

Billawaria unveils ‘Sona Ae Darbar Maa Bawe Wali Da’

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Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) Jammu & Kashmir General Secretary and Former Deputy Mayor Jammu, Baldev Singh Billawaria, today unveiled the devotional bhajan “Sona Ae Darbar Maa Bawe Wali Da,” a soulful musical offering dedicated to the divine feet of Shri Maa Bawe Wali.

The event was attended by BJP Jammu & Kashmir Vice President Rashpal Verma, BJP Jammu & Kashmir SC MorchaDharminder Kumar, BJP Culture and Arts Cell Co-Convenor Sahil Mahajan, singer and lyricist Makhan Chahal, music composer Kumar Gaurav, and video director Rahul Dutta.

While releasing the bhajan, Baldev Singh Billawaria congratulated the entire team and said that devotional music is not merely a source of entertainment but a vibrant expression of India's Sanatan culture, spiritual consciousness, and rich religious traditions. He said that Maa Shri Bawe



Wali is the eternal source of faith for millions of devotees, and this devotional song dedicated to Her divine feet will inspire devotion, faith, and spiritual energy in the hearts of devotees.

He further said that the sacred land of Jammu is blessed with a glorious spiritual and cultural heritage, and presenting this heritage through devotional music is a highly commendable initiative. Such bhajans help connect the younger generation with our traditions while promoting positive

values, spiritual awareness, and social harmony in society.

Billawaria stated that artists are the custodians of our cultural heritage, and encouraging their talent is a collective responsibility. He expressed confidence that “Sona Ae Darbar Maa Bawe Wali Da” would receive immense love from devotees and spread the divine message and glory of Maa Bawe Wali across the country and abroad.

He appealed to all devotees to watch the bhajan, share it with their family

members and friends, and encourage the artists by subscribing to their YouTube channel, thereby becoming a part of this spiritual initiative.

Singer and lyricist Makhan Chahal said that the bhajan is a humble expression of his unwavering faith, devotion, and surrender at the feet of Maa Bawe Wali. He expressed hope that devotees would shower the song with immense love and blessings, and that it would illuminate every devotee's heart with the light of devotion.

BJP launches Samrasta mission for social harmony, vows to make Bharat 'Tirangamayi'

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BJP J&K President and Rajya Sabha MP Sat Sharma (CA) addressed a district workshop in Akhnoor under the 'Samrasata Sankalp Abhiyan', being organized to commemorate the 650th birth anniversary of Sant Shiromani Shri Guru Ravidas Maharaj Ji. The workshop was attended by BJP J&K Vice President Bharat Bhushan, District Prabhari Vinay Gupta, District President Kuldeep Sharma, District President Jammu Adv. Rajesh Gupta, MLA Mohan Lal Bhagat, former MLA Rajiv Sharma and other senior leaders.

The event was held as part of the 'Samrasata Sankalp Abhiyan' organized to mark the 650th birth anniversary of Sant Shiromani Shri Guru Ravidas Maharaj Ji, reaffirming the Bharatiya Janata Party's commitment to strengthening India's civilizational values and promoting social harmony.

Meanwhile, BJP J&K General Secretary (Organization) Ashok Koul chaired an organizational meeting at the party headquarters, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu, to finalize preparations for the



Samrasata Sankalp Abhiyan and the upcoming Har Ghar Tiranga campaign. BJP J&K Vice President Rashpal Verma, General Secretary Baldev Singh Billawaria, MLA Dr. Sunil Bhardwaj, Morcha Presidents Arun Prabhat, Dharminder Kumar, and Adv. Neha Mahajan were also present in the meeting.

Sat Sharma, while addressing the party leaders, said that the saints of Bharat Bhoomi have enriched the nation's history and culture by giving timeless principles of humanity, equality, compassion and social justice, ensuring the welfare of every section of society. He said that these ideals remain the foundation of a strong

and prosperous India.

Describing Sant Shiromani Shri Guru Ravidas Maharaj Ji as a great social reformer, Sat Sharma said that Guru Ravidas united society against prevailing social evils and spread the universal message of humanity, unity, equality and oneness. He asserted that BJP workers must carry this message to every village, ward and household with enthusiasm, making the Samrasata Sankalp Abhiyan a mission to reconnect society with its cultural roots and strengthen social harmony.

Ashok Koul, in his address, said that BJP's organizational strength lies in its continuous engagement

with society and its unwavering commitment to India's cultural heritage. He asked party leaders and workers to ensure that every programme reaches the grassroots through active public participation.

Koul also called upon the cadre to make the upcoming Har Ghar Tiranga campaign a grand success by organizing a series of activities before 15th August, making the entire nation "Tirangamayi." He said that every BJP worker must inspire citizens to proudly hoist the National Flag and reinforce the message that the nation and the Tricolour stand above everything else, reflecting the spirit of patriotism and national unity.

IIM Jammu concludes HR Conclave 9.0, focuses on AI, innovation and future of work

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The Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Jammu on Saturday concluded the two-day HR Conclave 9.0, bringing together leading HR professionals, industry experts, academicians and students to deliberate on the evolving workplace shaped by artificial intelligence, innovation and changing organisational culture.

Held under the theme "The People Advantage: Navigating the Intersection of AI, Innovation & Workplace Culture," the conclave featured a series of panel discussions on consumer products and agri-business, Global Capability Centres (GCCs), and manufacturing and logistics, highlighting the growing importance of technology-enabled, people-centric business strategies.

The valedictory session was presided over by Prof. B.S. Sahay, Director, IIM Jammu, in the presence of Prof. Jabir Ali, Dean Faculty & Research, Prof. Nitin Upadhyay, Dean Academics, Dr. Mahesh Gadekar, Chairperson Placements, and Dr. Baljeet Singh Sani, Co-Chairperson Placements.

Addressing the gathering, Prof. Sahay praised the organising team, faculty, staff and student volunteers for successfully conducting the conclave. Stressing the importance of experiential learning



and stronger industry-academia collaboration, he invited industry leaders to engage more actively with the institute through mentorship, campus interactions and future initiatives, including CEO and GCC conclaves. He also appreciated the support of Vardhman Textiles and reaffirmed IIM Jammu's vision of emerging as a globally recognised business school.

Prof. Jabir Ali underscored the need for deeper collaboration between academia and industry through research, internships, live projects and practitioner-led learning, while Prof. Nitin Upadhyay highlighted the role of such conclaves in bridging classroom education with contemporary industry practices and preparing students for future leader-

ship roles.

Presenting the report of the conclave, Dr. Mahesh Gadekar said the event witnessed participation from 33 industry leaders, who shared valuable insights on emerging HR trends, leadership, talent management and digital transformation.

The second day featured three high-level panel discussions. Experts deliberated on building agile supply chains for the omni-channel consumer market, the transformation of Global Capability Centres into strategic global hubs, and the impact of Industry 4.0 on manufacturing and logistics through AI, automation and human-machine integration. Students actively interacted with the panellists, gaining insights into future career opportu-

nities and evolving workforce expectations.

The conclave concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Atanu Dutta, Placement Officer, who acknowledged the contributions of industry leaders, faculty, alumni, students and organisers in making the event a success. He said the conclave had strengthened industry-academia partnerships while creating a vibrant platform for knowledge sharing and professional networking.

With extensive participation, insightful deliberations and meaningful engagement over two days, HR Conclave 9.0 reaffirmed IIM Jammu's commitment to nurturing future-ready management professionals through innovation, experiential learning and close collaboration with industry.

Army Public School Nagrota organiss Investiture Scholarship Ceremony

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Army Public School Nagrota organised its Investiture-cum-Scholarship Ceremony with great pride and solemnity on 25 July 2026. The event was graced by Lt Gen Prasanna Kishore Mishra, UYSM, AVSM, YSM, SM, General Officer Commanding, 16 Corps and Senior Patron, APS Nagrota, as the Chief Guest and Mrs Archana Mishra, Zonal President, White Knight AWWA, as the Guest of Honour. The distinguished gathering also included Brig H.S. Billing, SM, Chairman, APS Nagrota, Mrs Poonam Rawat, Chairperson, Education Committee, AWWA and the proud parents of the students.

The ceremony commenced with a warm welcome address by Mrs Ruchi Bahl, Principal, APS Nagrota. The newly elected



Student Council Members were conferred with their leadership badges by the Chief Guest and pledged to uphold the values of leadership, discipline, integrity, and service.

The ceremony also recognised academic excellence by awarding scholarships to meritorious students. Mrs Archana Mishra, Zonal

President, White Knight AWWA, presented scholarships of Rs. 10,000 each to the Class X and Class XII toppers, while other meritorious students received Rs. 5,000 each.

During the event, the Chief Guest inaugurated the school's new Computer Laboratory. Four new student clubs—the Entrepre-

neur Club, Golf Club, Shooting Club, and Horse Riding Club—were formally launched to promote holistic growth.

The programme concluded with a vote of thanks by Mr Avinash Mahajan, Vice Principal, APS Nagrota, expressing gratitude to all for the success of the event.

DC Kathua reviews Village Development Plans under PMAGY

KATHUA, JULY 25: Deputy Commissioner Kathua Rajesh Sharma today chaired a meeting to review the Village Development Plans (VDPs) prepared under the Pradhan Mantri Adarsh Gram

Yojana (PMAGY) for the identified villages of the district.

Detailed deliberations were held on the works proposed by the respective Village Level Convergence Committees (VLCCs) con-



stituted under PMAGY. The proposed works were reviewed with a focus on ensuring convergence of various Government schemes to address the infrastructure and developmental needs of the identified villages.

The Deputy Commissioner called for comprehensive, need-based Village Development Plans prepared through close coordination among all stakeholder departments. He directed the officers concerned to ensure that the proposed works conform to the scheme guidelines and reflect the genuine developmental requirements of the local population.

The DC directed the departments to finalise the Village Development

Plans in a time-bound manner so that the objectives of the Pradhan Mantri Adarsh Gram Yojana are met.

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