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Chairman KVIC met Hon'ble Governor of Goa

Chairman KVIC met Smt. Mridula Sinha, Hon'ble Governor of Goa. He discussed various issue of Khadi and VI Programmes implemented in Goa and future action plan .



Committed to empower people across the nation! KVIC's another innovation in Hills at the height of around 10,000 feet: It was a great moment to inaugurate 1st PMEGP-aided Restaurant in Likir village of Leh-Ladakh near the famous monastery.

Lowest on ladder must be benefitted, is core principle of KVIC! KVIC brings smiles on faces of potters of Saspole, Matho & Likir villages in Leh-Ladakh by distributing 100 Electric Potter Wheels, Blungers & Pug-Mills, to save the valley potters on extinction over years.

Now Khadi will play an important role in inclusive growth of Goa





Chairman KVIC, Shri Vinai Kumar Saxena met Shri Pramod Sawant, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Goa State on 18th May, 2019 and discussed about various schemes of KVIC which can increase opportunity of employment generation in Goa. During the meeting, Chairman discussed on promotion of SFURTI, PMEGP, Beekeeping and Pottery scheme of Govt. of India run by KVIC. In addition to this it was also discussed to allocate appropriate place for Office, Bhawan.

Chairman, KVIC visited CVPI, Khanapur



Hon'ble Chairman, KVIC Shri Vinai Kumar Saxena visited Central Village Pottery Institute, Khanapur, Karnataka where he inaugurated renovated Kiln shed and distributed EDP training certificate to pottery artisans.



Khadi marks its presence at the Hon'ble Prime Minister's Swearing-in Ceremony at Rashtrapati Bhawan

New Delhi: When its biggest brand Ambassador Shri Narendra Modi was taking oath again as Prime Minister of India on 30th May at Rashtrapati Bhawan, Khadi too was making its presence in a very novel way – being the carrier of water-bottles served there to the dignitaries present.

As per the purchase order given by the President's Secretariat, the Kumarappa National Handmade Paper Institute (KNHPI), Jaipur – a Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC) unit - had supplied altogether 7,000 handmade paper carry bags, sizing 10 inch by 4 inch – to keep those water bottles. These paper bags hold uniqueness as under KVIC's ambitious project REPLAN (REducing PLAstic in Nature), the waste plastic from nature is collected, followed by the process of cleaning, chopping, beating and chemical treatment for softness. After that, it is mixed with the paper raw material i.e. cotton rags pulp in a ratio of 80 % (pulp) and 20% (plastic waste) and finally sheet making.

Enthused with this order for the biggest event of democracy, KVIC Chairman Vinai Kumar Saxena said that it was a matter of pride for KVIC that 'Khadi India' logo was prominently showcased on the water-bottles' carrying handmade paper bags of all the dignitaries attending the swearing-in ceremony at Rashtrapati Bhawan. "It was like 'Khadi India' was saluting its patron from all angles at that event. If Khadi's growth in Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi's first term is any indication, we are all set to add many more feathers in Khadi's cap in the coming days," he said, adding, "celse

can be a better example of following Prime Minister's clarion call of 'Swachhata Abhiyaan' than REPLAN by KVIC, which had not only derived a proportional yet novel way to reduce the plastic menace—one of the biggest problems of contemporary world, but also revived this 26-year-old KNHPI to make the institution self-reliant."

It may be noted here that till the date, KNHPI has supplied over seven lakh handmade paper bags and it has consumed over 17 metric tonnes of plastic waste in this paper bag manufacturing.



Jagpiti

Papad-making women script new story of empowerment in Varanasi





Sewapuri (Varanasi): It was 2.30 am in this sleepy hamlet located in the outskirts of district headquarters of Varanasi - which incidentally falls under the parliamentary constituency of Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

At a time, when women in many villages across the country cannot step out of the house alone – particularly in those wee hours, a group of seven eight sari-clad women march confidently parallel to the railway track filled with big inaccessible grasses towards erstwhile Sewapuri Gandhi Ashram's Lijjat Papad unit – to knead the dough for papadmaking – which was a defunct and dilapidated Khadi Institution before September, 2016.

For, Mamta Devi, age 40, Munni Devi, age 42 and Phool Dei, age 40 from Newara village Post Sakalpur, it is like making money during the morning walk. Mamta Devi says, "We reach Sewapuri Ashram daily latest by 2.30 am and in three hours we finish kneading the dough—for which hundreds of women start coming from 5.30 am

onwards for collection of dough for rolling papads at their homes. For this three-hours'-job, each of us get on an average from Rs. 250 to Rs. 300 per day. This is like morning workout for us. Every day, we walk 4-5 kilometers, do the kneading exercise for three hours and earn upto Rs. 300". They all Thanked PM Modi for providing job opportunity to them which has changed their life. "

Corroborating similar views, Saraswati Devi of Sewapuri Village, says, "Being an uneducated Village women, we never thought that we will ever get an opportunity in our life to earn Rs. 300 per day that too sitting at our home. PM Modi has brought this change in our life through Khadi.

The next round begins at 5.30 am, when

around 230 women collect the dough in the Sewapuri Gandhi Ashram up to 8 Am and roll them into papads at their homes during the day. These women had been trained by the Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC) and in three years' time – they have become expert of papad-making. This simple, yet very effective method also known as Gandhian simplicity has achieved tremendous success in the villages of Varanasi and Gramo-preneurs across the nation have now started looking to learn how they can apply the Gandhian simplicity – where a woman can make papad weighing from 8 to 10 kilograms from the dough they collect daily in the morning and have started earning from Rs. 300 to Rs. 400 per day. The Lizzat papad, a supported unit of KVIC pays Rs.39 per kg for, rolling the papads.

Incidentally, the Sewapuri Ashram was set up on November 5, 1946 by a group of Gandhians – all hailing from a well-known Khadi institution of Gandhian era 'Kshatriya Shri Gandhi Ashram' – under the guidance of the Mahatma Gandhi, to promote Khadi and provide employment to spinners and weavers. It was then formally inaugurated by Dr. Rajendra Prasad, the first President of India and Gandhiji stayed here for quite some time, when 600 people used to work in this center those days. Spread in 12 acres of area, Sewapuri Ashram was one of the





best Khadi centers in the country once upon a time. But, due to financial crunch and lack of proper management, the center was closed in 1990 and since then this erstwhile glorious centre that played a crucial role in the promotion of khadi, virtually turned into a testimony of negligence. In its 26-odd years' of dilapidation, it turned into a jungle – with most of the structures biting the dust. The KVIC, who had been leaving no stone unturned for the revival of this centre of excellence of Gandhian philosophy of self-reliance and swadeshi, finally chose a day to formally reinaugurate it. On 17th September 2016 – on the occasion of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's birthday – better known as Sewa Diwas - KVIC Chairman Vinai Kumar Saxena re-inaugurated it.

It may be noted that KVIC had given a special grant of Rs 20 lakhs to this Khadi institutions for renovation and repair of dilapidated buildings and cleaning up the campus. KVIC roped in Rural Electrification Corporation (REC) to use its CSR funds to kick off Khadi activities. REC sanctioned Rs. 5.50 crore for this project. Notably, it is the first ever utilization of CSR funds for Khadi activities. Now, as many as 200 Solar Charkhas, 80 Solar

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Review meeting at Ahmedabad

Chairman KVIC, Shri Vinai Kumar Saxena reviewed KVIC Schemes and programmes at State Office Ahmedabad where he discussed about various schemes of KVIC which can give push to employment generation in the state. Chairman KVIC during this meeting discussed on promotion of SFURTI, PMEGP, BEEKEEPING and Pottery.

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Looms, a modern stitching center and a salt-making unit are running at this Ashram.

Enthused with the rejuvenation of this erstwhile Ashram, on the request of KVIC – the Lijjat papad had established a papad making unit in the center, in which over 250 local women have been enrolled for the work and most of them are regularly coming at the center. All the women involved in this job get Rs. 39 per kilogram for kneading, rolling and packaging. Incidentally, it is the first ever Lijjat Papad manufacturing unit of Varanasi district started in September 2016.

Besides giving credit to the zeal and enthusiasm of these rural women – engaged in Papad-making industry, KVIC Chairman Vinai





Kumar Saxena also appreciates the improving law and order scenario of Uttar Pradesh in the recent years. "For many decades, women in most parts of rural India have led a confined life. Even today, women in many villages across the country cannot step out of the house alone, and hence leading an independent life has been a far cry for them. Thanks to the CM Yogi Adityanathled UP government, women are coming to Ashram, even in midnight," he said, adding, "Since the success of these papad-making women is echoing in the whole area, we will soon be providing extra space to accommodate another 200 women in this papad-making industry."

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INFUSING SOLAR POWER



Smt. Preeta Verma CEO, KVIC inaugurated 84.15KW Rooftop Solar System at Central Office Mumbai on 16 May, 2019.



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KVIC Celebrates World Honeybee Day



KVIC Celebrated World Honeybee Day on 20th May, 2019 at Central Office, Mumbai and at all state Divisional Offices across the Nation.

On this occasion the Chief Executive Officer of KVIC Smt. Preeta Verma addressed employees in an event organised at Central Office, Mumbai.Bee-keeping would open many job avenues for the unemployed youths and aspiring young entrepreneurs. "Being the nodal agency of Prime Minister Employment Generation

loans for setting up units of processing, packaging and labelling units for the honey, She Said.

The KVIC had not only celebrated the day, it has aimed to create jobs for youths giving them, for this KVIC organises awareness camp and training programme time to time, to make





informed about identification and management of bee enemies and diseases, honey extraction and wax purification, and management of bee colonies in spring, summer, monsoon, autumn and winter seasons. Besides giving them certificates of trained bee-keepers, the KVIC experts also informed about honey bee species, colony organization, division of labor and life cycle of honey bees; management of honey bee colonies during different seasons.

The KVIC also distributed 80 gms. honey bottles to employees and people attended the programme across the country by KVIC on May 20 to celebrate the World Honey Bee Day.

Ms. Usha Suresh, F.A., KVIC and all senior officials were also present on this occasion.





Chairman's MESSAGE

May20, 2019- is World Honey Bee day! A day to bring awareness amongst the people about the need of bees to the environment.

Now a days, many of us knows that honey bees are crucial to pollinating crops and flowers and have been experiencing a crisis in recent years that seriously threatens their future. They contribute directly to the food security of our planet by enabling many plants- including many important food crops to reproduce. They also play a key role in conserving and maintaining the biodiversity of the planet.

The main motto of celebrating this day is to build awareness of the bee industry to the public through education and promotion.

Every individual can contribute to the preservation of bees and other pollinators:

- * Plant nectar-bearing flowers for decorative purposes on balconies, terraces, and gardens.
- * Buy honey and other hive products from your nearest local beekeeper.
- * Raise awareness among children and adolescents on the importance of bees and express your support for beekeepers.
- * Set up a pollinator farm on your balcony, terrace, or garden; you can either make it yourself or buy at any home furnishings store.
- * Preserve old meadows which feature a more diverse array of flowers and sow nectarbearing plants.
- * Cut grass on meadows only after the nectar-bearing plants has finished blooming.
- * Offer suitable farming locations for the temporary or permanent settlement of bees so that they have suitable pasture; consequently, they will pollinate our plants, which will thereby bear more fruit.
- * Use pesticides that do not harm bees, and spray them in windless weather, either early in the morning or late at night, when bees withdraw from blossoms.
- * Mulch blooming plants in orchards and vineyards before spraying them with pesticides so that they do not attract bees after being sprayed.
- * For extraction of honey, use only smokers and supers as to minimize the damage to the bee hives.

So... let's celebrate this year's World Bee Day and respect and remember how important bees are for our lives, and for much of life on earth.

Looking forward to your support and participation.

Vinai Kumar Saxena Chairman



At Jaipur



Besides Central Office, Mumbai, world honey bee day was also celebrated Pan India by State/Divisional offices. On this occasion honey bottles were distributed among the students by dignitaries of KVIC in their respective zones.

At Chennai



At Bhopal



At J&K



At Dehradun



At Madurai







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At Shimla









KVIC to create over 1 lakh jobs in Goa: Saxena

Vinai Kumar Saxena, chairman of Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC) in India was in Goa recently. VIKANT SAHAY had an opportunity to find out more about KVIC and its interests in Goa

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**BAA SITHAR ALERAC Rhad; as Gardhij beleaved, is not only the tool of self-reliance or synchologists of nationalism; it can also play a winal rade in seconding growth of the ration. But, due to lack of vision and floors by successive gavernents, it could not accelerate in terms of growth and jub creation for natural party was senter craid not even touch double digits as the highest growth are recorded prior to 2014 was a more 8%. It was the vision of frime Minister Modit that this unlarged sector withnessed racket in growth after 2015. In 2017, the low-profile Rhad Industry saw sales seorth after 2015. In 2017, the low-profile Rhad Industry saw sales seorth industries and social manufactured in villages to manufactured in village ministry produce, or Gerandody, gree 24% in that fiscal in the last fiscal 1018-112 cross in the production of with a prosent 24% or the also of Rhad growth franctory as the sale of the 215-15. Even in the production of with a figure of Rt. 1,902 crove in FY 2018-19, it had

recorded a growth of over 197%, from the production of 963.67 crare in fiscal 2014-15. We are very hopeful to surpass the cales target of 8 5,000 crare by the ent of 2019-20.

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BERALD: How have the sales performed?

VRS: Besides Prain Musiner's publ, the civelit also goes to KVIC's aggression marketing and proper utilization of sampower for this success. With landed resources and round-the-clock off-toris of the artonans and KVIC staff resulted in our soccess. The quantities of this success ran be understood that in the fiscal 2014-15 - Khadi's sale was Ro 1.310.90 crose with 2002 ramper of manpower. Lot in the fiscal 2014-15 - Khadi's sale was Ro 2014-15 - Khadi's sale was Ro 2014-15 - Khadi's sale was Ro 2014-15 the press with 24% doing in manpowers, Rhadi's sale has been in creased by some that 245% in the last fine years. In 2014-15 the creased by some that 245% in the last fine years. In 2014-15 the creased by substitution was mere 65%, which has goes up to over 2009, in final 2018-19.

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priority along with spreading the reach of Khadi is also to en-sure that there is employment peneration. What measures has KVIC taken for job cre-ration?

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ENTREPRENEUR OF THE FORTNIGHT

many as 21,70,702 new employment through its various of homes like 'Ohads and Polyvantra, Principal Minister Englishy seem General Programme, Stemp Ministon and the last five fiscals, ic between 2014-15 and 2018-19. Not only that, in the last five financial years, we have also added 4.95 lakh new arturans to XVIC.

HTBALD What are your expan-sion plans gan India and are there any export plans? VKS: Khath is no longer as item of outdated Khath Bhandars. Tal-

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ability of this signature fabric at a bility of this signature fabric at every doorstep, the KVIC has signatured some new initiatives of peering exclusive Mod Kowsen in major malls and supermarkets in the covarity. After signing the Mod between KVIC and Globus chains of stores for antising up of exclusive. Shad stores named Khadi. Korner, namy shop-in-shop. Thad: Korner, own-opered across the country. It is a good platform where customers would get a wide range of Rhadi get a wide range of Rhadi get a wide range of Rhadi new the store of the sto

associated with women expose-erment.

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We will leave no stone un-turned in extending best of mar-

ketting nuport and export oppor-tunities to Khadi institutions, PMEDI/REGP units to help mar-set their products and services, besides making consergence with the trusted congreate glass to market Rhadi. Designer interven-tion has also been made by KVC to introduce market trendy de-signs in Khadi. Reputed designers like Rhu Berl, Narthiet and insti-tutes like NITC, SNOT and Transies like Rhu Berl, Narthiet and insti-tutes like NITC, SNOT and Francisco and port cells to premote evenesars sales of the products. Currently, we are not doing direct expert int are trying to kick it off. R11 help is making Khodi an interna-tional limit.

HERALD What issues did you discuss in your meetings with CM and Governor of Gos? VKE Book of them were impressed with Rhadi's growing pursey in the last five year. Both Jaid stress on creating jals in the State. Since Gos does not have any Khadi activities till date, we ask the control of t

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expect from KVIC in near fu-ture?

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बैठक • जिले के बैंकर्स ने पीएमईजीपी की विशेष बैदक मैं अध्रे लक्ष्मों को पूरा करने का संकल्प किया खादी व ग्रामोद्योग आयोग की योजनाओं से गांवों के युवाओं में कौशल बढ़ाकर गरीबी मिटाने के प्रयासों में भागीदार बनें

गडरारोड . खादी और ग्रामोद्योग

भारत धायता के साले एवं तामीकी आयोग के ब्रीकानेर मंदाल बर्दोलाल मीग्य ने हातुन् विशो के मैंकर्ज कर आहम किया है कि से खारी एवं प्रमोद्धेन आयोग को जिल्ला केमन्त्रजी के भाष्यम से गांव के गरीव-वेरीजवार का भीतान बढ़ा घर गरावी मिटाने के बीतरपट प्रथमी में भागीवार बने। ने पुरावत को विश्वतकोई बगाइ में एक शेटल में अक्षानमध्ये संकार (पीयम्बीनार्थः) के लिय आयोजित विशेष केटक बोल सो हो। प्रशाने सकी को प्रतित किया कि रात

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भी कार्य भोजना सन्तर्गः मोला ने साधी के बाह्य हैंड किमान क्रांत पीएम्क्रीबीपी में स्योकत परियोजनाओं को तालका आग प्रधान बार, राष्ट्र रात्यान के अधियान को संपर्लात क्याने में सहस्रेग करें। बीचा ने वाल कि वाली व प्रामीतीय अस्पेन दान बेटेसपर्टी को टेक्पर से जीवने के लिए भाग सरकार की पाल पर विकित प्रकार टान्ट्रीयकृत, सक्तवारी अध्यय निश्ती बीवा

जनवर्ति, जन्द निक्रमा वर्ग, प्रीतराजी, पूर्व क्षेत्रको, प्रवर्तिक विध्वतन वर्ग परे 35 प्रतिशत अनुक्त्य शक्ति 25 लाख रूपए सक्त की अधीकृति प्रधान की जाती है। इसके लिए स्थापन परियोगना पा विश्वी

में ऋग लेकर बाम शुरू किया जा सकता है। बोजना शामिल होने के लिए आयोग भी वेपसमूह पर ऑनसाइन आवेदन विशेष मा सन्तर है।

वृद्धिनं के अपनी जिल्हा प्रयोगक लेखें मीचा ने कराजा कि फैठक में ककाना सकें परियोगनाओं पर ज्यानक चर्चा की गई। इसे शीध पूर मतने का संग्रहम अवस्त विकासमा सेंडक में जिलेकर को बीकों के सारकारों हैं जाने मैंक की पोएम्डीनीये धारित रिपोर्ड प्रस्तुत भी। पंचान निर्देशक मोगा ने पाने कराना जान श्रीम स्थितत करने के निर्देश किया। इस अससर पर प्रश्निता के माराज्यक महेरा भारतक, श्रीआहेरी महाप्रवाचक वानुसान वानेतिका, नामार्थ श्रीक्षीत्व सन्देश भीवा, कसल firest desire in at alter fire refer विविद्या स्ट्रीक व्यक्तिकारियों ने अपन विस्तात

How the Khadi industry is booming and creating jobs in India

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27/05/2019: THE TIMES OF INDIA: VARANASI

Women thank Modi for profitable papad mission

Binay Singh TNN

Varanasi: Mamta, Munni and Phooldei, all aged between 40 and 42 years, begin their day as early as 2.30am. They walk 3km along railway tracks to reach their workplace, where they knead dough for the next three hours or so to earn up to Rs 300 a day. Sewapuri Gandhi Ashram



Women making papad at

These residents of Newara village are among a few hundred women who work at the papad unit of Sewapuri Gandhi Ashram under Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC), 26km from the district headquarters, to support their families. Each of these women knead between 440kg and 495kg of papad flour that come in 40-45 containers. They are paid Rs6 per container.

As Prime Minister Narendra Modi is scheduled to visit Varanasi on Monday these women want to extend their gratitude to him for enabling them to replicate the Gujarat model of co-operative mission in his constituency. P3

खादी और ग्रामोद्योग आयोग देगा काम



गडरारोड . खादी और ग्रामोद्योग की शुरुआत मंहलीय निदेशक के लोग उपस्थित रहे।

बद्रीलाल मीणा ने रविवार को ाड आयोग ने हाथ चक्की (घरटी) से क्षेत्रीय विकास कार्यालय बाडमेर आया पसाने की शुरुआत की है। में की। रामनगर निवासी हेमलता ने इससे ग्रामीण क्षेत्र के यवाओं को आटा पीसकर इसकी शरुआत की। खाली समय में रोजगार मिल इस दौरान पर सर्वरा संस्थान ा पाएग। उत्पादन केंद्रों पर पीसे आटे बाडमेर अध्यक्ष कुलजीत, का 10 प्रति किलो के हिसाब से कार्यालय अधीक्षक पुखराज ा 'भुगतान किया जाएगा। आयोग के पंबार, कार्यकर्ता स्वरूप चंद शर्मा, उत्पादन केंद्र बाड़मेर, बैकुंठ ग्राम, खादी ग्रामोद्योग केंद्र मीठड़ा, विशाला, गडरारोड में है। कार्यक्रम महाबार, बिशाला, बायतु, सिणधरी





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खादी प्रामोद्योग की ओर से दूर-दराज के प्रामीण इलाकों में काम की चारत में बेरोजगर बैठी महिलाओं के लिए एक बड़ी खुशखबरी लेकर आपा है। इसकी खास बात यह भी है कि इसमें समय की पाबंदी को लेकर भी कोई इंड्राट नहीं है। जब जो चाहे और जिलनी देर तक और जितना भी काम करना चाहें, इसकी सुविधा भी मिलेगी। इस योजना की धिवत शुरुआत कत बादमेर के क्षेत्रीय विकास कार्यालय नेहरू नगर में मंडलीय निदेशक बद्रीलाल मीणा द्रारा की गई।

मंद्रारीय निदेशक मीणा ने बताय कि ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में छुट्टी के दौरान और खाली समय में युवा भी यह काम कर सकते हैं। इससे उन्हें अतिरिक्त आमदनी भी मिल सकेगी। इस योजना से दूर-दराज की संव-दाणियों में बिना मजदूरी के खाली बैटी महिलाओं को घर खर्च एवं जेब खर्च निकातने का अवसर मिलेगा। इस बोजना की प्रारंभिक शुरुआत बाइमेर कार्यालय में दो-तीन धट्टियों से हुई। रामनगर निवासी हेमलता ने शाव से आटा पेतल्कर इसकी शुरुआत की। इससे



बाइमेर . योजना का शुभारंभ करते मंडलीय निदेशक मीणा।

पहले मंडलीय निदेशक मीणा ने घट्टी को मोली बांधकर इसकी पूजा की। इस अवसर पर सवेरा संस्थान के अध्यक्ष पुरतनीत, कार्यालय अधीधक पुखरान पंजर एवं खादी आयोग के पूर्व कार्यकर्ता स्थरूप चंद रामां सहित मीठड़ा. महाबार, बिशाला, बायलु और सिगधरी गांवों के सैकड़ों लोग भी टपस्थित रहे। खादी ग्रामीहोग की और गडरा गेंड में चल रहे हैं। की शुक्रुआत का उद्देश्य ग्रामीण तो यहां भी केंद्र खोले जाएंगे।

केरों में खाली बेडी महिलाओं को रोजनार उपलब्ध करवाना है। इन्युक महिलाएं सादी प्रामीकोन के उत्पादन बेंद्रों पर खाली समय में आकर आदा पोसेंगी। कटने से उन्हें 10 रूपए प्रतिकित्ते के हिसाब से भूगतान किया जाएगा। वर्तम में खादी समोदोग के केंद्र बाहमेर शास्त्रीयाम, मैर्नुटवाम, विशास ओर से बीते रिक्वार को शय की इसके अलावा वदि अन्य गांवों से चक्की यानी पट्टी पर आटा भिराने भी उत्पादन केंद्र के प्रस्ताय आते हैं



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Papad unit rolls out crisp future for rural Varanasi

Varanasi: Mamta, Munni and Phooldei, all aged bet-ween 40 and 42, begin their day as early as 2.30mm. They walk 3km slong rathray tracks to reach their workplace, where they knead dough for the next three hours or so to earn up to Rs 200 a

day. These residents of News ra village are among a few hundred women who work at the papad unit of Sewapu-ri Gundhi Ashram under Khadi and Village Industri-es Commission (KVIC), 26km from the district headquarters, to support their fa-milies. Each of these women knead between 440kg and 495kg of papad flour that co-me in 40-45 containers. They

are paid Rs 6 per container. As Prime Minister Na-rendra Modi is scheduled to visit Varanavi on Monday. these women want to extend their gratitude to him for enabling them to replicate the Gujarat model of co-operative mission in his consti-

"After reaching the ash ram, we kneed the dough. A second batch of wimen start coming from 5.36am to collect the dough, which they roll into papad at homes. For three hours, I earn up to Ra 300 a day," said Mainta. "Being uneducated, I ne-

ver thought I will earn for myself... that too sitting at home," said Saraswati, a re-sident of Sewapuri who

rollspapad.
Supervisor Kamlesh
Gupta said around 250 women collect the dough for
rolling papad. Each is given
hitking dough. They are paid at the rate of Rs 39 a kg.
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ugh. "I take liky dough for rolling and earn Rs 312 a day," said one Payal, Similar-ly, a third botch is engaged in packaging. They too are pa-id Rs 38 a kgeach.

"These women were trai-ned by KVIC and in three years' time, they have become experts in making papad," said KVIC chairman Vinai Kumar Saxena, adding that on their request, Lijjat had established a manufactu-

How an ashram came of age

Sevapuri Gandhi Ashram was set up on November 5, 1946, by a group of Gandhians under the guidance of the Mahatma, it was formally inaugurated by the country's first President Rajendra Prasad. Mahatma Gandhi stayod here

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"The adherm was one of the best khadi centres in the country, But, owing to financial crunch and lack of proper management, it was shut down in 1990," said KVIC chairman Vinni Kumer Sauren.

Vinsi Kumar Sasera. On September 17, 2016, the KVIC reopened it to mark PM Mod's birthday, better known as Seva Owas. It gave a special grant of its 20 lish for renovation of buildings and roped in the Rural Electrification Corporation to use its CSR funds of Rs 5.5

croreto kick off projects.
"Currently, as many as 200 solar charkhas, 80 solar looms, a modern stitching centre and a salt-making unit are part of the ashram, besides the papad unit," Saxena added.

2006, it is the first ever Lijjat

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खादी एवं ग्रामोद्योग आयोग भारत सरकार बीकानेर कार्यालय के मंडलीय निदेशक बद्रीलाल मीणा ने आज रिद्धि-सिद्धि होटल,बगड़, झुंझुनु के सभागार में जिलेभर के बैंकर्स को आह्वान किया कि भारत सरकार के खादी एवं ग्रामोद्योग आयोग की विभिन्न योजनाओं के माध्यम से गांव के गरीब,बेरोजगार को हुनर देकर गरीबी के राक्षस को भगाने में मदद करें। आज झुंझुनू जिले के सभी बैंकर्स की प्रधानमंत्री रोजगार सुजन कार्यक्रम पीएमईजीपी के लिए आयोजित विषेष बैठक में प्रेरित किया कि गत वर्ष के अधूरे लक्ष्यों को पूरा कर पूरी गति से वर्तमान वित्तीय वर्ष के लिए कार्य को प्रगति प्रदान करें।

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रोजगार सूजन कार्यक्रम के अन्तर्गत लाभान्यित प्रतिभागियो के लिए ओ.ची.सी. ग्राम्य स्वरोजवर प्रशिक्षण संस्थान के संचानार में आयोजित 10 दिवसीय प्रतिश्रण कार्यक्रम का बुधवार को समारोहपूर्वक सारायन हो गया। इस मीने पर स्वादी डामेद्योग आयोग, भीकानेर के मण्डलीय निर्देशक बढीलाल मीना मुख्य अतिथि थे। अध्यक्षता ओरियन्टल बैक ऑफकॉमर्स के मण्डल कार्यालय के मारायक



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