

# Stop Procrastinating

London (Sampat Singh, Sub-Editor):

Rachanaa Jain's book - 'Awake Your Dreams - Stop Procrastinating! Start Achieving' was launched very successfully at the special function held at The Centre, Southall, London.



The Chief guest hon. Mr. Virendra Sharma graced the Occasion with his remarks that politicians often write about themselves but we must follow more the steps shown by doctors and the authors like Rachanaa . Dr, Chandok reflected his views of unending efforts to work very hard and made a special note of the Psychological aspect covered by the author which would prove to develop a positive way of life.

The author's guruji blessed her for the venture which conveys a right direction to have perseverance and promptness in our day to day activities. The book reminds the popular couplet of the famous Hindi poet and the philosopher. Kabir, propogated about four centuries ago- **Kaal Kare so aaj kar, Aaj Kare so ab; Pal mein pralay hoiga, Bahuri karega kab.**

# Harsharan singh

Life is cinema. Some perform on the 'Parda' others in the 'Parda'. Many couldn't bare the demands of the particular role so that they switch to others. Few remain determine, keep performing, keep learning, keep improving and finally achieve the desired reward. Later is the category of Harry Sharan. Pass out from Panjab University Chandigarh's Department of Indian Theatre, Harry stepped into the reel world as a clapper boy. Soon after with his rich baritone voice and versatile acting, he came in front of the clapper.

Since Last decade Harry Sharan's rising graph of acting has not a single curve. But due to the downfall in Punjabi film industry he suffered filtration in the opportunities. Even then Harry never gave up his fortitude, and appeared in a new avatar. Harry transformed to Harsharan Singh from Harry Sharan after playing an iconic role in Punjabi Short film 'Khoon', which is scheduled for the world premiere in International Film Festival in Toronto next month. The 35 minutes long film 'Khoon', depicts nearly 50 years old Punjab. Harsharan Singh performed 'Balbira' a lead role in 'Khoon', directed by well-known Punjabi writer and director Amardeep Singh Gill. Film is based on Punjabi short story written by Gurbachan Bhullar with same name, which shows how property and land ownership related disputes in Punjabi agriculturist families bring changes and bitterness in the blood relations. The story revolves around 'Balbira' whose wicked persona transforms into kind-

# Councillor Monika Juneja pretended to be barrister

A former councillor has admitted pretending to be a barrister.

Monika Juneja, a Guildford borough councillor until she did not seek re-election last week, had denied eight charges and was due to face a trial.

But she pleaded guilty to three counts of forgery, obtaining pecuniary advantage by deception, and wilfully pretending to be barrister as the trial at the Old Bailey got under way.

Juneja, of Doverfield Road, Guildford, will be sentenced in June.

Offences she admitted included giving false qualifications to Bromley Council, and constructing false letters from the University of Greenwich and the BPP Law School outlining qualifications she did not hold, between July 2000 and May 2014.

The 36-year-old had denied three other counts of fraud, which related to providing recruitment agencies with untrue or misleading information about her CV, and which were ordered to lie on file.

## 'Witch hunt'

Prosecutor Kate Wilkinson said Juneja repeatedly lied about her degree and law qualifications.

She said Juneja forged a letter to show she had a second class degree to get into bar school.

At bar school, she failed three course modules but forged a further document to say she was competent in law, she added.

Ms Wilkinson said Juneja applied for jobs in which the law qualification gave her higher earning potential.

"It is right to say that she is not entitled to call herself a barrister any sense," she said.

The court heard Juneja used her fake qualifications to work at Bromley, Tower Hamlets, Brighton and Hove, Buckingham and Enfield councils in lawyer and council officer roles, and some of her mistakes could have cost many thousands of pounds.

## Planning chief

When Juneja was arrested, she was Guildford's councillor in charge of planning and at the time had been overseeing plans to build hundreds of homes and potentially remove some villages' green belt status.

Howard Godfrey QC, defending, said she had been the victim of a witch hunt in Guildford as a result of seeking



to push the policy forward.

Juneja's guilty pleas showed remorse, he said, and her years of public service had shown good character.

Mr Godfrey said her Indian immigrant parents had expected great things from her and she was "embarrassed" and "panicked" when she graduated with a third class degree.

"The fact of the matter is that although not qualified as stated, she was very good at her job," he said.

She was exposed by constituents who began looking into her background after raising a number of complaints about her work identifying areas of land for development.

The Conservative politician was later asked to step down from her executive role, but retained her councillor status.

Guildford Borough Council said she did not stand for re-election on Thursday and, along with all other councillors who stood down, Juneja officially ceased to be a councillor on Monday.

A spokesman said the council had no comment to make about the trial.

hearted gentle fellow with few soft, proud and affectionate words.

Harsharan has performed in more than a dozen Punjabi and Hindi films including 'Punjab 1984', which bagged national award this year. 'Shaheed Udham Singh', 'Shaheed-E-Azam', 'Chak Jawana', 'Shikar', 'Zaildar', 'Jahli Passport', 'Nalayak' and 'Lakeeran' are his some more famous films. The list of music videos, serials and telefilms is very long. Harsharan also participated in a very famous TV advert 'Idea Caste War' along with Abhishek Bachchan.

At present Harsharan is working on three film projects. Out of them two are feature length Punjabi films and one is short film. Short film named 'Aapa-Dhapi' is written and directed by Harsharan himself. He played 5 different characters which are eventually one person's various conditions, before and after a life changing incident occurs in his life. "The post production work of 'Aapa-Dhapi' is going on and rest are scheduled for the shot later this year", Harsharan said.

Painting is the God gifted talent of Harsharan. But he conceived acting and delivered a versatile, veteran performer. He learned acting while doing stage plays at various levels. "I am an actor not a hero," says Harsharan Singh. He wanted to do subject based meaning full films in any genre, both in Punjabi and Hindi. "Stage is the only mint to shape the performers, and I will never leave theatre and stage", Harsharan Singh...

**PHYSIOTHERAPY**

The Physio Centre

**AMAZING OFFER!**

**3 Physiotherapy sessions or 3 Therapeutic massages for ONLY £75**

More than 40% off (usual price £135)

Terms: Expires 31st December 2013.

- Open every day - Saturday, Sunday and late evenings included.
- Hindi, Urdu, Telegu, Punjabi and English speaking physios
- Registered with BUPA, AXA, AVIVA and all other major health insurance companies
- Free car park
- Easily accessible by bus (111, 105 or H28)

Whiplash

Neck and back pain

Sciatica

Acupuncture

Electrotherapy

Sports injuries

Therapeutic massage

Arthritis and joint pain

Tennis and golfers elbow

Work related injuries

Accident claims

Muscle sprains and ligament strains

Post surgery rehabilitation

Tel: 0208 990 9041  
email: [treat@thephysiocentre.com](mailto:treat@thephysiocentre.com)  
[www.hounslowphysiotherapy.co.uk](http://www.hounslowphysiotherapy.co.uk)

The Concorde Club,  
Cranford TW5 9PQ

**ANUYU Hair & Beauty Salon**  
Required  
**Hair Dressers**  
contact  
126a Hanworth Road, Hounslow, Middlesex  
TW3 1UG  
Tel: 020 8572 8866

  
**INVEST ESTATES**  
Opening the doors to your future...

**Sales, Lettings, Acquisitions and Management Service**

Call us today for a professional service  
020 8898 0769  
18C Central Avenue Hounslow TW3 2QH