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Performance of 2017, 2018 reviewed at the Central Police Office

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: The Additional IG PHP Ahmad Ishaque Jehangir presided over a high level meeting in Central Police Office Lahore to review the comparative performance of the year 2017 and 2018. All the Regional Superintendents of Police and District DSPs participated in the meeting.

In his address to the officers he emphasized to minimise criminal activities on highways adopting effective measures and if any criminal activity happens try your best to minimise loss responding quickly and effectively. Response time should be minimise on accidents, incidents and help calls.

He stated that the policies of his forerunner Additional IG PHP Amjad Javed Saleemi will be continued as it are. We will make operations better, train the personnel on modern ways and welfare the members.

The master trainers course of First Responders is being carried out, they will train all the personnel later on, in the same way Sniper Shooters will train more officers.

The 10% of the force will remain on training. He made it clear that zero tolerance policy will be adopted on the corruption complaints.

Mobile Education Units should maximise their efforts to spread awareness in masses to drive carefully and safely because only one person don't suffer in any accident but the whole family.

The cases of medical and dowry should be dealt on priority basis, these cases are not mere files, persons and their whole families are behind them.

He stressed to enhance the "Green Highways" campaign planting more saplings. He also advised the senior officers to take care of the personnel injured while duty, personally.

ACCA launches new



report on SME vision

LAHORE: Success in scaling-up is not only good for the businesses themselves, but also delivers many benefits for the wider economy, including the people who they employ as well as the community in which they operate.

At a multi-stakeholder conference organised in Lahore by ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants), business leaders and regulators discussed the role of governance measures to address Pakistan's financing gap, alongside the need to formulate policy to help SMEs to scale-up.

How vision and strategy helps small businesses succeed is the latest in a global research programme supporting SME growth from ACCA launched today at an event that brought together over 60 SME leaders in Pakistan including representatives from Small and Medium Enterprises Development Authority (SMEDA). —PR

Acting is my craze, says Nigar

By Ghulam Hussain

LAHORE: Modeling is my hobby and acting is my craze, while my recognition is work.

This was stated by film, TV and stage actress Nigar Chaudhry while talking to Daily The Business here on Thursday.



Nigar said that these days 'I am very busy in my different projects and enjoying my work day and night'.

Nigar said that these days my various serials are going on air at different TV channels, which the people are liking very much. She said 'I was fond of acting since childhood and my family granted me permission by seeing my interest in acting'. Nigar said she doesn't believe on short cuts and tries to earn name and fame with her hard work. Nigar also said that she has so many offers, but she is committed to prefer quality not quantity.

I would do that work in which I would have performance margin, she asserted. Nigar revealed that she is still getting more training and education for improving her acting skills. Only the educated youth can steer the film in-



LAHORE: Director China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) Dr Xie addresses a seminar arranged by ICMAP Ferozpur Road. Zia ul Mustafa Awan, Awais Yaseen and others are present.

Inter-provincial LBs meeting to be held on 17th: Aleem

— Says all provinces to discuss new Local Bodies system of Punjab

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: An Inter-Provincial Local Bodies meeting of all the four provinces has been convened on 17th January in Lahore for which Senior Minister Punjab Abdul Aleem Khan has given formal approval.

According to the details, all the Ministers for Local Bodies and Secretaries of the four provinces will attend this meeting in which Federation will also represent. Senior Minister Punjab Abdul Aleem Khan told in this regard that the meeting is aimed at concentrating the pros and cons of

the Local Bodies System of 2013-18 viz-a-viz to discuss new system being introduced in Punjab. He said that proposed recommendations will be discussed in this Inter Provincial meeting. Abdul Aleem Khan said that for the first time in Punjab concept of Village Councils and Neighborhood Councils being launched in which masses would be given representation at local level.

He added that the new system of Local Bodies in Punjab would bring a revolution in which especially in all the 25,000 villages developmental work would start simultaneously and

one village and one council would work with the maximum participation of the people. Aleem said that the meeting of 17th January would be fruitful as apart from all provinces there would be participation from Federal Government as well. He said that after detail deliberations concrete and useful system of Local bodies will be introduced in Punjab and Prime Minister Imran Khan has clear cut vision in this regard. Senior Minister said that new bill of Local Bodies is in the final stage and it can be tabled any time in Punjab Assembly, as well. It is mentionable that Department

of Local Bodies of Punjab has been given directions to host this Inter Provincial meeting of 17th January for which UNDP and GTZ will also coordinate. It would be 5th Inter Provincial meeting for which already KPK Government also held the same event in December 2017.

Director General of Local Government Punjab Mahmood Javed Bhatti has been nominated Focal Person for this important meeting while the Department has already started preparation in this regard, which will take place at 90 Shara-e-Quaid —e-Azam on 17th Jan 2019.

China most trustworthy country of Pakistan, says CM

— Chinese ambassador calls on CM

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: Chinese Ambassador Mr Yao Jing called on Punjab Chief Minister Sardar Usman Buzdar at his office here on Thursday.

On the occasion, different matters of mutual interest including promotion of Pakistan-China relations and CPEC related initiatives came under discussion. Both agreed to take collective measures to initiate public-private partnership for giving new dimensions to bilateral relations, establishment of special economic zones and development of social sector.

Talking on the occasion, Chief Minister said that China is the most trustworthy country and added that we appreciate Chinese cooperation in the development of a new Pakistan. A new chapter of Pakistan-China friendship has been written in the tenure of Prime Minister Imran Khan. Work has been started on the new dimensions of Pakistan-China economic relations while the CPEC project carries vital importance in the durable development of Pakistan.

He said that Punjab government is establishing new special economic zones where Chinese investors will be given incentives and facilities. The public-private partnership will further boost Pakistan-China economic relations, he said.

He said that durable development of social sector is a priority of the government and Chinese cooperation in this regard would be welcomed. He announced that people-to-people contacts between Pakistan and China will be further strengthened and we will move forward by identifying the future strategy while considering the new dimensions of CPEC project.

He appreciated Chinese cooperation in energy, infrastructural development and other sectors and added that government is desirous of benefiting from latest Chinese technology in agriculture and farming sectors. A conducive atmosphere is provided for investment in Punjab and Chinese investors should take benefit of it, he added.

Chinese ambassador appreciated the establishment of special economic zones by the Punjab government and hoped that Pakistan-China economic relations will be further strengthened and both the countries will benefit from public-private partnership initiative. We want to further extend our cooperation with the Punjab government for the development of social sector. He said that joint steps will be taken to boost public level contracts and China is siding with Pakistan in its journey of development and prosperity. Chinese Consul General Mr. Long Dingbin, MD Punjab Mass Transit Authority, Principal Secretary to CM, Secretaries of industry, P&D and energy departments as well as high-level Chinese official were present in the meeting.

First edition of AkzoNobel's paint the future launched

LAHORE: Calling all startups, scale-ups, entrepreneurs and innovators. The first edition of Paint the Future – the AkzoNobel startup challenge is now open and ready to discover new and revolutionary solutions that will accelerate innovation in the world of paints and coatings.

The challenge connects bright minds and promising solutions from across the globe with AkzoNobel's expertise, global scale and resources. Innovators, challenge teams, institutions and industry experts will work together to enhance the submitted ideas, forming a truly collaborative ecosystem. —PR

Fauji Foods signs MoU with UAF

LAHORE: Fauji Foods Ltd and NIFSAT (National Institute of Food Science & Technology) – University of Agriculture Faisalabad, signed the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on cooperation under the Academia Endowment Programme, amidst a special signing ceremony organised at the University of Agriculture Faisalabad on Thursday.

The MoU was signed by Brig. Zahid Nawaz Mann, SI (M), (Retd) Company Secretary, Fauji Foods Ltd and by Professor Dr. Zafar Iqbal, Vice Chancellor UAF. Under this program Fauji Foods will be investing in the youth of Pakistan by providing grant to them, enabling them to gain exposure and practical knowledge in actual corporate settings. Joint research and development will be conducted on food products for innovative technological outcomes and best quality standards. —PR

Expatriates from UK, Denmark, Spain visit OPC

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: A delegation of overseas Pakistanis belonging to UK, Denmark, Norway and Spain visited the offices of Overseas Pakistanis Commission (OPC) Punjab and held talks with Vice Chairperson Waseem Akhtar on Thursday. Director General Usman Anwar, Director Administration Asad Naeem and other officers were also present on this occasion.

Waseem Akhtar while taking to the members of visiting delegation said that Overseas Pakistanis are valuable asset of the country and making great contribution in the economy by their receipts.

Total quality management in textile need of the hour

By Shafin Khurshid

The implementation of Total quality management is done to increase the customer satisfaction and to decrease the variability and defects and it is also a system that operates in the principle that every member of the organisation is committed to achieve high standards of work in every aspect of company's operation. Quality is the main thing in TQM and. Quality attainment is very important for the customer satisfaction and anything which is not according to the customer is waste. Textile industry is considered as one of the biggest industry of Pakistan it contributes almost 60 percent of the export earnings of the country but this could easily increase by application of total quality management in the sector.

The product which is to be developed is supposed to be a very Compaq and portable water bottle with different cartridge cover over the bottle which will be filled with cold water in it and you can enjoy the drink. The bottle is also supposed to be a flask so that the water that gets poured in it stays cold for 12 hours. This product that is going to be designed is specifically for the summer seasons as the heat gets high dehydration level also increase in the body. This bottle will help to get rid of dehydration by creating interest in your drinking habits. There are going to be maximum of three to four cartridge covers with the bottle depending upon the ease of use and separate cartridges will be available in the market for different flavors and the main thing that needs importance is The capacity of the bottle which is going to be about 500-600 ml and the cartridges can support a total of 6 refills so that you could enjoy the drink without any hustle and worry which means that after six refills the cartridge will be disposed off by the consumer

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Yum-e-Shuhada-e-Police observed



By Staff Our Reporter

LAHORE: Lahore Police observed Yum-e-Shuhada-e-Police to pay homage to the sacrifices of Police officials who sacrificed their lives in the line of duty during the blast of GPO Chowk in 2008.

A memorial ceremony was held at the GPO Chowk The Mall in this regard here on Thursday, where candles were lighted up and flowers wreath was laid by the heir of the martyrs.

This flowers wreath was sent by Capital City Police

Officer (CCPO) Lahore Additional IG BA Nasir to pay tribute to the sacrifices of the martyrs of GPO Chowk blast.

SSP Operations Lahore Captain (retired) Mustansir Feroze, SP Headquarters Syed Karrar Hussain, Divisional SPs, Police officers and officials along with heirs of martyrs and citizens attended the ceremony.

Special prayers were also offered for the deceased Police officers on this occasion. While addressing the ceremony SSP Operations Lahore Captain (retired) Mustansir Feroze said that the martyred Police officials were exceptionally courageous and pride of the country who laid their lives to save the citizens from terrorists.

He said that Lahore Police has been looking after the families of the martyrs and providing them all the facilities through Welfare Eye Project at their doorsteps. Senior Police officers, prominent citizens from all sections of society also paid tribute to the sacrifices of the martyrs on this occasion.

Lahore Police arranged to send Rs 5000 for each family of martyrs along with flower bouquets at their homes. The participants of the ceremony particularly heirs shared golden memories of these martyred Police officials on this occasion.

China will provide full assistance to PRC: Jing

—“Chinese Ambassador visits PRC Headquarters”

By Staff Our Reporter

Red Crescent Punjab Muhammad Zahid and Program managers were also there.

LAHORE: Chinese Ambassador Yao Jing visited Pakistan Red Crescent Punjab Headquarters Lahore on Thursday.

Chairman Pakistan Red Crescent Punjab Lt. General (retired) Khalid Maqbool welcomed Chinese Ambassador and delegation.

Chairman Pakistan Red Crescent Punjab briefed Chinese delegate about the activities of Pakistan Red Crescent Punjab. Chinese Ambassador said that China will provide full assistance to Red Crescent Punjab for establishing youth clubs in Schools, Colleges & Universities and further enhancement of First Aid and Disaster Management trainings.

At the end of meeting Chinese Ambassador and Chairman Pakistan Red Crescent exchanged souvenirs.

On this occasion Secretary Pakistan

