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South Eastern Railway Celebrates 66th Railway Week



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RAILWAY MINISTER VISITED JHARSUGUDA AND HELD HIGH LEVEL MEETING WITH GENERAL MANAGER, SER & ECoR

Sri Ashwini Vaishnaw, Hon'ble Minister for Railways, Communications and Electronics & Information Technology visited Jharsuguda of Chakradharpur Division, South Eastern Railway on 8th and 9th November, 2021. Railway Minister held a high level review meeting with Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway & East Coast Railway at Jharsuguda on 8th November, 2021. Sri Suresh Pujari, Hon'ble MP, Bargarh, Sri Navin Gangdev, Hon'ble MP, Sambalpur, Sri Nauri Nayak, Hon'ble MLA, Rangali, Smt. Kusum Tete, Hon'ble MLA, Sundargarh, Sri Shankar Oram, Hon'ble MLA, Birmitrapur, Sri Jainarayan Mishra, Hon'ble MLA, Sambalpur, Sri Ravi Nayak, Hon'ble Ex MLA, Kuchinda and Smt. Radharani Panda, Hon'ble Ex MLA, Brajarajnagar were present in the meeting and interacted with Hon'ble Railway Minister. Principal Officers of South Eastern Railway,

East Coast Railway and South East Central Railway also attended the meeting.

Various issues pertaining to infrastructural development works of railways in Odisha, specially in Jharsuguda area were elaborately discussed in the meeting. During the discussion, Hon'ble Railway Minister also laid emphasis on safety issues and suggested several measures to improve the passenger amenities over SER's jurisdiction. Hon'ble Minister also laid stress on timely completion of all ongoing railway projects.

On the 2nd day of his visit, Hon'ble Railway Minister inspected Jharsuguda Electronic Interlocking System along with Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, SER & ECoR and other senior officials. He also inspected Jharsuguda station and suggested several Passenger Amenity measures.



Sri Ashwini Vaishnaw, Hon'ble Minister for Railways, Communications and Electronics & Information Technology holding a high level review meeting with Hon'ble MPs and MLAs along with Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, SER & ECoR at Jharsuguda on 08-11-2021.



Sri Ashwini Vaishnaw, Hon'ble Minister for Railways, Communications and Electronics & Information Technology inspecting Electronic Interlocking System at Jharsuguda along with Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, SER & ECoR on 09-11-2021.



Sri Ashwini Vaishnaw, Hon'ble Minister for Railways, Communications and Electronics & Information Technology inspecting Jharsuguda Railway station along with Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, SER & ECoR on 09-11-2021.

SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY CELEBRATES 66th RAILWAY WEEK

South Eastern Railway celebrated the 66th Railway Week, 2021 at Kolkata on 07.12.2021.

Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway graced the occasion as Chief Guest. Shri Atulya Sinha, Addl. General Manager, Shri Vijay Kumar Panjiar, Senior Deputy General Manager along with all Principal Head of the Departments attended the function. Divisional Railway Managers of Kharagpur, Adra, Chakradharpur & Ranchi were also present on the occasion.

As many as 164 selected railway officers & staff including Group Awardees were felicitated in recognition of their outstanding services and devotion to duty during the year 2020-21. The Overall Efficiency

Shield was awarded to Kharagpur Division for the best all round performance. Efficiency Shields in 28 other categories were awarded to different divisions, workshops and stations. Ranchi station has been adjudged as the Best Kept Station.

Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager while addressing the gathering mentioned about S E Railway's contribution towards the growth of Indian Railways and complimented the railway employees for their sincere efforts and commendable performance. General Manager stressed on making all out efforts to attain the satisfaction of passengers and freight customers. She also appreciated the cooperation extended by the different Associations and Trade Unions.



Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway addressing on the occasion of 66th Railway Week Celebrations held at Kolkata on 7th December, 2021



Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway handing over the Overall Efficiency Shield to Divisional Railway Manager, Kharagpur on the occasion of 66th Railway Week Celebrations held at Kolkata on 7th December, 2021

INAUGURATION OF HERITAGE RAILWAY MUSEUM AT BARIPADA

Sri Bishweswar Tudu, Hon'ble Minister of State for Jal Shakti & Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India inaugurated the Heritage Railway Museum at Baripada on 17.11.2021 in presence of Sri Prakash Soren, Hon'ble MLA. Sri P Mishra, Principal Financial Advisor, South Eastern Railway, Sri Manoranjan Pradhan, Divisional Railway Manager, Kharagpur and other officers were present on the occasion.

Kharagpur Division of South Eastern Railway has completed the development work of heritage Railway Museum project in Baripada with an estimated cost of approx. Rs.1.4 Crore within an area of 6000 Sq.mts.

The development of heritage railway museum and its opening for general public is a matter of pride for the people of Mayurbhanj district and proof of rich railway history of the region since 1904. The coming generations will be inspired and they would learn a lot from this heritage Museum. There will be continuous

improvement in this museum, with the addition of heritage items from all over the division.



Sri Bishweswar Tudu, Hon'ble Minister for State of Jal Shakti & Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India inaugurating Heritage Railway Museum at Baripada.

SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY ORGANISES HERITAGE WALK AT HEADQUARTERS, GARDEN REACH

South Eastern Railway organised a "Heritage Walk" at its Headquarters Campus, Garden Reach on 27.11.2021. Sri Atulya Sinha, Additional General Manager and Chairman, Heritage Committee, South Eastern Railway welcomed the heritage enthusiasts and briefed them about the rich heritage of different railway installations at SER Headquarters, Garden Reach.

The main objective of organizing the Heritage Walk is to create awareness about preservation of the rich heritage of South Eastern Railway.

Members of INTACH (Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage), Railway Enthusiasts' Society



Heritage Walk organised at SER Headquarters, Garden Reach on 27.11.2021.

and other organisations participated in this Heritage Walk.

The heritage enthusiasts visited the SER Headquarters Building constructed in 1907, Heritage Room at SER Headquarters, the Brass tablet commemorating the first Barrage Balloon ever to operate in India, Godfrey Mansions, the buildings constructed during the British era, BNR Officers' Club on the banks of the Hooghly River etc.

The heritage enthusiasts of different organisations appreciated the steps taken by South Eastern Railway for preservation of its heritage.



Sri Atulya Sinha, Additional General Manager and Chairman, Heritage Committee, South Eastern Railway briefing the heritage enthusiasts before the Heritage Walk organised at SER Headquarters, Garden Reach on 27.11.2021.

SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY CELEBRATES THE CONSTITUTION DAY

The Constitution Day was observed at South Eastern Railway Headquarters, Garden Reach on 26.11.2021. Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway, all Principal Head of the Departments, Senior Officers and Staff read out the Preamble to the Constitution of India during the live programme of Hon'ble President of India who led the celebrations all over the country.

Constitution Day was also celebrated at all the Divisional Offices of South Eastern Railway viz. Kharagpur, Adra, Chakradharpur and Ranchi in a befitting manner. Divisional Railway Managers of respective divisions, officers and staff read out the Preamble to the Constitution of India.

Smt. Zarina Firdausi, Principal Chief Personnel Officer, South Eastern Railway co-ordinated the programme of the Constitution Day.



Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway reading the Preamble to the Constitution of India during observance of Constitution Day at SER Headquarters, Garden Reach on 26.11.2021.

MAHAPARINIRWAN DIWAS OF DR. B. R. AMBEDKAR OBSERVED BY SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY

Mahaparinirwan Diwas of Bharat Ratna Dr. B. R. Ambedkar was observed with due solemnity at South Eastern Railway Headquarters, Garden Reach on 06/12/2021.

Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway paid floral tribute to the great patriot, Bharat Ratna Dr. B. R. Ambedkar.

Sri Atulya Sinha, Addl. General Manager, Smt. Zarina Firdausi, Principal Chief Personnel Officer, S. E.

Railway along with officials of SC/ST Association also paid floral tribute to Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the Father of the Indian Constitution.

The Principal Head of the Departments, senior railway officers & staff of S.E. Railway Headquarters also paid tribute to the illustrious son of India, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar. Mahaparinirwan Diwas of Bharat Ratna Dr. B. R. Ambedkar was also observed at four Divisional offices of Adra, Kharagpur, Chakradharpur and Ranchi.

Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway paying floral tribute to the portrait of the great patriot, Bharat Ratna Dr. B. R. Ambedkar during observance of Mahaparinirwan Diwas at S E Railway Headquarters, Garden Reach.



SCHOLARSHIP FOR MERITORIOUS CHILDREN OF RAILWAY EMPLOYEES

Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway and President, South Eastern Railway Women's Welfare Organisation (SERWWO) handed over Scholarship to 17 meritorious children of non-gazetted employees of SER in a function held at BNR Officers' Club, Garden Reach on 06.12.2021.

The Scholarship is being granted by South Eastern Railway Women's Welfare Organisation.

South Eastern Railway Women's Welfare Organisation has always come forward to provide help and care to railway employees and their families. It has continued to work relentlessly and has dedicated itself towards multifarious welfare activities.

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FELICITATION OF OUTSTANDING "DIVYANG" RAILWAY EMPLOYEES BY GENERAL MANAGER

"International Day of Persons with Disabilities" was celebrated at SER Headquarters, Garden Reach on 27.12.2021. To mark this occasion, Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway as the Chief Guest felicitated 34 numbers of Divyang non-gazetted railway employees in recognition of their sincerity, dedication and outstanding service. These employees are working in different departments in SER Headquarters, Garden Reach, Kharagpur, Adra, Ranchi & Chakradharpur Divisions and Workshops.

Fourteen out of thirty four awardees have been chosen from SER Headquarters, Garden Reach while four each are from Kharagpur, Adra, Ranchi & Chakradharpur Divisions and rest are from Stores and Workshops. The programme was organised by the Headquarters Staff Benefit Fund Committee, South Eastern Railway, Garden Reach. On this occasion, Smt. Zarina Firdausi, the Chairperson of Headquarters Staff Benefit Fund Committee & Principal Chief Personnel Officer along with other Principal Head of the Departments of this railway were also present.

Felicitations of outstanding "Divyang" railway employees by Ms. Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway.



Heritage Staircase at SERly.Head Quarters Garden Reach



Staircase at South Eastern Railway Headquarters, Garden Reach



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