



Hindustan Zinc-Zawar Mines organized Kisan Mela

A Kisan Mela was organized at the community center of Zawar Mines under the Samadhan project, run under the rural development program of Hindustan Zinc-Zawar Mines, in which 550 farmers including women farmers participated. The Project Officer of the Samadhan Project, Naresh Kumar shared information about the progress of the project through the movie showing the activities of the ongoing Samadhan project.

The chief guest of the Kisan Mela, was Dr. I.J. Mathur while special guests were Dr. Lalit Joshi, Director of Animal Husbandry Department Udaipur and Balwant Singh Rathore, Director of Zawar Mines. Dr. I.J. Mathur informed about the importance of integrated farming and ways to increase the income of farmers

through farming and revealed information about the project being run by the Agricultural University Udaipur for the farmers. Balwant Singh Rathore informed the farmers about the work being done by Hindustan Zinc and Bif Institution to establish a confluence of the self-help organizations Smile Foundation, Koswi, Manjari Foundation, Khushi Project and Farmer Community of all the projects that make the lifestyle of the surrounding village's quality.

At the same time, safety also requested to make aware of the nearby villagers so that all the working areas, at home and on the road can be safe. In the program, Dr. Santosh Bansal of BIF gave information about animal husbandry activities and highlighted the importance of Sortes Semen being used by BIF. After this, Dr. Virendra Gurjar, Associate

Professor of Maharana Pratap University of Agriculture and Technology, Udaipur, taught the farmers the tricks of farming with high technology. Dr. Lalit Joshi, Additional Director, Special Guest, Animal Husbandry Department, Udaipur, suggested the farmers increase their income from farming to animal husbandry and also about the various types of projects being carried out by the department. Gave information in At the program, CSR head of Hindustan Zinc, Dr. Vishal Agarwal informed about various types of rural development projects being undertaken by Hindustan Zinc Limited and appealed to the farmers to bring government schemes to their villages by strengthening the farming community and farming Use high technology. Stalls of Sakhi



Project, Khushi Project, Irrigation, Suraj Chemicals and Kosavi, Smile Foundation, Samadhan Project was established at Kisan Mela. On this occasion, the farmers' competition was the highlight of the fair.

After 100 infant deaths, Kota JK Lon hospital gets a facelift

Kota: After grabbing headlines for registering 100 infant deaths last month, Kota's JK Lon Hospital is getting a facelift with various repair, cleanliness and maintenance works happening at the hospital at a feverish pace.

Straying pigs near the hospital, which was an eyesore till a few days ago have disappeared. So are the tobacco stains on the walls and heaps of filth in the hospital premises threatening to spread infections.

There are visible presence of sanitation workers.

The interiors of the hospital too looks cleaner than before. Ramavtar Nagar (35), an attendant, says "There is considerable change in sanitation at the hospital as both garbage and pigs have gone".

Kota Municipal corporation and JK Lon Hospital authorities have jointly stopped the straying of pigs into the JK Lon Hospital premises.

However, despite the cleanliness drive, heaps of old and abandoned dirty clothes and furniture can be seen in the gallery behind the cottage ward of the hospital.

The hospital windows have been fitted with glass panes/polycarbonate sheets and curtains to check the flow of chilly winds into the wards, one of the several factors that lead to the death of babies.

The hospital administration has been carrying out repair and maintenance of its infrastructure and medical equipment on a war footing ever since the visit of Raghu Sharma, the health minister of Rajasthan, last week.



Rubina Bano (26), who was hospitalised at the gynecology ward of the hospital since delivering her child on 30 December, said the glass panes and curtains have brought relief from the biting cold.

However, some wards, where C-section patients are admitted, still do not have curtains.

Meanwhile, the hospital is getting a new central oxygen pipeline. Work on new electrical lines in some its wards are also under way.

Although there is some reduction in the overcrowding of the newborns, the hospital gets at least 2 newborns at its warders in the neonatal intensive care unit (NICU).

When asked about the sharing of warders by infants in NICU, deputy superintendent of JK Lon Hospital, Dr Gopikishan Sharma, said "Warders have been repaired but there is lack of space in the existing NICU unit for accommodating more warders so we are developing a new NICU unit on which work is underway and soon additional warders will be kept there for more infants".

While the number of nursing staff at the hospital has been increased following deaths, there is still lack of sufficient doctors.

The hospital got 19 new nurses. The government had also sent five paediatric doctors for the hospital on January 5 of which only one senior doctor, Dr Jagdish Singh has joined so far.

While one more doctor will join duty tomorrow, Dr Sharma said the rest of them will join shortly.

Dr Suresh Chand Dulara, superintendent JK Lon Hospital, Kota, said "glass panes have been placed on more than 60% of the windows and repair of windows and door have been done".

"There are 42 beds in the neonatal ICU and prenatal ICU for which there were 71 warders of which 60 warders have been repaired and made functional while 10 ventilators are working while orders for AMC of remaining ventilators have been given", he said.

He said the Public works department (PWD) is also running repair and maintenance works at the hospital including laying of pvc sanitary pipes for checking leakage of waste water, painting of wards etc.

"We have also procured 28 nebulisers and five pulse oximeters", he said.

"We are also constructing a nine bed NICU facility by renovating a room in the hospital", he said.

Meanwhile, two more newborns died at the hospital in the last 24 hours taking the death toll since December 2019, to 116 till date.

Workshop organized on education interest test

Udaipur: An education interest test workshop was organized for the teachers of The Vision Academy School by lecturers of Rajasthan Women Teachers Training College, Dr. Charu Sanadhya and Mrs. Nirupama Sharma.

In work shop teachers were taught how to cooperate in the subject selection of the students and information was given about the various related tests.

All tricks were taught under the auspices of the school principal, Mrs. Pratima Samar.

This information was given by Deepesh Pandey, Media Advisor, Rajasthan Mahila Vidyalyaya.

Australian scientist urged better research papers in international journals



Udaipur: Talks for international publications were organized at the College of Technology and Engineering on, 04 January at Maharana Pratap University of Agriculture and Technology, Udaipur,

under the theme "Institutional Development Project" sponsored by the World Bank to promote agricultural education in the country. Senior Research Scientist, University of

Queensland, Australia, Dr. Bhagirath Singh Chauhan said that more than 2.5 lakh research papers are being published every year in the world. Information is exploding. Today, the world ranking of an academic institution or university depends on the publication of research forms. This shows the quality of research work being done in the institute. Also, scientific awareness is also known. He said that research papers of international quality require time and quality research data. He said that the 'influencers' of publications in the field of agriculture are less than the publications in the medical and engineering fields. He discussed the internationally prevalent H-index and I-index. Also, information was given about ILSware, Google Scholar, Scopus and Web of Science Citation Data Base. Presiding over the occasion,

Dr. Narendra Singh Rathore, Vice-Chancellor, Maharana Pratap University of Agriculture and Technology, Udaipur, said that after the arrival of the Internet, online publications of research papers have increased globally. Therefore, our scientists should keep updated information about the online medium. Publication of this research form will take less time and the citation index will also increase. Dr. Ajay Kumar Sharma, Dean, College of Engineering and Technology, gave welcome address and spoke about the importance of international publications.

Dr. Shanti Kumar Sharma, Regional Research Director and Nodal Officer (IDP) threw light on the objectives of the program and the current status of international publications. Dr. S. K. shama Conducted program and thanked.

Udaipur to host India's First International Tournament – Racketlon

Udaipur will be hosting the first-ever International Racketlon Tournament, 1st India Open Racketlon Challenger Tournament 2020, which will be held at Field Club, Udaipur from January 10 to January 12 2020. As conveyed by Mr Manish Mardai, President Racketlon, and Mr Deepak Bhansali, Vice-President Rajasthan Racketlon, the event which is being organised by Rajasthan Racketlon, under the aegis of Rajasthan India Sports Association will have a total of 46 players. These also include 12 international players from Germany, Switzerland, Great Britain, Hong Kong, Canada, Belgium and Australia.

There are also some renowned names like Commander Ashutosh Pednekar of Indian Navy who Gold Medalist in the 16th World Racketlon Championship and 2019 Finnish Open Double Champion Kevin Ho Ching from Hong Kong who will be participating in the tournament. The Secretary of Rajasthan Racketlon Association, Vikramaditya Chauha and Prashant Sen were the members of the Indian Squad for the World Championship in Germany in 2019.

What is Racketlon?

Racketlon is a combination of four racket games viz – Table Tennis, Badminton, Squash and Tennis which competitors play in a sequence.

There will be a total of 6 events in 1st India Open Racketlon Challenger Tournament 2020:

Men A – Elite

Men A – Elite Doubles

Men B – Advanced

Women's B – Amateur

Seniors 40+ – Singles

Seniors 40+ – Doubles

The event will be held at Field Club from January 10 to January 12, 2020, and every participating player will earn World Ranking Points.

Industrial motivation and B2B awareness programs organized

Udaipur: An Industrial Motivation Camp and B2B Awareness Campaign Program was organized under the aegis of the Federation of Rajasthan Trade and Industry (FORTI).

Program organizer Dr. Himanshu Gupta said that MSME assistant director Sanjay Meena gave information about various schemes of the department and said that small industries can also be run with ease through these schemes.

Branch Development Manager Anurag Singh Charan gave information about the NSIC scheme and also answered the questions of the entrepreneurs present in the program.

Suresh Agarwal, national president of FORTI, the chief guest of the program, said that such camps play a very important role to promote industry and trade. Mahesh Kala, Chief Secretary Co-Chairman Praveen Suthar, KCCI President Rajendra Surana, SSIA President YS Singhvi and entrepreneurs from various cities of the state got information at the event.

Students of Maharana Mewar Vidya Mandir won a gold medal



Udaipur: 24th National Children's Science Congress, 2019, under the aegis of the National Science and Technology Department, the Council of Communications and the Kerala State Science Technical and Environment Council, was held in Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala from 26 to 31 December. On presenting a national-level pro-

ject report on the topic "Preserving food items and using them for livelihood", the team of Maharana Mewar Vidya Mandir, Dixit Dixit and Manas Jain won the gold medal with their best performance and brightened the name of the school and Udaipur. The project report was prepared under the direction of Deepa Singh Solanki and Bhavna Kumawat, science teachers.

Training seminar completed

Udaipur: The two-day Career Day Training Seminar organized as a district guidance program at Pacific University Udaipur was concluded by gracing Pushpendra Kumar Sharma Principal Diet Udaipur as a Chief Guest and Siddharth Kumar Jain CBEOSemari. Along with Chandrashekhar Chaubisa, Parameshwara Srimali, Kapila Kanthalia, Anil Pahadya Development Officer Sarada, Prof. Hemant Kothari, Prof. Kk Dave Dr. Gajendra Purohit and Piyush Javaria.

Dr. Khel Shankar Vyas Director of Education faculty welcomed the guests and expressed views on Career Day. University Registrar Shri Sharad Kothari informed that over 90 principals of 11 Panchayat Samitis participated in this training. On this occasion, the University released the posters with information of 100% scholarship to the students obtaining 60% marks to the SC/ST/OBC students

Hilarity for women in 2020

Udaipur: The traditional sports tournament, 2-day festival 2020 was inaugurated by Shri Mahavir Yuva Manch Sansthan Mahila Cell at Shubh Mangal Garden, 100 feet road, under the chairmanship of Dy. Mayor Paras Singhvi, and Rajkumar Fattawat, BJS's president. Women's Cell President Vijay Laxmi Galundia said that every year, a traditional sports competition is organized by the women's cell to keep their traditional sports intact and to remind women of childhood from their home life

and to generate new energy. In the morning of 2020, 200 women from 22 years to 60 years participated in Jalebi Race and 200 women participated in Nimbo Spoon Race. The scene of the game was worth watching. In the mouth, women with a closed hand held Jalebi and beat each other, in the same spoon, in a race with lemons, women beat each other. In the handkerchief game, 180 participants from 20 teams and 120 participants from 10 teams of Kho-Kho game participated. Sonal Singhvi said that under the direction of PTI Shiv Shankar Nagda, women in Kho-Kho went ahead losing each other, while mother-daughter, mother-in-law also appeared in handkerchief in the game of handkerchief. Program convener Garima Dhing and Kalpana Vastavat said that the chief guest, Paras Singhvi, while announcing competition open inspired participants in his address, said that these types of sports gives the message of women unity and women empowerment while filling new energy in women.

Program President Rajkumar Fattawat extended best wishes to all the players and wished them victory. The event's special guest was International Coach Maya Chawat of Spard Authority of India.



Make over of Udaipur as White City

Udaipur: The Smart City Company is painting the buildings in off-white colour giving back Udaipur its old identity of the 'White City' of Rajasthan.

The White City of Udaipur got its existence since the rulers of the city made beautiful palaces and castles with white marble. The highlights of the city like the City Palace, Jag Mandir, Lake Palace, Monsoon Palace were all painted in the colour which also symbolises peace and unity.