showered their unbounded love with majestic performances. Through a mime enactment were apprised with the harm of junk food & the importance of healthy food. By a hilarious Kavi sammelan, make teachers depicted the life of students. The tiny tots enjoyed the Boogie Woogi dance show and the melodious music that was played on the instruments in their presentation. Teachers enthralled the audience with a colourful folk Gidda dance from Punjab. The teachers extended their love by felicitating the students with badges & greetings through cards/bookmarks. "Every celebration remains incomplete without the sharing of sweetness". Teachers shared delicious cakes with the students.

In the celebration, continued the noble cause. Under their community transformation, the Ryanites invited some under-privileged children to spend a day with them. These children had fun races and enjoyed them. Principal, Mrs. Poonam Rathore greeted the students on their very special day. She prayed for their better future and motivated them to be discipline and punctual. The event was enjoyed well both by the teachers & the students.

7 days Training on Language Assessment

Udaipur: Technical knowledge without presentation, Language and personality is somewhat meaningless. To take into account this thing, Aravali Institute of Technical Studies organized 7 days training for first year students on various topics as Role Play, Presentation, Parts of Speech, personality aspects and many other topics according to language assessment program. The main trainer Mr. Satish Anand trained the students in different sessions with the help of PPT presentation.

Benefit of online payment at PHC and sub-centers

Udaipur: Janani Suraksha Yojana & Shubhlakshmi and Raj Shri Yojana operated by National Health Mission makes online payment easy as the bank account of the beneficiaries to be made online. This information was given by NHM Rajasthan's mission director Naveen Jain at a video conference organized at a state level to officers and personnel of district and section. He directed that for the online payment, it is important to take bank account details of pregnant women even before any pregnancy test. This should not be taken lightly. He directed that if Asha fails to get bank account details before the examinations, the section will not give any incentive to Asha. Jain said that Asha and ANM must get the Bhamashah card/bank details of pregnant women and in case a woman does not have a bank account, she be encouraged to open a bank account, so that after delivery, the plans and schemes be paid to the account.

Free OPD till 25th November at GBH Hospital



Udaipur: Doctor's consultation in OPD at GBH American Hospital will be free from 21st to 25th November. This decision was taken by the core committee on Friday after inconvenience faced by the patients after demonetisation by central government. The meeting of hospital's core committee members was held on Friday morning in the presence of Medical Superintendent Dr R S Nanavati and Director Operation Rajkumar Fattawat. After looking at the inconvenience faced by patients, the consultation fee at cardiology, urology, ENT, gastroenterology, spine, orthopaedic and dermatology department will be free till 25th November. During which, the OPD slip will be cut free of cost at the registration counter. Apart from this, the core committee has also facilitated payment of the admitted patients through post-dated cheque and card swipe. Medicines can be purchased at the pharmacy of the hospital using old currency till 24th November.

We, the undersigned, support all efforts to stop corruption, stamp out black money and counterfeit currency, and act against funding that helps creates unrest in the country be it through terrorism or creating divisions and hatred among people. However, the decision to demonetize Rs 500 and Rs 1000 notes is misconceived and will not address the problem of black money for the following reasons:

1. If it is the Government's case that high value denomination currency is used to hoard black money, then the decision to reissue new Rs 500 and Rs 1000 notes does not make sense. Issuing even higher value Rs 2000 note is completely inexplicable and puzzling.
2. Black money is generated through evasion of taxes on income from lawful activities and money generated from illegal activities. In the absence of steps to curb the generation of black money, demonetization is a futile exercise, as it proved to be in 1978.
3. In the last 5 years, IT raids have found that only 5-6% of black money is kept in hard cash. Moreover, those who have amassed sizable black money are equipped to find ways around demonetization by converting their existing cash to bullion, gold jewellery, real estate and foreign currencies through brokers and middle-men. In fact, organized middle-men and touts have already emerged to convert



black money into white for a commission. 4. As per The Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata study done on behalf of the National Investigation Agency (NIA), Rs 400 crores worth of fake currency is in circulation in the Indian economy. This is only .028% of Rs 14,180 billion worth currency demonetised in Rs 500 and Rs 1000 notes. 5. Experts including a former RBI Governor and the current Chief Economist of the World Bank have spoken against demonetization. 6. 86% of currency in circulation is in Rs 500 and Rs 1000 notes. 97% of all transactions by volume are done in cash. Summary demonetization has created chaos all over the country with people unable to purchase daily essentials and, in many cases, life-saving goods and services. 5 persons, including one infant, have died as a direct result of the impact of demonetization. 7. Only about 30% of the Indian population has access to the banking system as per data compiled by the banking division of the finance ministry. Moreover, the distribution of banks is highly skewed with a third of all bank branches in only 60 Tier 1 and Tier 2 cities/towns. Consequently, people in rural India who often also suffer from inadequate information have become the worst victims of demonetisation. 8. Reports have started coming in of digital payment systems unable to keep up with the new volume of transactions with credit and debit card servers also going down. 9. All currency has value only because of the inherent trust in the banking system. Summary demonetization has shaken this trust and will likely impact India's economy well beyond the initial and widespread chaos. It is evident that demonetisation will not achieve its stated intent of eliminating black money but has thrown the entire country's economic system in disarray. Related developments also call into question Government's intentions and need clarification: 1. Rs 1.14 lakh crore of bad debts has been waived by Government banks in the last 3 years. At the same time, loans worth lakhs of crores of rupees are still outstanding. Why has the Government not made public the names of the beneficiaries of the waiver and the names of the big defaulters, both individuals and corporations? 2. A key campaign promise was to bring back black money

notes printed, arrangements made for distribution, ATMs recalibrated etc? [It has been seen that banks are running out of cash within hours of opening and most ATMs are still non-functional.] 8. We are all concerned about the use of money power in elections. Why hasn't the Government proposed state funding of elections? Why is the BJP resolutely against transparency in its own funding by refusing to come under the Right to Information Act? The summary way demonetisation has been effected is leading to a riot like situation in the country. We demand that the Government ensure that common people have immediate access to enough money to pay for their daily needs and health emergencies. Failing which, we demand the rollback of demonetisation or suspension of demonetisation to enable the common person to make adequate arrangements for daily needs and for more orderly phasing out of the old notes. The role of the Government is to undertake honest tax administration and not to treat the common person like a criminal making him/her stand in line and filling forms to access his/her own legitimate money : Prabhat Patnaik, Prashant Bhusan, Aruna Roy, Bezawada Wilson, Jayati Ghosh, Harsh Mander, Kavita Srivastav, CP Chandrasekhar, Nikhil Dey, Shantha Sinha, Aniket Alam Dipa Sinha.

Celebration Mall welcomed K2K Cycle Rally



Udaipur: 22 professional cyclists on K2K Cycle Rally from Kashmir to Kanyakumari, on a mission to disperse the message behind Prime Minister Narendra Modi's "Swachhha Bharat" campaign and cleanliness awareness, in support of Urban Development Ministry, Government of India and Rotary Club, after covering 4800 km reached Udaipur and were received by Celebration Mall. The 'flag down' ceremony of the cycle rally was completed by representatives of Celebration Mall. The cyclists were given refreshments by Domino's Pizza and were garlanded by Rotary Club Udaipur. Entertaining presentations were given by Rajathani folk artists. Seema Singh of Rotary Club Udaipur said that the cyclists will depart to Ahmedabad after resting for a day.

Punish but Pursue for De-Addiction, Dr P.C.Jain



Udaipur: In B.N. College conference hall Dr.P.C.jain who is engaged in De -Addiction Awareness program since last two decades and was giving his video presentation on Addiction scenario & how to control it in the District Legal Services Authority program of one week before the judges of the Udaipur district urged them to pursue the addict to get de addicted in his punishment judgments so that he or she does not commit a crime for the drug or under the effect of the drugs. Citing many personal examples he said many families are ruined daily and it is a hidden disaster for us .The judiciary can play a major role to mitigate this menace . Miss Mamta judicial magistrate introduced Dr P.C.jain. District & Session Judge, Udaipur Shri Devendra Kachvah presided & Mrs Anuama Uppar District & Session Judge Chaired the session. Every body signed the register & pledged to take part in this de - addiction campaign of Dr Jain. Dr P.C.Jain sung a song "Nasha tu chodi deve aj re" which every body repeated . In the end shri Lokesh Kumar Sharma the secretary of District Legal Service Authority ,Udaipur Thanked everybody for participating in this session of the week.

IIHMR University Partners With BRLF to Offer a Certificate Programme in Rural Livelihoods

Jaipur: The Rural Development (RD) sector today faces complex challenges of growth, equity, climate change, and social & economic security of the poor and vulnerable communities. This context has impressed upon the RD programmes of government and non-government organizations a growing need for intervention strategies that are reflective, robustly designed, and implemented through an innovative and adaptive approach. It is clear that there is an urgent need to address this capacity building challenge by preparing a cadre of rural professionals who are capable of engaging in the rural development sector specially at the sub-district levels; be it through NGOs, government institutions or as elected representatives of the PRIs and/or cluster level federation leaders. IIHMR University and Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation (BRLF) today jointly announced the launch of the first batch of the Certificate Programme in Rural Livelihoods the duration of which is of six months. The certificate programme is a residential course which offers a critical, cutting edge understanding of the rural livelihood sector in India and incorporates a strong field based learning approach. The programme combines appropriate knowledge and skill components through a unique yet inclusive capacity building initiative. The programme focuses on the development of capacities of



tribal youth from 10 states of the Central Indian Tribal belt. Towards this end, BRLF and IIHMR University have brought together 15 leading organizations in the rural livelihoods sector to facilitate a multi-centre, multi-topic curriculum that covers different dimensions of rural livelihoods. For the first batch, 30 candidates have been selected from states of Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Odisha, Maharashtra, Jharkhand, and Chhattisgarh. These candidates belong to Scheduled Tribes, De-Notified Tribes/Notified Tribes, and Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups/communities from across BRLF mandated geographies. IIHMR University is India's foremost university committed to the health and well-being of people everywhere. BRLF is an autonomous body set up by Ministry of Rural Development Government of India with an objective to facilitate civil society action for transforming lives and livelihoods in the central tribal advasi belt in the country initially. This Certificate Programme is the first among many initiatives of the collaboration between IIHMR University and the BRLF. BRLF and IIHMR University will be jointly certifying this Programme. The programme features a rounded curriculum that explicitly recognizes the value of people's knowledge and is enabled with cutting edge practice support tools. President, IIHMR University Prof. Vivek Bhandari in his address during the Launch programme, said, "Through this partnership with BRLF, IIHMR University will greatly enhance its capacity to impact the rural development sector. Students of this programme will get the best of theoretical and practical knowledge, and exposure to proven livelihood interventions from some of the most challenges parts of India. Pedagogically, the modules will be an embodiment of the concept of learning by doing." Addressing the audience President, BRLF Dr. Mihir Shah said, "One of the key mandates of BRLF's capacity building initiative is to create a pool of rural development professionals for supporting various development interventions of Government, CSOs and community at large. This initiative will be part of a series of capacity building programmes under the BRLF Capacity Building Initiative, designed and implemented as per the needs of target groups and of different institutions currently working in the sector (Government and CSOs)." Dr. Mihir Shah shared that, "This course will be a game changer in the rural livelihoods sector since the design and delivery of the course will provide a unique opportunity to the tribal youth to learn of various livelihood domains and address the issue of growing shortage of trained human resources in the sector." Dr. Shah thanked the IIHMR University and 15 knowledge partners under the CB initiative for making the certificate programme possible. He also extended his warm welcome to all nominating institutions who have sent their existing professional staff for Batch 1. The certificate programme has 16 different learning modules in rural livelihoods domain. Participants of the programme will learn these modules across 12 learning locations in 7 states of Central Indian tribal belt. On completion of the course, these rural professionals will potentially engage at block levels as drivers of positive change within Civil Society Organizations and Government Institutions facilitating effective implementation of social and economic security programmes/projects for tribal rural India.

Universal peace & India's pluralism & diversity held at Ajmer

Founder of Ahimsa Vishva Bharti eminent Jainacharya Dr. Lokesh Muni addressing the 33rd General Session of Jamiat Ulama-i-Hind in Ajmer on inter-faith harmony said that we should have faith in our religion and we should also respect other religions. Speaking on the subject 'Universal peace and India's pluralism and diversity' he said that all religions teach us to live with peace and harmony. Acharya Lokesh said that unity in diversity is the special characteristic of Indian culture



which is based on interfaith harmony. In Indian every religion has the freedom to perform their rituals and construct their place of worship. People of different religions work together in the field of education, health-care, business, agriculture etc to achieve national development. India inspires the world to work together with peace and harmony for human development. Peace is necessary for development and peace can be established through inter-faith harmony. On the President of Parmarth Niketan Swami Chidanand Saraswati, President of All India Imam Organisaion Imam Umer Ahmed Ilyasi and many religious guru addressed the large gathering and gave the message of interfaith harmony.