

Congress condemns Pakistan for unprovoked firing, asks people to remain alert

Sunderbani, May 01 : JKPC has strongly condemned the Pakistan for unprovoked firing in several border areas including in Sunderbani Nowshera sectors and asked people to remain alert . Interacting with people in border areas of Sunderbani - Nowshera, JKPCCC Chief Spokesperson & Ex- MLC Mr Ravinder Sharma said that Pakistan is out do mischief and misadventures ,so cautioned people to remain alert in entire border belt . He asked party cadres and public spirited persons in the society to remain in touch with the local administration for all sorts of cooperation to the administration and the army & security forces to defeat Pakistan"s nefarious

designs.He asked all people to rise above all shades & considerations to give terrorism and Pakistan a united and befitting response. and extend full cooperation to the administration & our forces to deal with any situation. He blamed Pakistan of resorting to unprovoked firing in several areas along LOC including Nowshera and Sunderbani creating sense of insecurity amongst border residents and to prevent the farmers from carrying out harvesting of crops at Peak season. Our brave forces and border residents are ready for any kind of. Pakistani mischief and misadventure,for which Pakistan will have to face serious consequences,he added.

Modi Govt's decision to include Caste Data in Census ensures social justice : Kavinder

Jammu, May 1 : In a bold step towards strengthening the pillars of social justice and inclusive development, Kavinder Gupta, senior BJP leader and former Deputy Chief Minister has welcomed the decision of the Cabinet Committee on Political Affairs, under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, to include caste-based enumeration in the forthcoming Census. He said that this landmark decision reflects the BJP's unwavering commitment to uplift all sections of society without compromising national unity.In a press release issued here today, the BJP stalwart stated that the Congress party has historically evaded the subject of caste census despite repeated demands from various political parties. "Since independence, Congress governments have conveniently excluded caste enumeration from every Census exercise. Even in 2010, when Late Dr. Manmohan Singh was the Prime Minister, although he

assured the Lok Sabha of considering the issue in Cabinet, it was ultimately reduced to a mere survey, known as the SECC," he said.The senior BJP leader emphasized that the Congress and its INDI Alliance partners have used the issue of caste census merely as a political tool to polarize society, lacking the will to implement it transparently. "Some states, led by opposition parties, have conducted caste surveys in an opaque and politically motivated manner, creating doubts and divisions within the society," he added. Kavinder asserted that the inclusion of caste enumeration in the official Census will help build a robust social and economic database, enabling targeted policies for welfare and empowerment of all communities. "Just as our government provided 10% reservation for economically weaker sections without disturbing the existing system, this move too will promote harmony.

5 drug peddlers held...

stance (in shape of Sticks) wrapped in maize husk was recovered from his possession. Subsequently, he was arrested and a case vide FIR No.100/2025 under relevant sections of law has been registered at Police Station Awantipora and investigation has been initiated.The police spokesperson urged the common masses that if you witness drug peddling or any other crime anywhere near you, feel free to contact nearest police establishment or dial 112. He requested general public to cooperate with police in curbing the menace of drugs from the society.

We will hunt down...

and are standing with the people of India in this fight against terrorism. I want to reiterate the resolve that until terrorism is eradicated, our fight will continue and those who have committed it will certainly be given appropriate punishment," the Home Minister added. On April 22, a horrific terrorist attack in South Kashmir's Anantnag district claimed the lives of 26 people, most of them tourists, and left several others injured. The terrorists opened fire at a meadow near the popular tourist destination of Pahalgam, turning a peaceful spot into a scene of chaos and tragedy.

Police conduct searches....

16, 19, 39 UAP Act of Police Station Khanyar.Sheikh Faisal Rashid son of Ab Rashid resident of Firdous Colony Abu Bakar Lane Syedpora. Moomin Javid Gojri son of Javid Ahmad resident of Shalimar Colony Syedpora.Suhaib Bin Shafi resident of Gretabal Kawadara involved in case FIR No. 156/2024 U/S 13, 19, 39 UAP Act of Police Station Safakadal. Parvaiz Ahmad Shah son of Gh Nabi Shah resident of Naidyar Bala involved in case FIR No. 48/2024 U/S 109 BNS 13,16,19,20,39 ULA(P) Act of Police Station Khanyar. Imtiyaz Ahmad Khanday son of Tariq Ahmad Khanday resident of Hamdaniya Colony Bemina involved in case FIR No. 112/2023 under ULA(P) Act of Police Station Bemina.

Fayaz Ahmad Sheikh son of Abdul Ahad Sheikh resident of Urdu Bazar Srinagar involved in case FIR No. 07/2004 U/S 307 RPC 7/28 IA Act of Police Station M.R.Gunj.Wahid Abass son of Mohd Abass resident of Kadikadal involved in case FIR No. 48/2024 U/S 109 BNS 7/27 A. Act 13,16,18,19,20,39 ULA(P) Act of Police Station Khanyar.Shahid Ahmad Lone son of Gh Nabi Lone resident of Chanpora Jamia Masjid involved in case FIR No. 48/2024 U/S 109 BNS 7/27 A. Act 13,16,18,19,20,39 ULA(P) Act of Police Station Khanyar.

Imtiyaz Ahmad Chikla son of Mohammad Sadeeq Chikla resident of Asaar Colony involved in case FIR No. 02/2020 U/S 307, 120-B IPC, ¾ Exp. Sub Act and 16, 18 ULA(P) Act of Police Station Nigean.

Gulzar Ahmad Malla son of Abdul Ahad Malla resident of Tiploo Mohall involved in case FIR No. 41/2021 U/S 13 ULA(P) Act 188,269 IPC of Police Station Soura.Nazir Ahmad Kandhoo @ Lara son of Gh Ahmad Kandoo resident of Anchar Soura involved in case FIR No. 77/2020 U/S 13 ULA(P) Act 120-B IPC of Police Station Soura.Shabir Ahmad Gojri son of Abdul Salam involved in case FIR No.07/2024 U/S. 13,38,39 UA(P) Act , 120(B), 506 IPC of CIK Sgr.

The searches, as per the spokesperson were conducted in accordance with proper legal procedures in the presence of Executive Magistrates and independent witnesses under the supervision of the officers of J&K Police.He said the searches were carried out to seize arms, documents, digital devices etc. with the objective of evidence collection and intelligence gathering to detect and deter any conspiratorial or terrorist activity against the security of the Nation.He also said this decisive action of J&K Police aims to dismantle the terrorist ecosystem in Jammu and Kashmir by identifying and taking legal action against individuals engaged in such anti-national and criminal activities.Srinagar Police remains committed to maintaining peace and security in the city. Any individual found furthering the agenda of violence, disruption, or unlawful activities will face strict legal consequences under the law, the spokesperson added.

Magazines play an important role in bringing awareness in society : Prof. Jain

Jammu, May 1: Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jammu, said that literary Magazines have been playing an important role in bringing awareness in the society. If love, harmony, sensitivity is left in the society today, then it has been possible only through literature. Today, Vice Chancellor Prof. Sanjeev Jain said the above expressions during the release of the January-March, 2025 issue of the quarterly wall magazine 'Sharda' published by the Department of Hindi and other Indian languages. The Vice Chancellor congratulated the creators of the works published in Sharda wall magazine and called upon other students of the university to sharpen their

pens and enhance the hidden talent within themselves. The Vice Chancellor

Department, Prof. Bharat Bhusan thanked Vice Chancellor Prof. Sanjeev

researchers Vaishnavi Tripathi and Vikram Singh for their tireless hard work.



asked to make the magazine more beautiful and increase its publicity as much as possible. On this occasion, the Head of the

Jain for all kinds of support. The editor-in-chief of the magazine, Dr. Shashikant Mishra, congratulated the editors of the magazine,

All the professors, researchers and students of the department were present in the program.

NIT Srinagar registers Alumni Association for the first time since inception

Srinagar, May 01 : The National Institute of Technology (NIT) Srinagar has officially registered its alumni association, six decades after the institute was established. The move formalizes alumni engagement for the first time since the Institute's inception as the Regional Engineering College (REC) Srinagar in 1960. The registration of the Alumni Association was led by Prof. M.A. Shah, Dr. H.S. Pali, Dr. Dinesh, Mr Mohammad Rafiq, and a dedicated team of alumni including Er. Aamir Ali.

Director NIT Srinagar, Prof. Binod Kumar Kanaujia hailed the registration of the Alumni Association and termed it as a landmark moment in the history of the Institute.

"It reflects our commitment to building lasting connections with our alumni, who are an integral part of our legacy and growth. We look forward to their continued support in driving academic excellence and innovation at the Institute," he said.

Prof. Binod Kumar said that NIT Srinagar has been

making their mark across the globe. Now, with a formal structure in place, the long-cherished dream of nurturing and strengthening this bond between NIT Srinagar and alumni has become a reality.

Institute's Registrar Atikur Rahman said that registration of the Alumni Association is a significant achievement for NIT Srinagar. It will serve as a structured platform to engage with our former students and harness their expertise and experience for the betterment of the institute, he said.

Dean Alumni & International Affairs, Prof M.A Shah said that mission is to communicate the Institute's goals and achievements while fostering a spirit of unity, loyalty, and shared purpose. In today's rapidly changing world, it is imperative that we prepare the younger generation to face future challenges with wisdom, vision, courage, and sound knowledge.

"This task cannot be accomplished in isolation—it is a collective

responsibility that requires the commitment and support of our extended alumni family. Together, we must ensure our graduates are ready to serve humanity with honesty, integrity, and uprightness," he said.

Prof Shah said that Alumni can play an instrumental role by providing opportunities to students within their organizations or by leveraging their networks to create new avenues elsewhere.

"This indispensable involvement will significantly contribute to realizing the vision of Viksit Bharat. Beyond professional opportunities, alumni can make a profound impact through philanthropic contributions—whether by supporting specific initiatives or funding a broad range of academic and developmental activities," he said.

Prof. Shah said strong relationships between generations will not only enrich institutions but also foster healthier, value-based societies where elders feel respected and youth inherit the guiding principles that

shape their future.

"We deeply value the involvement of our alumni and look forward to their support in all these endeavours. As envisioned by our thoughtful leaders, we are actively working to establish alumni chapters across different regions, states, and Countries. These chapters will nurture community spirit, facilitate professional networking, and reinforce the emotional and academic bond with the institute," he added. The managing body of the Alumni Association of NIT Srinagar (AANITS) includes Prof. Mohammad Shafi Mir as President, and Er. Aamir Ali Mir, Director Disaster Management J&K, as Vice-President, Er. Ali Mohammad Rather (Retd. Executive Engineer, JKPPD) is a member, while Er. Syed Javed Bukhari, MD FIL Industries Pvt. Ltd., serves as Secretary. Dr. Mohammad Mursaleen, Associate Professor, Mechanical Engineering, is the Additional Secretary. Prof. Manzoor Ahmad Ahanger as Joint Secretary (I), and Dr. Shahid Saleem is the Treasurer.

Renowned Architect, Amit Saxena Delivers an Expert Lecture at SMVDU

Jammu, May 1 : An informative lecture is delivered by Amit Saxena, Principal Architect at SAP America Inc., USA at the School of Computer Science and Engineering, SMVDU Katra to the B.Tech (CSE) students on the titled "Industry 4.0 & Application of AI/ML in Maintenance Processes". Saxena, is a seasoned professional with extensive experience in enterprise architecture, digital innovation, and smart technologies.


Addressing faculty members, scholars, and students, Mr. Saxena shared invaluable insights into the transformative impact of

Industry 4.0, with a special emphasis on the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) in predictive and preventive maintenance strategies. He elaborated on real-world applications, cutting-edge tools, and the future trajectory of intelligent manufacturing systems. The lecture provided a comprehensive overview of how AI/ML technologies are reshaping operational efficiency, reducing down time, and fostering innovation in industrial maintenance. The event witnessed active participation and enthusiastic engagement from attendees, who also had the opportunity to interact with the expert



during the Q&A session. Prof. Balbir Singh, Dean Academics also attended and emphasizes that such interaction with industry expert will be quite helpful in bridging the gap between industry and academia. The session concluded with a vote of thanks by Prof. Manoj Kumar Gupta, faculty Coordinator, and Dr. Deo Prakash, co-coordinator,

who expressed gratitude to Mr. Saxena for his valuable time and insights. The School of Computer Science & Engineering continues to uphold its commitment to academic excellence and industry-academia collaboration through such initiatives, aimed at enhancing students' knowledge and exposure to global industry practices.



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Advisory on Fire Prevention during Summer season, heatwave and rising temperatures.

In view the increasing temperatures and heat wave in the UT especially Jammu province the following advisory (Do's and Don'ts),are issued in the public interest for preventive measures to be taken from Fire Safety point of viewto minimize the losses due to fires:-

a)

Remove flammable materials such as piles of dust, leaves, sticks and cardboard from your living area they may ignite under strong direct sunlight.

b)

Keep your cables tidy and do not overload sockets; Give the electric panels/ gadgets rest and cooling breaks after intervals.

c)

Trip off the electricity of the houses when out of the premises.

d)

Avoid placing electric cables under furniture, carpets etc. and near plastic sheets or flammable objects.

e)

Store matches and lighters out of children's sight and reach to avoid any mischief by children.

f)

Avoid cooking during peak hours. Open doors and windows to ventilate cooking area adequately.

g)

Douse the cigarette butts with water and place them in a fire-proof container to safely dispose of after you're sure they've gone out. Don't toss them on the ground.

h)

Extinguish fire pits and campfires when done

i)

Pay attention to local ordinances for trash burning.

j)

Use caution when using flammable liquids.

k)


Don't throw lit cigarettes carelessly out of your moving car.

l)

Don't leave the trash/stubble in burning condition. Farmers shall avoid burning of trash/stubble. In case of urgency it shall be completely burnt in their presence and ensure thatthere is no chance of its re-ignition of fire.

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