



LAHORE: Ambassador of European Union Dr. Rina Kionka attends as chief guest at the LCCI meeting.

## It is very easy to control any disease through early diagnosis: Yasmin

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: Punjab Health Minister Dr. Yasmin Rashid participated as a special guest in the Breast Cancer Awareness Seminar at Fatima Jinnah Medical University. On this occasion, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Khalid Masood Gondal, Vice Chancellor of King Edward Medical University Prof. Dr. Mahmood Ayaz, former Vice Chancellor of Fatima Jinnah Medical University Prof. Dr. Amir Zaman Khan, Prof. Ayesha Shaukat, Professor Shamsa, Professor Manaza, Professor Andalib, Professor Hurriat, Professor Kamran Khalid, Professor Imran Aslam and a large number of female students including faculty members participated. Provincial Health Minister Dr. Yasmin Rashid led the breast cancer awareness walk on this occasion. Professor Amir Zaman Khan and others gave awareness lectures. Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Khalid Masood Gondal also presented a commemorative shield to Provincial Health Minister Dr. Yasmin Rashid on this occasion.

Provincial Health Minister Dr. Yasmin Rashid in her address to the participants of the breast cancer

awareness seminar said that today I am not participating in the seminar as a health minister but as a breast cancer survivor patient. Two years ago I was diagnosed with breast cancer. Imran Khan was the prime minister when I told him about my illness along with Faisal Sultan. Imran Khan said that you will continue to perform your duties, so I said yes. I was lucky that the disease was diagnosed early. I have recovered. Man cannot get strength from anywhere other than Allah Almighty to fight the situation. She said that it is very easy to control any disease through early diagnosis. Only early diagnosis of cancer can save a person from this dangerous disease. She said that a person should always live a healthy life. Allah Almighty makes it easy for a person to undergo trials. The mother and child block with 550 beds in Ganga Ram Hospital is going to be opened for the public very soon. My heart beats in Fatima Jinnah Medical University.

Four new units are also being established in Mother and Child Block. Provincial Health Minister congratulated the administration of Fatima Jinnah Medical University

for organizing the awareness seminar on breast cancer. Vice Chancellor Prof. Khalid Masood Gondal in his address to the participants said that all the female students are being taught to serve humanity in the footsteps of Provincial Health Minister Dr. Yasmin Rashid. Fatima Jinnah Medical University is running the world's largest thalassemia program. An international level hospital will come to Maser.

Prof. Rukh Khalid Masood Gondal thanked provincial health minister Dr. Yasmin Rashid for participating in the breast cancer awareness seminar. Vice Chancellor King Edward Medical University Prof. Mahmood Yaz said in his address to the participants that spreading awareness about breast cancer in our society has become very important. It can be helpful in controlling this disease. Former vice chancellor of Fatima Jinnah Medical University Amir Zaman Khan paid tribute to all the professors who spread awareness about breast cancer in the society. He said that Provincial Health Minister Dr. Yasmeen Rashid is a very brave woman. Today, Alhamdulillah, there are breast clinics in every government hospital.

## Dreeshak orders to further improve PFA performance

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: Provincial Minister for Food and Energy, Sardar Hasnain Bahadur Dreeshak said that the purpose of establishment of Punjab Food Authority was to ensure the supply of quality food to the people and it is hoped that the involvement of experienced people will improve its performance.

These views were expressed by the provincial minister during a meeting with the officers joining the Punjab Food Authority at the camp office on Monday. Former Chairman PCSIR Dr. Shahzad Alam, Dr. Ayesha Sameen and legal expert Anusha Shaigan were present on this occasion. Expressing good wishes for the future of the newly joined officers, the provincial minister emphasized on increasing the efficiency of the Punjab Food Authority and setting up an effective strategy for solving food related problems.

The Provincial Minister also said that the aim of the Food Authority should not be to emphasize raids, but to emphasize the reformation of the people to ensure the availability of quality food to the people. The newly elected officers assured the Provincial Minister that they will perform well to the good name of Punjab Food Authority with their valuable experience and will also perform their duties with complete honesty and dedication.

## PU awards five PhD degrees

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: Punjab University has awarded five PhD degrees to the scholars in which Sohail Mazhar S/o Mazhar Hussain in Education after approval of his thesis entitled 'Relationship Between Knowledge Management and Organizational Learning at Higher Education Institutions in Punjab, Pakistan', Azmat Mehmood Asim S/o Muhammad Khan in Chemistry after approval of his thesis entitled

'Synthesis and Applications of Ionic Liquids in Biomass Processing', Sidra Zavar D/o Zavar Hussain in Solid State Physics after approval of her thesis entitled 'M-Oxide (M=Co, Mn, Zn)/Carbon Based Hybrid Electrode Materials for Electrochemical Storage Devices', Adeel Ahmad S/o Zahid Naeem in Geomatics after approval of his thesis entitled 'Spatial Resource Assessment of Forests in Azad Jammu and Kashmir, Pakistan Using Optical Remote Sens-

ing Techniques' and Asif Javed S/o Muhammad Din in Islamic Studies after approval of his thesis entitled 'Punishment of Apostasy: Classical Islamic and Modern Thoughts (Analytical Study)'.

### Date sheets issued

Punjab University Examinations Department has issued date sheets for the written examination of BS (Four-year programme) second, third (re-sit), fourth, fifth (re-sit), sixth, seventh (re-sit) and eight semesters examination spring 2022.

## ADC visits market, reviews prices of vegetables and fruits, warns profiteers

Rizwan Asghar

KASUR: Additional Deputy Commissioner Revenue Maham Asif Malik visited the vegetable and fruit market, checked the prices of vegetables and fruits and cleanliness. On the instructions of the Deputy Commissioner, Additional Deputy Commissioner Revenue Maham Asif Malik along with Secretary Market Committee and other relevant officers visited the vegetable and fruit market and reviewed the prices and quality of vegetables and fruits.

He checked the presence of rate lists at the shops and inquired about the prices from the buyers coming to the market. He checked the sanitation arrangements in the Kisan platform and market and also reviewed the issues of fruit and vegetable auction.

On this occasion, he directed that fruits and vegetables should be sold at the prices fixed by the district government and strict legal action should be taken in case of violation. No one will be allowed to indulge in arbitrary profiteering and strict action will be taken against those involved

in high street selling.

### AC takes action against polluting kilns, imposes Rs 50,000 fine

Assistant Commissioner Kot Radhakshan Larib Aslam's action against polluting kilns, sealed one kiln and imposed a fine of 50,000 rupees. On the instructions of the Deputy Commissioner, Assistant Commissioner Tehsil Kot Radhakshan Larib Aslam along with the concerned officers checked the kilns which were running without zigzag technology and causing pollution. Sealed and imposed a fine of Rs 50,000.

Besides this, Assistant Commissioner Larib Aslam also checked Primary Health Center Hindal and Government Girls Elementary School Hindal. He checked the provision of medical facilities, cleanliness, attendance of doctors and paramedical staff in the hospital and on the occasion of school visit, he reviewed the attendance of teachers, cleanliness and teaching process.

### Police conduct operation in Sarai Mughal, detain 92 suspicious persons

On the special instructions of DPO Kasur Syed Imran Karamat

Bukhari, the police conducted a search and combing operation in the areas of Sarai Mughal, during the search operation, 92 suspicious persons were detained. More than 300 district police personnel, lady staff, elite force and other intelligence agencies participated in the operation, modern and scientific gadgets were used in the search and combing operation, 300 houses, 500 people were searched by E Police during the search operation. Post and biometric system checked. In the search and combing operation, areas were cordoned off with 3-layer duty while aerial surveillance was carried out with drone cameras, a camp was set up for data collection of suspicious persons in which the data of suspicious persons was checked from Polcom and CRO records, search operation and combing. The overall supervision of the operation was done by SP Investigation Khalid Mehmood Tabasim, DPO Kasur said that the purpose of the search operation is to arrest the criminals, criminal suspects and ensure the establishment of law and order. The district will be cleared of criminals and made a

cradle of peace.

### Khadian Khas PS arrests three dangerous robbers recover cash, etc

On the special instructions of DPO Kasur, police station Khadian Khas arrested three members of a very dangerous gang of robbers who injured citizens on resistance and recovered millions of rupees cash and stolen property.

On the special instructions of DPO Kasur Syed Imran Karamat Bukhari, SHO Inspector under the supervision of DSP City Circle Yakub Awan, formed various teams of Khadian police station to arrest the accused in the campaign against criminals. Given the task, the police teams, using modern technology and their professional skills, arrested three members of this dangerous dacoit gang and recovered stolen property from citizens, two lac rupees in cash, fifteen motorcycles from their possession.

Bicycles and illegal weapons were recovered. During the investigation, the accused said that they have revealed that they have committed more than 24 stabbings including shooting and injuring three civilians in three different stabbings.

## EU overjoyed with Pak exclusion from FATF Grey List: EU Ambassador

Pakistan needs to re-apply for GSP Plus Status and EU will inform within 4-5 months about status

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: Ambassador of European Union Dr. Rina Kionka has said that we are overjoyed with the announcement that Pakistan is out of the FATF Grey List. It has added to overall positive narrative which we want to see much more of Pakistan.

She was speaking at a meeting at the Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry. LCCI President Kashif Anwar presented the address of welcome while Senior Vice President Chaudhry Zafar Mahmood and Vice President Adnan Khalid Butt also spoke on the occasion. The Ambassador said that the successive Pakistani governments have put in lot of efforts in this achievement. She said that EU-Pakistan relations have a strategic engagement which covers all the areas including counter terrorism, trade, climate change, GSP Plus Status and various others.

She said that 10-year period of GSP Plus is going to end and a mission is preparing 4th and final report of the last 10-year which will be discussed in Brussels and EU Parliament. These two bodies will decide that which country is eligible and which is not for GSP Plus Status.

The Ambassador said that Pakistan

will have to re-apply for the GSP Plus Status and EU will inform within next 4 to 5 months. She said that during this period of application, Pakistan will be enjoying all facilities under GSP Plus Status. She added that Federal Minister Syed Naveed Qamar is in Brussels and doing a good lobbying work which will be useful for Pakistan.

Talking about the areas identified by the LCCI, she said that the scope under GSP Plus Status to Pakistan has not been utilized. It is confined to textile sector which should be spread to other sectors as well. "The floods played a havoc and it is a difficult time for Pakistan" She said adding that EU members countries have extended assistance in this regard. She said that EU commissioners are distributing aid in Sindh and other flood-affected areas. "The assistance will be upgraded with the passage of time", she added. She said that Pakistan needs to develop infrastructure in order to curtail the loss if catastrophe-like situation born in future. LCCI President Kashif Anwar extended deepest gratitude to the European Union for expressing solidarity with the people of Pakistan affected by the worst floods and extending financial assistance of 123 Million Euros as well as in-kind assistance for flood relief efforts. He

also appreciated the EU's commitment to address the climate change related challenges jointly.

He appreciated the fact that European Union has been welcoming the progress made by Pakistan in the implementation of FATF Action Plans and now, when Pakistan has been excluded from the grey list, we thank EU for all the support extended during the process. Kashif Anwar said that GSP Plus status holds paramount importance for Pakistan's Economy as it has played an important role in expansion of multilateral trade. According to the trade statistics from ITC World Trademap, Pakistan's exports to EU, which were around 6.2 Billion Dollars in 2013, have increased over the time to 9.7 Billion Dollars in 2021, primarily due to the deeper markets access provided by European Union under GSP plus. The LCCI President added that European Union is by far the biggest destination for Pakistan's exports as more than 30 percent of our exports reach EU market. The business community is well aware that the EU continuously monitors GSP+ beneficiary countries' effective implementation of the 27 international conventions on especially human rights, labour rights, environmental protection.

## Five dead, 1,160 injured in 1,075 road traffic crashes

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: The Punjab Emergency Service Department (PESD) Responded to 1075 Road Traffic Crashes (RTCs) in all 37 districts of Punjab during the last 24 hours. In these RTCs 05 people died, whereas 1160 were injured. Out of this 676 people were seriously injured who were shifted to different hospitals. Whereas, 484 minor injured victims were treated at the incident site by Rescue Medical Teams thus reducing the burden of Hospitals.

The majority (72 percent) involved Motorbikes, therefore effective enforcement of traffic laws and lane discipline are essential to reduce this an increasing the number of Road Traffic Crashes. Further, the analysis showed that 546 drivers, 38 underage drivers, 126 pedestrians, and 493 passengers were among the victims of these road traffic crashes. The statistics show that 232 RTCs were reported in Lahore which affected 266 persons placing the Provincial Capital at top of the list followed by 91 Multan in with 87 victims and at third Faisalabad with 81 RTCs and 82 victims.

The details further reveal that 1165 victims were affected by road traffic crashes including 925 males & 240 females, while the age group of the victims shows that 246 were under 18 years of age, 590 were between 18 and 40 years and rest of the 329 victims were reported above 40 years of age. According to the data 975 motorbikes, 72 auto-rickshaws and 121 motorcars.

### SITUATIONS VACANT

D.G KHAN MEDICAL COLLEGE, D.G KHAN

Govt. of the Punjab Specialized Healthcare and Medical Education Department vide letter No. SO/AM/21-4152016 dated 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 has allowed the recruitment of Retired Professors in various specialties on contract basis. In this context, applications are invited for appointment against the following vacant posts of Professors in D.G Khan Medical College, D.G Khan

Sl. No.	POST NAME	VACANT POST	QUALIFICATION / EXPERIENCE / RESEARCH
1.	Professor of Anesthesiology (BS-20)	01	(i) MBBS or equivalent medical qualification from an institute or a university recognized by Pakistan Medical Commission and FCPS or MS or FRCS or MRCP or MD or Dipomat of American Board in the respective specialty or any other medical qualification in the respective specialty from an institute or university recognized by the Pakistan Medical Commission.  If none is available with above qualifications then: (ii) MBBS or equivalent medical qualification from an institute or university recognized by Pakistan Medical Commission and FCPS or MS or FRCS or MRCP or MD or Dipomat of American Board General Surgery or Medicine, whichever is relevant to the respective specialty or equivalent medical qualification from an institute or university recognized by the Pakistan Medical Commission with three years post-graduation practical experience in the respective specialty from a recognized institute. (iii) Three (03) years teaching experience in the subject as Associate Professor or an equivalent position recognized by the PMC.  Provided that the total teaching experience as Assistant / Associate Professor is not less than 5 years or 3 years teaching experience as Assistant Professor in a recognized institution with at least 03 research papers published in a standard medical journal while working as Assistant Professor / Associate Professor.
2.	Professor of Pathology (BS-20)	01	(i) MBBS or equivalent medical qualification recognized by the Pakistan Medical Commission and the following postgraduate qualifications in the subject:  D.Sc., Ph.D., M. Phil (PhD) or equivalent qualification recognized by the PMC.  Credit will be given for original research work published in a standard Medical Journal and teaching experience in recognized institution.  (ii) Three (03) years teaching experience as Associate Professor provided that the total teaching experience as Assistant Professor / Associate Professor is not less than 5 years or 3 years teaching experience as an Assistant Professor in the subject in recognized institution and at least 3 research papers published in standard medical journal while working as Assistant / Associate Professor.
3.	Professor of Anatomy (BS-20)	01	(i) MBBS or equivalent medical qualification recognized by the Pakistan Medical Commission and the following postgraduate qualifications in the subject:  D.Sc., Ph.D., M. Phil (PhD) or equivalent qualification recognized by the PMC.  Credit will be given for original research work published in a standard Medical Journal and teaching experience in recognized institution.  (ii) Three (03) years teaching experience as Associate Professor provided that the total teaching experience as Assistant Professor / Associate Professor is not less than 5 years or 3 years teaching experience as an Assistant Professor in the subject in recognized institution and at least 3 research papers published in standard medical journal while working as Assistant / Associate Professor.

#### TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Only retired Professors BS-20 or above upto the maximum age of 55 years can apply.
- Both Male / Female candidates having domicile of Province of the Punjab are eligible to apply.
- Appointment will be on contract basis for a maximum period of three years in one go and would automatically expire either upon the completion of term of three years or attaining the age of 65 years or upon joining of a regular Professor selected through Punjab Public Service Commission, whichever is earlier.
- Application should be posted along with attested documents (CNIC, Domicile Certificate & Experience Certificate) to the office of Principal, D.G Khan Medical College, D.G Khan on or before 04.11.2022.
- These Posts are D.G Khan Medical College, D.G Khan specific and non-transferable.
- Attested copy of Valid PMCP/PMDC Registration Certificate showing all medical (graduate/postgraduate) qualifications therein and copy of experience certificate issued by the PMCP/PMDC determining the eligibility for the post applied.
- Foreign qualifications / experience must be recognized by PMCP / PM & DC.
- Incomplete applications and applications received after closing date will not be entertained in any case.
- Applicants must present original documents at the time of interview.
- Persons already in Govt. Service should apply through proper channel.
- Authority reserves the right to cancel, increase or decrease the number of posts at any level according to requirement.
- The selection will be made on merit.
- Date and place of interview will be communicated after short listing.
- No TA/DA will be admissible.
- Candidates are advised in their own interest to make sure before applying that they fulfil all the requirements of the rules relating to the post.

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