



THE GEM FAMILY

.....Let's come closer

Looking beyond the shores of India *The new buzzword is EXPORTS*



In conversation with the Myanmar Minister are our Arvinder Singh and B.K. Talapatra



GMW played host to the officials of Una Oya project in Sri Lanka



NP Singh introducing M.O. Sheth and Gurmeet Singh to BHEL CMD at Sikka



Team building & leadership workshop at Karjan



All decked up for Diwali and the New year at H.O.



Traditional dress was the order of the day on Diwali eve at H.O.



“GMW Power Rangers” the team sponsored by us were the joint champions in the recently held tournament conducted by Baroda District Hockey Association

STORM YOUR BRAIN

1. What can travel around the world while staying in a corner?
2. Paul's height is six feet, he's an assistant at a butcher's shop, and wears size 9 shoes. What does he weigh?
3. Imagine you are in a dark room. How do you get out?
4. What is always coming but never arrives?
5. A girl who was just learning to drive went down a one-way street in the wrong direction, but didn't break the law. How come?

Send in your answers to newsletter@gmw.in



LAUGH IT OFF

Impact of Job Change:

A taxi passenger touched the driver on shoulder to ask something. The Driver screamed, lost control of the car, went up on the footpath and Stopped few centimeters from a shop. The driver said: "Don't ever do that again, you scared me!" The Passenger apologized and said: "I didn't realize that a little touch would scare you so much"

Driver replied: "Sorry, it's not your fault it is my first day as a Cab driver; I've been driving a van carrying dead bodies for the past 25 yrs."

MEET OUR FAMILY MEMBER

For a person who as a 19 year old joined the GEM family as an “office boy” more than twenty years ago, it has been a remarkable journey. Not only has **MAHESH UTEKAR** become an indispensable part of the administration team, he seems to be the automatic choice when it comes to organising or participating in any event; be it Marathon or Hockey tournament or Annual day celebrations and many more. His enthusiasm for more knowledge has made him acquire Diploma in Computers, apart from the English lessons he undertook.

However, his out of the ordinary achievement lies in his progress in the world of Bonsai – the Japanese art of miniaturisation of plants. In the year 2000, he co-founded the Banyan Bonsai Club and is presently the Hon. Secretary. Not only does he hobnob with the glitterati of the city, but also travels to various other destinations to demonstrate his skills. In the process he has collected recognitions and awards.

Mahesh is also an ardent collector of stamps and coins. he is happily married to Lata and has a 13 year old son Dhaval .



One of Mahesh's creations



DECEMBER



JANUARY

B.K.Talapatra	Vadodara	5 th
P.C.Chauhan	Vadodara	5 th
Jaymin Shah	Vadodara	6 th
Lalbahadur Thapa	Una	6 th
Senthilkumar	Mangalore	7 th
Suresh Gowda	Mangalore	7 th
Rajesh Shah	Vadodara	9 th
Devdas Shenoy	Por	11 th
Subhash Patel	Vadodara	11 th
Palbinder Singh	Una	15 th
Ravji Gohil	Sikka	15 th
Ambikaprasad Yadav	Sikka	15 th
Pankaj Malkotia	Una	16 th
Vilesh Chaudhari	Karjan	26 th
Dev Swaroop	Una	26 th
Rajesh Vaghela	Karjan	28 th
Ram Thapa	Una	28 th
Vishak Murlidharan	Mangalore	31 st
Vikash Channulal	Mangalore	31 st

Bhup Singh	Sikka	1 st
Nishit Suthar	Vadodara	2 nd
Nitish Gautam	Karjan	2 nd
Ramchandra P.	Sikka	3 rd
Lalit Sharma	Noida	5 th
Chirag Shah	Vadodara	12 th
Shreehari	Mangalore	12 th
Girish Panchal	Karjan	13 th
Krishna Moorthy	Tuticorin	14 th
Narendra Shinde	Vadodara	19 th
Mohit Sadarangani	Vadodara	20 th
Brajbhushan Rai	Vadodara	20 th
Ankushkumar	Una	20 th
Mahendra M.	Vadodara	23 rd
Shashikanth Singh	Mangalore	26 th
Rakesh Dalwadi	Vadodara	27 th
Vihar Panchal	Karjan	28 th

What is Bonsai ?

Bonsai is an art developed around the 11th and 12th century in Japan pursued mainly by the Buddhist monks. “Bon” means a shallow container, and “Sai” means a plant. Whilst the enjoyment of flowers and leaves is the primary purpose of an ordinary plant, the beauty of the entire tree and the harmony of it's container makes one get the aesthetic feel . To learn Bonsai, you need a lot of patience, deft hands, an artistic bent and peace and tranquility all around.