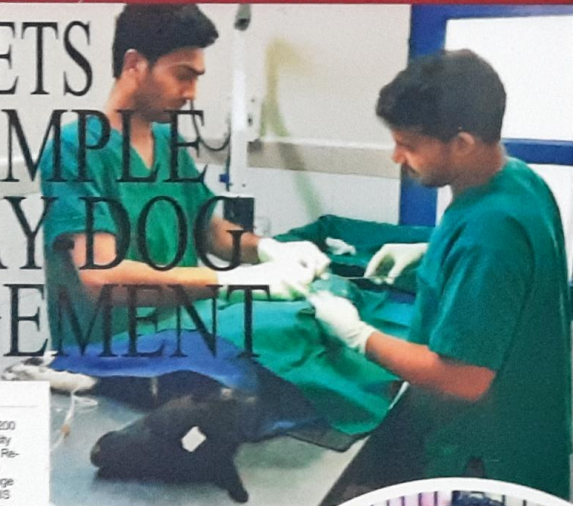


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## JAIPUR SETS AN EXAMPLE IN STRAY DOG MANAGEMENT



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Though Jaipur failed to mark its presence in the top 200 cities in the recent Swachh Survekshan Survey the city is setting an example in stray-dog management. Recently Chandigarh approached Jaipur Municipal Corporation and NGO Help in Suffering (HIS) to give them tips to manage stray-dog population. In 2015, Kerala had invited vets from HIS to help them in controlling the population of strays in the state. JMC and HIS have been running a successful Animal Birth Control (ABC) programme for stray dogs since 1964.

Dr Anind Mathur, veterinary officer, Jaipur Zoo, and Dr Sanjay, a vet at HIS, will be heading to Chandigarh to share their expertise on how to tackle the problem of stray dogs. Dr Anind tells us, "We will be talking about our birth-control programme that includes sterilisation of the strays, their vaccination and immunization against diseases, along with Jaipur's successful stray-dog management."

### Chandigarh seeks 'dog mgmt' tips from Jaipur

Chandigarh: India's first planned city Chandigarh is now looking at the Pink City to get tips on managing stray dogs. Jaipur

A DEDICATED TEAM TO CATCH STRAY DOGS AND STERILISE THEM

Dr Sanjay adds, "We have a trained team to catch stray dogs and sterilise them. They head to different areas early morning to find sick stray dogs. They are taken to the HIS centres at Durgapura where the dogs are sterilised by a team of vets. They are then kept at HIS till they recover and released after three days at the place from where they were caught."

Dogs are sterilised and treated at the dog-care centre in Durgapura and kept there till they fully recover

### HOW JAIPUR TAKES CARE OF ITS STRAY DOGS

Jaipur is one of the first cities in India to start an animal birth-control programme (1964), based on WHO guidelines.

This year 3,223 stray dogs were sterilised and vaccinated by HIS. A total of 44,832 street dogs have been vaccinated against rabies till May 5, 2017.

"71.74% of stray dogs have been vaccinated against rabies till March 2017."



# Instead of spending hefty amounts on buying exotic breeds, Jaipur should adopt stray dogs



Dr Sanjay takes care of stray dogs when they are brought at the centre

JAIPURITES HAVE AN AFFECTIONATE ATTITUDE TOWARDS DOGS AND THEY NEVER ADOPT BRUTAL METHODS LIKE KILLING OR HARMING THE DOGS. THOUGH CITY FOLKS LOVE TO BUY EXPENSIVE AND EXOTIC DOGS TO FLAUNT THEIR STATUS, THEY EQUALLY ENJOY FEEDING STRAY ANIMALS OUTSIDE THEIR HOME. HOWEVER, JUST FEEDING ANIMALS IS NOT ENOUGH. PEOPLE NEED TO COME FORWARD AND ADOPT THESE STRAYS

- Dr Jack F Reese, vet surgeon at HIS

"The dog-catchers, generally in a team of three, start their work in the wee hours"

Shyam Lal, a dog-catcher, says, "Hum subah 5:30 nikal jata hai. Humein pabli se hi ama bata diya jata hai jo ki rotational basis pe depend karta hai. Ek din me do vans nikali hain, jinka target ek din me 8 se 12 dogs pakadne ka hota hai." Dr Sanjay adds,

Kapil Vajpai, a rescue manger adds, "There has been a tremendous decline in dog-bite cases in the city with the sterilisation programme as it has controlled the population immensely, along with making these dogs rabies-free."

FALL IN THE CASES OF RABIES IN THE CITY In 2015, when HIS was invited by the Kerala to share tips on the population control of strays, Dr Jack F Reese, a vet surgeon at HIS, attended the conference. Dr Jack tells us, "We kicked off the ABC pro-





## Towards better camel care

City-based charitable trust Help In Suffering takes yet another step to alleviate the suffering of camels in and around Bassi

**Abhilasha Singh**

What's the first thing that comes to your mind when you think of Rajasthan? Chances are that it would either be people with huge colourful turbans, the rolling dunes or the desert or the camels. While the people can take care of themselves, and the deserts don't need care, the camels, who do need care, have always been a neglected lot.

It is in this end that city-based charitable trust Help In Suffering has come up with a camel rescue centre in Bassi on



State tourism minister Bina Kak (centre) inspects the facilities at the camel rescue centre

Jaipur-Agra Road. The project has been funded by the ELSU Foundation from Switzerland and the Animax Secours from France.

Through the team of Help In Suffering has serviced the Bassi area regularly with mobile clinics

for camels, the rising need for a permanent facility on location has made them come up with the camel rescue centre.

Timmie Kumar, managing trustee of Help In Suffering, told After Hrs, "Since 2010, we have been conducting camel rescue

projects in and around Jaipur. However, there was an urgent need for this hospital. This will cater to only camel and some other local animals.

The centre was inaugurated by Bina Kak, "Since 2010, we have been conducting camel rescue

promises veterinary and rescue facilities for camels.

Speaking on the occasion, Kak said, "The government will always facilitate projects which are being developed for a good cause. This is a wonderful project by Help In Suffering, and we will provide all the assistance it requires."

It was a much-needed initiative for local camels and villagers.

Deva Ram, a resident of a nearby village, said, "We had to travel very far for the treatment of our camels. Most of us also aren't able to bear the medical expenses. However, with this rescue centre, it will be easier for us."

In order to provide the best of services, veterinarians will be available there round the clock. Let's hope that the ships of the desert are in for a better treatment now.

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## First of its kind camel centre inaugurated



Tourism minister Bina Kak opens Help In Suffering's Camel Rescue Centre in Bassi on Sunday.

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**JAIPUR:** A one of its kind hospital for camels was inaugurated by the state tourism minister Bina Kak on Sunday.

On the occasion she said that the project was a contribution for providing relief to ailing camels. This camel rescue centre is in Bassi village, about 30 km from Jaipur.

Kak visited the sheds where the ailing camels were kept. When Kak asked the veterinary doctor present there, "What is the problem with this camel?" confusion followed. Some said, "It has a problem in the leg" while others said "It is suffering from fever". Finally the owner of the camel was called, who said the animal had a cold and got fever at night.

There are few signages to give the location of the centre

and few people in the vicinity were aware of this centre. Also the centre has not yet procured medical equipment apart from basic equipment. The facility includes a clinic, hospitalisation and surgical facility, feed storage place, residence for vets and compounders, library and a laboratory. The treatment is free of cost.

Non-governmental organization, Help-In-Suffering (HIS) has set up this hospital to cater to the 5,000-6,000 strong population of camels in and around Jaipur. ELSU Foundation along with Animax Secours (France) has been funding the project by way of donating the land and building costs. Dr Pradeep Singhal, in-charge of the hospital project said "In the first phase of the project it stabilises to admit one camel each, have been built for camels. In the next phase there is a plan to

## Rescue centre for camels comes up in Bassi

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

**Jaipur:** A symbol of Rajasthan, camels have time and again carried people to safe harbours in the sandy terrains of the state. However, their cries have long been lost in the vast emptiness of the desert land.

Not all hope is lost yet as a one-of-its-kind rescue centre for camels is being set up by the NGO 'Help In Suffering' (HIS) in the outskirts of the city. Over the past decade, the camel population is estimated to have gone down by 50% to below 40,000.

The primary reason being the selling of she-camels for slaughter by the poor breeders. The male ones are kept for hauling carts.

Experts vouch for the centre which is essential to check the dwindling population of the camels, and also prevent their abuse. Laborious tasks for long hours take a toll on the health of these animals, a majority of whom are suffering from several diseases.

Often due to lack of facilities and information, camel owners are not able to provide proper treatment to the ailing animals.

The rescue centre, coming up in the Bassi area, over 30 km from the city, will provide medical facilities to the animals.

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Managing trustee of Help In Suffering, Timmie Kumar said, "Since 2001, HIS has been carrying out the Camel Welfare Project in the villages, where camel is the only source of livelihood for people. Over the decade, nearly 42,000 camels have been treated for various diseases, and another 17,500 dewormed. The team has also fixed reflectors to nearly 12,000 camel carts to reduce the likelihood of collision at night."

"The centre would have the facility of a 24-hour doctor and compounder," an official from the organisation said. It would have an emergency van. Eleven sheds are being prepared, each of which can house one camel at a time.

Tourism minister Bina Kak inaugurated the Help In Suffering Camel Rescue Centre on Sunday at Bassi. Hailing the project she said, "It is a great contribution towards providing relief to the ailing camels."



# अब हाथियों के लिए मोबाइल क्लिनिक

**कार्यालय संवाददाता**

जयपुर, 8 फरवरी। लम्बे समय से विभिन्न बीमारियों से जूझ रहे आमेर के हाथियों को अब 24 घंटे निःशुल्क मोबाइल क्लिनिक का लाभ मिलेगा।

हाथियों के इलाज के लिए मोबाइल क्लिनिक की शुरुआत करने वाले हैल्प इन सफरिंग के चीफ वेटेनरी सर्जर डॉ. सुनील चावला ने पत्रकारों को बताया कि हाथियों के इलाज का कार्य 5 वर्ष पूर्व शुरू किया गया था।

अब मोबाइल क्लिनिक द्वारा सभी हाथियों को हरवक्त आपातकालीन सुविधा प्रदान की जाएगी। हाथियों में आमतौर पर घाव,

चमड़ी की जलन, पोषण में कमी की बीमारियां सबसे अधिक रहती हैं। मोबाइल क्लिनिक का उद्घाटन करते हुए पूर्व राजमाता गायत्री देवी ने कहा कि मैं बचपन से ही हाथियों के बीच पली-बढ़ी हूं मुझे इससे बेहद लगाव रहा है। हाथियों को किसी समय इलाज की जरूरत रहती है जो अब इस क्लिनिक से पूरी हो सकेगी।

राजमाता ने इस अवसर हैल्प इन सफरिंग द्वारा सभी हाथियों के लिए तैयार किया गया रिफ्लेक्टर का भी उद्घाटन किया। यह रिफ्लेक्टर हाथी के पैरों व पूंछ में लगाया जाएगा। इससे रात के समय हाथियों के साथ दुर्घटना की संभावना कम रहेगी।



# HT Jaipur Live

## Mobile help for Amer elephants

"WHEN OTHER children used to play with cats, dogs and birds, I used to play with horses, camels and elephants, which are my favourite animals," said Gayatri Devi recalling her childhood days in Cooch Behar. She was inaugurating a mobile elephant clinic on Sunday.

The former maharani stressed that elephants in Jaipur were well looked after under royal patronage "but the condition of elephants is different today" which is why she has stepped in with the Elephant Family programme for the welfare of pachyderms of Jaipur.

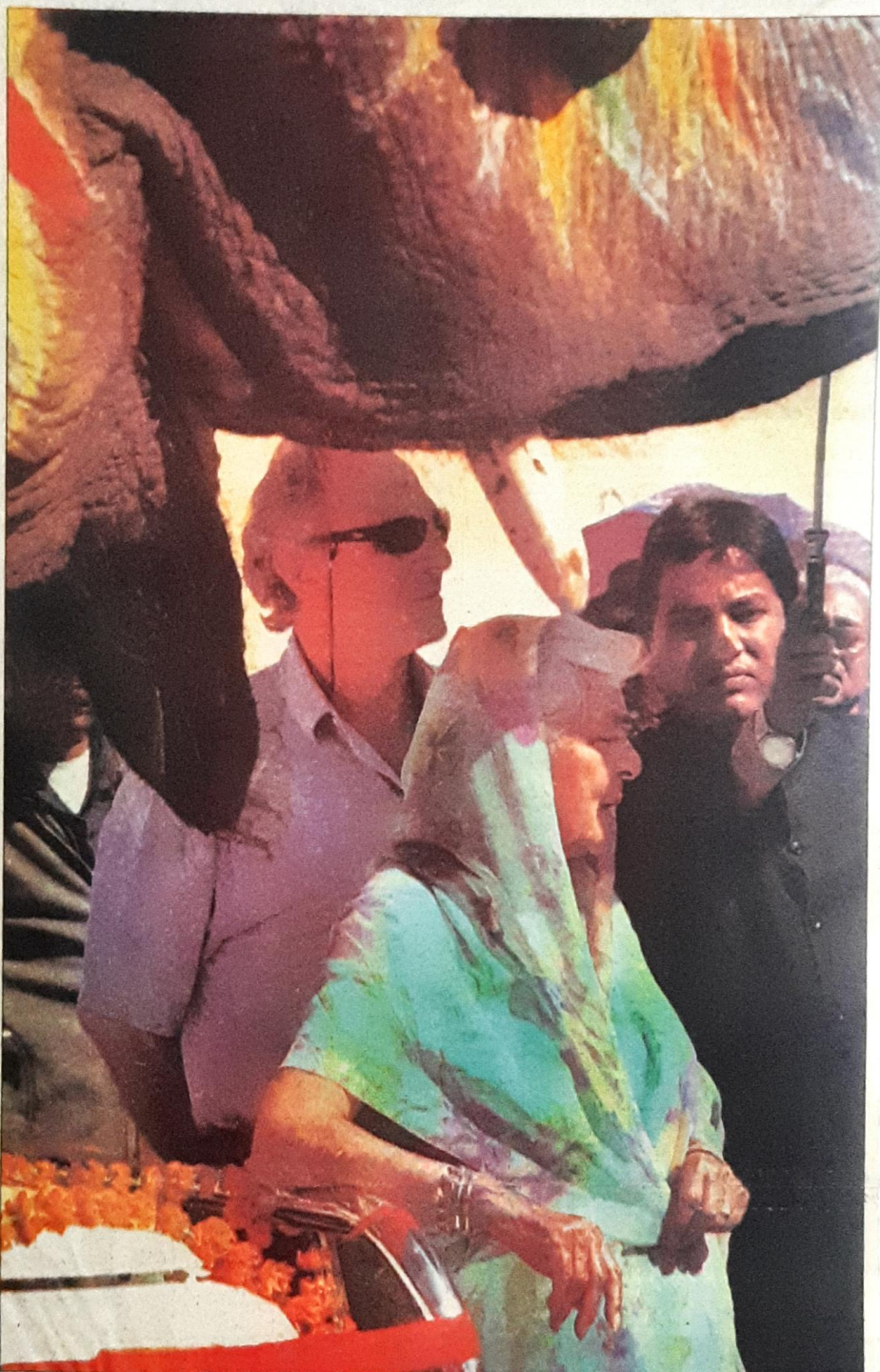
Conservationist Mark Shand who was also present on the occasion, distributed reflectors and medicines to elephant owners at Amer Fort Chowk. These activities are a part of the Elephant Family programme started a year ago for the welfare of the animals which are a prime tourist attraction in the city.

Gayatri Devi has known Mark Shand, who is incidentally the brother of Prince Charles' companion Camilla Parker Bowles, since 1988. Mark, recovering from a bout of pneumonia, kept his commitment with Jaipur's elephants and came to assess the first stage of progress of the project.

A modified Bolero jeep will act as a mobile ambulance and provide free door-to-door medical treatment six days a week.

Free radium reflectors, costing almost Rs 15,000 were also distributed, along with de-wormers to all elephant owners. Each elephant will now wear four reflectors on its legs and one on its tail to avoid being hit by vehicles while travelling at night.

In September last year, an elephant and mahout were injured near Malviya Nagar bridge after being hit by a car in the night as the elephants blend into the darkness. "As almost 10 elephants go for marriages every night these days, the reflectors will keep our elephants and mahouts safe," asserted elephant owner Haaji Kayum Khan. **HTC**



Former maharani Gayatri Devi and conservationist Mark Shand (in dark glasses), during the donation of a mobile clinic for Amer elephants on Sunday

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## गर्मी बढ़ते ही हेल्प इन सफरिंग में बदला एनिमल और बर्ड्स का मेन्यू

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मानसरोवर ३ गर्मी शुरू होते ही हमारा खाना-पानी चेंज हो जाता है। इस मौसम में गर्मी में ठंडक पहुंचाने वाले और बॉडी को हाइड्रेट करने वाले खाने को हम अपने मेन्यू में शामिल करते हैं।

इसी तरह एनीमल्स का मेन्यू भी चेंज करना

होता है। मानसरोवर के मिनी जू यानि हेल्प इन सफरिंग में भी एनिमल्स का मेन्यू चेंज कर दिया गया है। इस सीजन में उनके लिए लिक्विड फूड की मात्रा बढ़ा दी गई है। साथ ही फ्रूट और वैजिटेबल्स के साथ

हरा चारा, रंजका दिया जा रहा है। इसके साथ ही पानी के टब रख दिए गए और एनीमल्स के छोटे बच्चों के लिए कूलर-पंखे का इंतजाम कर दिया गया है।

**सोयाबीन, दलिया, छाछ**

पैट्स के लिए ठंडी छाछ और सोयाबीन युक्त दलिया दिया जा रहा है। इससे शरीर हाइड्रेड रहेगा और प्रोटीन की कमी नहीं होगी। दलिया जल्दी पच जाता है, इसलिए गर्मी में यह ज्यादा लाभदायक रहता है।



**पानी की उचित व्यवस्था**

गर्मी को देखते हुए पिंजरो में पानी की मात्रा बढ़ा दी गई है। पिंजरो के बाहर पानी के टब रखे गए हैं, जिनमें गर्मी लगने पर डॉग्स नहाकर गर्मी से राहत पाते हैं। इसके अलावा बड़े एनिमल्स को नहलाया भी जाता है। जो एनिमल्स ज्यादा बीमार हैं या जिनको चोट आई है उन्हें गीला नहीं किया जाता क्योंकि इससे घाव अधिक बढ़ जाते हैं।

**ये एनिमल्स मौजूद**

बिल्ली, डॉग्स, खरगोश, गाय, बछड़े, घोड़े, बंदर, मोर, मुर्गी, चूजे, तोता और कबूतर सहित कई तरह के जानवर हेल्प इन सफरिंग में मौजूद हैं।

**खरगोश, गाय, घोड़े को रंजका और पक्षियों को फल**

खरगोश, गाय, घोड़े, बछड़ों, मुर्गी और चूजों को हरा चारा दिया जा रहा है, जिसमें रंजका प्रमुख है। इसके अलावा खरगोश के लिए टमाटर और ककड़ी जैसे फल भी दिए जा रहे हैं। तोतों के लिए भी मिर्ची के साथ-साथ टमाटर और मौसमी फल दिए जा रहे हैं। पक्षियों को दाने-पानी के अलावा तरबूज, केलें जैसे मौसम फल दिए जा रहे हैं।



टेम्परचर हाई होने की वजह से एनिमल्स और बर्ड्स के खान-पान में बदलाव के साथ उनके पिंजरो को ठंडा रखने की व्यवस्था भी की गई है। ग्रीन नेट लगाई गई है और खाने में दलिया, फल, रंजका शामिल किया है।

सोनिया, कैम्पस डारेक्टर, हेल्प इन सफरिंग

**ग्रीन नेट और कूलर**

तेज धूप के कारण इस मौसम में पिंजरो में तापमान बढ़ जाता है। इससे एनिमल्स को बेचेनी होने लगती है। पिंजरो का तापमान ज्यादा नहीं हो इसके लिए ग्रीन पिंजरो के ऊपर ग्रीन नेट लगावाई गई है। इससे कुछ हद तक एनिमल्स को गर्मी से राहत मिलती है। वहीं एनिमल्स और बर्ड्स के बच्चों के पिंजरो को कूलर वाले रूम में रखा जा रहा है।