

GDC Majalta concludes 15-Day AI & Computer Applications Internship

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MAJALTA: Government Degree College (GDC), Majalta has concluded a 15-day Summer Internship on Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Computer Applications (AI) and Computer Applications, aimed at equipping students with practical knowledge of emerging technologies, digital tools and modern computer applications. The internship, held from July 16 to August 1, was organised to strengthen students’ digital competencies and prepare them for academic and professional opportunities in an increasingly technology-driven environment. The programme was conducted under the guidance of Principal Prof. (Dr.) Alpana Vohra, who highlighted the growing



role of Artificial Intelligence and digital literacy in higher education. She encouraged students to embrace technological advancements to enhance their learning and career prospects. The internship featured

interactive sessions by Dr. Ravia Gupta, Assistant Professor, University of Jammu and Certified FactShala and AI Trainer, and Divya Vasu, entrepreneur, IT expert and Guest Faculty at IIMC Jammu. Through

lectures, demonstrations and practical sessions, participants were introduced to AI fundamentals, AI-powered tools, computer applications, digital productivity, automation and the ethical use of emerging technologies. The programme was co-ordinated by Prof. Krishana Kumar Pangotra of the Department of Computer Applications, who supervised the conduct of the internship and guided participants throughout the programme. Students took part in hands-on exercises, group discussions and practical demonstrations designed to improve their computer skills, problem-solving abilities and understanding of AI applications across sectors including education, healthcare, business and communication. Participants described the internship as interactive and relevant, stating that it enhanced their confidence in using AI technologies and inspired them to further explore digital innovations. The college said the initiative reflects its continued focus on innovation, technological awareness and skill-oriented education. It also acknowledged the support of faculty members, including Dr. Chandar Mohan Sharma, Prof. Anuradha Chaudhary, Prof. Kamaljeet Chaudhary, Prof. Naresh Kumar and Prof. (Dr.) Sameer Koul, for contributing to the successful conduct of the programme.

DC visits cloudburst affected Sub Division Chatroo, reviews restoration works and directs swift rehabilitation measures

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KISHTWAR: Deputy Commissioner Kishtwar, Pankaj Kumar Sharma today visited the cloudburst-affected area of Urigad Reshi Nallah, Chatroo, to assess the ongoing developmental and restoration works being carried out in the region following the devastating cloudburst that struck the village on August 1, 2026, at around 2:30 AM. During the visit, the Deputy Commissioner inspected the cloudburst affected site to review the progress of restoration and rehabilitation activities. He took detailed stock of the measures being implemented to restore essential services and ensure timely relief to the affected families.



The Deputy Commissioner interacted with local residents and listened to their grievances. He issued on-the-spot directions to the concerned departments for the immediate redressal of the issues raised by the public. Emphasizing the need for swift restoration, the Deputy Commissioner directed the NHIDCL Kishtwar to continue the clearance of

slush and mud and undertake restoration of the damaged road after the affected area has dried sufficiently. He also directed NHIDCL to explore the feasibility of providing a suitable cross-drainage structure to safely carry flash flood flows and minimize the impact of such incidents in the future. The Deputy Commissioner directed

the AEE, Irrigation & Flood Control Department, to prepare and submit a Detailed Project Report (DPR) for the construction of flood protection works in the affected area. Further, the Deputy Commissioner directed the SDM Chatroo to regularly monitor the ongoing restoration works and instructed all the concerned departments to expedite the restoration process on a war footing and ensure its completion in a time-bound manner. The Deputy Commissioner was accompanied by ADC Kishtwar Pawan Kotwal, SDM Chatroo Nayeem Ur Rehman, Tehsildar Mughal Maidan, AEE Irrigation & Flood Control along with other officers and concerned staff.

CEO Doda, DY0 attend Live Streaming of Prime Minister's Address at HSS Boys Doda



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DODA: Chief Education Officer (CEO) Doda, Bhushan Kumar Pathak along with District Youth Officer, Sandeep Sharma of MY Bharat Kendra Doda attended the live streaming of the Prime Minister's address under the “Nasha Mukta Yuva for

Viksit Bharat – Sankalp” programme at Government Higher Secondary School (HSS) Boys Doda. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, faculty members of HSS Boys Doda and officials of MY Bharat Kendra, who attentively followed the Prime Minister's address

with great interest and patriotic spirit. The programme served as a platform to sensitize the youth about the vision of a drug-free India and encouraged their active role in nation-building. CEO Doda appreciated the active involvement of students and staff, highlighting the significance of such initiatives in promoting awareness, strengthening civic responsibility and inspiring youth towards positive societal contributions. The presence of senior officials and the coordinated participation of all stakeholders made the programme impactful and inspiring, reflecting a shared commitment towards the vision of a drug-free and developed India.

SPPND GDC Samba participates in Nationwide launch of 'Nasha Mukta Yuva for Viksit Bharat Sankalp Abhiyan'

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SAMBA: Shri Pandit Prem Nath Dogra Government Degree College (SPPND GDC), Samba, actively participated in the nationwide launch of the “Nasha Mukta Yuva for Viksit Bharat Sankalp Abhiyan” by organizing a series of awareness and motivational activities on the college campus. The programme witnessed enthusiastic participation from students and faculty members, reflecting the institution's commitment towards promoting a drug-free and healthy society. The event commenced with a Unity March, followed by a pledge-taking ceremony in which students and faculty pledged to remain free from substance abuse and to spread awareness about its harmful effects. To reinforce the campaign's message through creative expression, the college also organized painting and art competitions on the theme of a drug-free India. The programme was further enriched by a soulful rendition of the NCC song “Hum Sab Bharatiya Hain”, fostering a



spirit of patriotism and national unity. The highlight of the programme was the live telecast of the address by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi, which was attended by the Principal, faculty members, and students with great enthusiasm. In his address, the Prime Minister highlighted that over 28,000 locations across the country and more than one crore youth had joined this historic movement against drug abuse. He informed that 128 institutions have prepared a comprehensive roadmap for the nationwide “Nasha Mukta Yuva for Viksit Bharat Sankalp Abhiyan,” which commenced

from Kashi. He further announced that, over the next 100 days, institutions across the country would organise activities every Sunday, including meditation sessions, cultural programmes, art-based initiatives, awareness campaigns, and community engagement programmes to strengthen the message of a drug-free India. The Prime Minister also lauded the remarkable achievements of India's youth in fields such as Artificial Intelligence, sports, and scientific innovation, while cautioning that drug addiction destroys not only the future of an individual but also the aspirations of families

and society. He urged the youth to channelise their energy, talent, and potential towards nation-building and the vision of a Viksit Bharat. He also encouraged MY Bharat volunteers to actively participate in the campaign and contribute towards building a healthy, responsible, and drug-free nation. Following the live telecast, the Principal of the College, Prof. (Dr.) Nirlape Kaur, addressed the gathering and underscored the importance of discipline, moral values, and a drug-free lifestyle. She urged the students to actively participate in academic, cultural, sports, and community service activities and to become ambassadors of positive social change. The programme concluded with a formal vote of thanks. The participants reaffirmed their commitment to serve as Nasha Mukta Yuva Volunteers and to work collectively towards building a healthy, responsible, and drug-free India. The event culminated with the singing of the National Anthem, marking a fitting conclusion to the nationwide campaign launch.

Army organised Awam Meet at Galutha, Poonch



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KISHTWAR: As part of its continued commitment to promoting education and strengthening digital learning in remote areas, the Indian Army distributed five computer sets each to Government School, Horna and Government School, Ikhal, in the Palmar region of District Kishtwar on 01 August 2026.

The initiative aims to bridge the digital divide and provide students with greater access to modern technology-based education. The computer systems will support classroom learning, improve basic computer literacy and help students develop essential digital skills required for higher education and future employment opportunities. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, teachers, school staff and members of the local community. School authorities expressed their appreciation for the timely assistance, highlighting that the computers would significantly enhance the learning environment and enable students to gain practical exposure to digital tools. The local community conveyed heartfelt gratitude to the Indian Army for its thoughtful initiative and continued support towards education, youth empowerment and inclusive development. The initiative further strengthened the bond of trust and cooperation between the Indian Army and the people of the region through meaningful community outreach.

MY Bharat organises 'Nasha Mukta Yuva for Viksit Bharat' prog at GDC Women Kathua

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KATHUA: Mera Yuva Bharat (MY Bharat), Kathua, under the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Government of India, today organised the “Nasha Mukta Yuva for Viksit Bharat” programme at Government Degree College (Women), Kathua. Around 170 participants, including students from the Gujjar and Bakarwal Hostel, NSS volunteers and NCC cadets of GDC Women Kathua participated enthusiastically in the programme. The programme commenced with the rendition of Vande Mataram and the National Anthem, followed by the administration of the “Nasha Mukta Yuva for Viksit Bharat” pledge, wherein the participants reaffirmed their commitment to stay away from substance abuse and contribute towards building a healthy, empowered and developed India. Deputy Director, MY Bharat Kathua, Jigmat Spaldon addressed the participants and highlighted the pivotal role of youth in combating drug abuse and realising the vision of Viksit Bharat. She emphasised that a healthy, disciplined and re-

Admin's maiden District Badminton Tournament concludes on a high note

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KATHUA: The Grand Finale of the maiden District Badminton Tournament, organised by the District Administration Kathua under the Nasha Mukta Jammu Kashmir Abhiyan concluded the other day at the Indoor Sports Stadium, Kathua. Deputy Commissioner Kathua, Rajesh Sharma, presided over the finals and felicitated the winners and runners-up in various categories. The tournament witnessed an overwhelming response, with over 200 participants competing in Under-14, Under-19, Senior and Veteran categories for both boys and girls. A total of 211 matches were played, providing an excellent platform for shuttlers from across the district to showcase their talent. Addressing the gathering, the Deputy Commissioner said the District Administration is consistently organising sporting events under the Nasha Mukta Jammu Kashmir Abhiyan to provide quality exposure and competitive opportunities to budding sportspersons. He said the tournament was conceived to engage youth in constructive activities, encourage them to adopt sports as a way of life and make optimum use of the sports infrastructure created in the district. Highlighting the enthusiastic participation of girls, the Deputy Commissioner observed that they are now matching their male counterparts in every field, including sports. He said the tournament reflected the growing sporting culture in



the district and reaffirmed the administration's commitment to promoting equal opportunities for all. Rajesh Sharma said Kathua continues to emerge as a hub of sporting talent and expressed confidence that the facilities at the Indoor Sports Stadium would be further upgraded. He said the necessary projections have already been submitted to the competent authorities. The Deputy Commissioner appreciated Chief Planning Officer Kathua Ranjeet Thakur, Assistant Director Fisheries Pawan Paul Sharma and their team for organising the maiden tournament with utmost dedication in a truly sporting atmosphere. He also acknowledged the support extended by Ex-MC Councillor Rahul Dev and the management of Kartar Public School, Kathua. The finals witnessed keenly contested matches across categories. Priyashi and Sunshine won the Under-19 Girls' Doubles title, Kulbhandu clinched the Men's Sin-

gles title, while Akshay and Nitish emerged winners in the Men's Doubles. Manyata won both the Women's Singles and Under-19 Girls' Singles titles. Arun and Sanjeev claimed the Veterans' Doubles title, while Rajat Sudan won the Veterans' Singles. Sunshine won the Under-14 Girls' Singles title, Saksham Singh emerged champion in the Under-14 Boys' Singles, Aaradhy and Arush won the Under-14 Boys' Doubles, Aniket Sharma clinched the Under-19 Boys' Singles title and Saksham and Daksh won the Under-19 Boys' Doubles championship. IAS Probationer Nidhi, District Information Officer Gurpreet Singh, officers of the district administration, besides a large number of players, parents and sports enthusiasts were present and witnessed the finals. The tournament concluded with the presentation of trophies, medals and certificates to the winners, runners-up, officials, support staff and volunteers.

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POONCH: The Indian Army organised an Awam Meet at Galutha, District Poonch, with the aim of strengthening its bond with the local population and addressing their concerns through constructive dialogue. The event witnessed the participation of 20 villagers, including village elders, Panchayat members, youth and other prominent residents of the area. During the interaction, Indian Army representatives encouraged the participants to share their grievances, developmental requirements and suggestions for the overall progress of the region. The gathering also served as a platform to disseminate information about various Government welfare schemes and motivate the

people to avail themselves of these initiatives. Reaffirming its commitment to the welfare, security and socio-economic development of the region, the Indian Army assured the participants of its continued support in addressing local concerns and promoting peace and stability. The villagers appreciated the initiative and expressed gratitude for the Indian Army's sustained efforts in maintaining peace, supporting developmental activities and fostering mutual trust with the local community. The Awam Meet concluded on a positive note, with both the Indian Army and the local residents reaffirming their commitment to working together for lasting peace, harmony and the overall development of the region.

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