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An Eco friendly Welcome to Ganpati Bappa

Vilasjanve: Ganpati Baapa is the most special God who is worshipped by even Devta's. Everybody seeks his blessings before commencing any journey or any work for removing all obstacles and destroying ill spirits. He is the God of Art, Science and Wisdom. On this Ganesh Chaturthi entire world will celebrate "Ganeshotsav". They would bring Ganpati idol from the craft persons or shops and would install with great religious zeal. Lord Ganpati is welcomed by individuals, families, clubs, societies, institutions, production houses, market yards, temples and religious places. People seek his blessings for their welfare and prosperity. Frankly speaking no ambitious work is started without the divine blessings of Lord Ganpati. Way back in 1893 Freedom Fighter Lokmanya Bal Gangadhar Tilak started

"SARVJANIK GANESHOTSAV" as socio political festival to unite people of different walks. This social celebration became a healthy tradition and spread through out the country. This festival gave platform to many artistes to showcase their talent and many business houses joined to make this public celebration on grand scale. Many trade and business houses Social, Educational and Political Institutions, Colonies, Corporations and Clubs started organizing various social, cultural, sports, religious and other activities for their people. Maharashtra is known for this grand festival. Each day every part of Maharashtra can be seen bubbling with socio cultural activities. This will be 125th year of celebration in Maharashtra. Like Navratri Ganesh Utsav has become a prominent festival



to attract maximum crowd. For last few years many conscious persons redesigned and revised in the festival keeping in view threat to ecology. Governments also shared their concern over such issues like noise pollution, maintaining cleanliness in lakes and ponds and also maintaining law and order. We have to understand that Lord Ganesh is fond of Music and Dance but it does

not mean that rubbish music and DJs are played on very high volume and dancing on roads brazenly. People have made it a place of unhealthy competitions and are spoiling the essence of this pious festival. The so called Nav Yuvak Mandals have made this festival as the means of their own recreation. People believe in Pomp and show which is not desired by Lord Ganpati. Lord

Ganpati happily blesses even poor and simple people who maintain physical, mental and ethical cleanliness. Lord Ganpati enjoys the simple Prasad and simple decoration but people impose their own agenda making everything so elaborate that the natural flavor of festival is lost. Speaking of Udaipur "SARVJANIK GANESHOTSAV" has been organised by Maharashtra Samaj for last 70 years. Their classical music and dance concerts, devotional programmes, drama and various healthy competitions in cultural activities and quiz competitions about culture of Maharashtra and National scenario had high quality. Stalwarts like Dr. KP Rode, Prof. GS Mahajani, Prof. GV Damle, Sh. WR Modak, Dr. Vijaya Apte and many other visionary and concerned members have been associated with Maharashtra

Samaj. This year Classical Odissi and Kathak concerts, Traditional Keertan, Devotional songs, Maha Arti, Ganesh hithvasheersh Sahastravartan, Antakshari have been planned along with special cultural evening by children during Ganesh Utsav at Lokmanti Tilak Sabhagruh, Bhupalpura. President of Maharashtra Samaj Shri Satish Saikhedkar informed "This year onward the size of Eco friendly Ganpati will be small and the immersion will take place in a tub at Maharashtra Bhavan after a brief Shobha yatra upto Shastri Circle". Such initiative is welcome and other organizations should also give this a serious thought so that the Smart City is not polluted by any thing and this Eleven Days Festival passes with peace and harmony. Wishing every reader an Eco friendly Ganeshotsav.

Udaipur's Kalpit Veerwal in Limca book for 100 percent in JEE-Mains

Udaipur: The first-ever student to have scored 100 percent in the prestigious Joint Entrance Examination- Mains, Udaipur boy Kalpit Veerwal has made it to the Limca Book of Records for his feat. Veerwal scored 360 out of 360 in the JEE-Mains this year and is now studying Computer Science at Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay. His record of the perfect score will feature under the "Education Achievements" category of the 2018 edition, an official from the Limca Book of Records said. "I was confident of cracking the examination but didn't expect a perfect score. Similarly, making it to the Limca Book of Records was not something I ever dreamt of," Veerwal told PTI over phone from Mumbai. Veerwal's home city of Udaipur is not more than 300 km from Kota, which is referred to as

country's "coaching hub" because of large number of medical and engineering aspirants who go there for their preparations. "I did not study for 15 hours a day, I did not go down the usual Kota route for IIT preparations but consistent studies helped me a lot," he said. Veerwal's father Pushpendra Veerwal is a nurse at the Maharana Bhupal Government Hospital in Rajasthan Udaipur while his mother Pushpa is a government school teacher. His elder brother is pursuing MBBS from AIIMS, Jodhpur. "All we want for our children was to study at good colleges and land up jobs that could help them in easy survival. We never pressured them to come first in class, score 90 percent, get the top rank or bag a job that would make them millionaires. "Everybody suggested that we

should send him to Kota or Hyderabad for coaching but we decided not to put him under any extra pressure and enrol him in an institute here. But him making a record is not something we ever expected," his father told PTI. Veerwal scored 109th rank in the JEE-Advanced. Out of the over 11.8 lakh students, who appeared for the examination for admission to various IITs and engineering colleges, around 2.2 lakh have qualified for the second and final round -- the JEE (Advanced). Veerwal had also topped the Indian Junior Science Olympiad in class 9 and bagged the top spot in the National Talent Search Examination in Class 10. A student of MDS Senior Secondary School in Udaipur, Veerwal took coaching from Resonance institute.

Rithvik Rathore's debut novel "She-There is an Aparajita in Every Girl" released

Udaipur: "She-There is an Aparajita in Every Girl", the maiden novel written by a fifteen year old boy Rithvik Singh Rathore, a student of XI standard, St. Mary's school, Titardi, was released in a graceful function in Udaipur by eminent educationists including Prof. J.P.Sharma, VC, Prof. N.K. Pandya former Principal, M.V. Shramjeevi College, Prof. Mukta Sharma, Rajasthan Vidyapeeth Prof. Hemendra Singh Chandalia, former VC, Haryana Central University and Mr. Dhanvant Singh, Commissioner, Udaipur. Prof. J.P. Sharma congratulated the author Rithvik and said that at such an early age he has chosen to write on a socially relevant theme. He stated that the young author has great potential and shall prove to be a source of pride for the family and society. Regional PF Commissioner Dhanvant Singh said that there is discrimination in society against women. We need to sensitize people on such issues. Works like the novel



released can help in this effort. Prof. N. K. Pandya welcomed the guests and gave the background of the family's effort to organize the event. Prof. Hemendra Singh Chandalia presented a detailed analysis of the novel. He said that the theme of the novel is based on gender discrimination which is a reality of Indian society. The protagonist Aparajita is a girl child who is not welcome in his family right at the time of her birth. She struggles hard and succeeds in changing the very attitude of the entire family. He stated that the young author has used English language with perfect ease and created convincing characters with whom the readers can identify. He read out extracts from

the novel also. Ms. Manu Sharma, research scholar, read out the highlights of the novel and introduced it to the audience. Prof. Mukta Sharma, HOD Department of English, said that the plot of the novel is well contrived and the style very appropriate. She appreciated the use of small sentences, poetic diction and logical development of the story line. The programme was beautifully convened by Dr. Mehbeen Sadiwala. On this occasion Jai Prakash Pandya "Jyotipunj" founder of Yugdhara and Manmohan "Madhukar" honoured the author by presenting him "Uparna". Grand father of Rithvik Singh Rathore Mr. B.S. Chauhan offered a vote of thanks.

Yet another golden feather in the history of the University of PAHER

Udaipur: Dr. Arvinder Singh, CEO Arth Dignistics Pacific University Secretary Rahul Agarwal, Vice Chancellor Dr. B.P. Sharma, Registrar Mr. Sharat Kothari, and C.I. Mr. Abdul Rahman, Prof. Indrajeet Singhvi, & Dr. Mahima Birla jointly inaugurated faculty of Jim management at Youga college of Pacific university. It is Yet another golden feather in the history of the University of PAHER. Yoga Guru Director



Dr. Guneet Monga welcomed all the guests and gave important information about this new course.

He said that this is the first University of Rajasthan that has launch youga course. Dr. Zafar thanked the guests.

Last Person to be Reached & Empowered

Post-independence story of the common man of India is that of rising and falling expectations. Masses in large numbers helped the leaders to force British empire out in the hope that rule by own countrymen will end their miseries, the outcome of more than a thousand years of foreign exploitation and loot. Determined to work hard for a better living the poor masses of the nation got disillusioned within two decades of independence. Masses once again ousted the ruling dispensation, after unprecedented repression before and after emergency. Expectations for a just and better living once again rose high but new system just failed to survive. After more than a decade of another severe desperation, common man once again saw a bright light in the dark clouds of the nation when liberalisation and globalisation was launched with promises that the innovative change in the mind-set of the governing machinery will bring the last man to the forefront of development and progress.

However, Indian liberalisation failed to elevate the life of poor and our nation could not become global either. Lok Sabha elections of 2014 saw a massive rejection of the political system that had brought the nation to a situation of extreme political, economic, social and cultural bankruptcy. NDA led by Narendra Modi was given the clear mandate to make India once again Sone ki chidiya where there is neither poverty nor hunger. Mandate was for an integrated India where every person lives as an Indian irrespective of faith, caste or region. It was a cry of the people for good governance and inclusive growth. Expectations have once again been risen and every Indian is not only waiting for his share of good life but is also willing to be the change that was being planned. People of India have once again proved that they have full faith in the intrinsic strengths of a nation that is at least five thousand years old. On the independence day of 2017, the nation looks back at the performance of the government that it elected three years ago. Leaving aside the chronic sceptics, there appears to be a massive sense of relief and hope. It appears that nation is back on the wheels with instant positive changes and the initiation of measures that are bound to change the socio-economic scenario of the country not in far distant future but within a few years. A plethora of schemes and programmes have been launched by the Modi Government for the poor and marginalised sections of the society. For farmers and farm labourers schemes like Jan Dhan, life and crop insurance and village irrigation schemes are bound to prove as game changers for the majority of rural India. Subsidised cooking gas and construction of thousands of toilets in villages and priority lighting of rural households have already started showing results and improving the lives of rural women. For the young, both from rural and urban India, the schemes like Make in India, Digital India, Start-up India, Skilled India and others have opened doors not only for large scale employment opportunities but also for creating self-owned industry and business.

For the first time, people of India were witness to a massive onslaught on black money by sudden announcement of demonetisation. Added to this is the success of the present Government by making Swiss to disclose the names of the Indians holding accounts in that country. Most of our money, illegally accumulated by some people, is parked in other countries thus not available for our own developmental tasks. In three years, this money has reduced to one third. Modi has promised total return of black money deposited with foreign banks, and experience so far indicates that Modi delivers what he promises.

There is also a paradigm shift in the philosophical belief system in the Indian polity. India's rich knowledge traditions have thrown up a realistic and nature friendly philosophy of Integral Humanism. Entire creation of living and non-living is an interconnected organic being, every unit is interconnected and dependent upon each other. Diversities arise from the basic unity and not that the diversity creates an illusory unity. The practical formula of Integral Humanism has been amply explained by Deendayal Upadhyaya, the ideologue of BJP. If this political philosophy is followed by the Modi Government in letter and spirit, in a few years a new India can be built where last man has been reached and empowered and the issues of caste, minority-majority and deprived-benefited will just become the phenomena of the past.

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