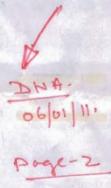
and ₹4.47 lakh respectively.

▶ IOC donates computers to Dristheen Sansthan

Under its community development programme, the Indian Oil Corporation Ltd (IOC) donated computers to Dristheen Sansthan, Jaipur. The visually-impaired persons who work on Braille script would be able to operate these computers. Additional facilities of computer training centre for the visually-impaired was inaugurated at the centre situated in VKI area on Tuesday on the occasion of 202nd birth anniversary of Louis Braille, the inventor of the script. This centre is imparting skilled development and job-oriented training to needy people free of cost through its residential courses.



Shopkeepers enc



Squatters encroaching the varanda in the Walled City:

I have come here for shopping. But, it is difficult to make our way through the veranda which is occupied by the kiosks.

-Ashraf Khan, a shopper



WEATHER & ALMANAC

Temperature Maximum 16.8°C Minimum 2.6°C Humidity 48% Sunrise 7.17 am Sunset 1748 pm Moonrise 0828 am Moonset 1945 pm

Forecast Mainly clear sky and fog during morning hours. Maximum and minimum temperature will be around 18°C and 3°C respectively

Thursday, January 6 2010

Shri, Vikram Samwat 2067, Sake Era 1932, Sun Uttrayan, Shishir ritu, dwitya tithi tili 04:32pm, Shrawan nakshatra, harshan yog tili 03:02pm

Rahu Kala: 01:49 pm to 03:08 pm

Best Period: 07:21am to 08: 39 am, 11:15am to 03:08 pm, 04.26 pm to 5.44pm

Yuvraj Shrimal

Kiosks and vendors are not uncommon on the verandas of the markets of Walled City.

The operation 'pink' by the Jaipur Municipal Corporation (JMC), in 2000 was the last major attempt to remove these encroachments from the pavements. Now, after a decadelong silence, the JMC has now di-

rected the market associations to vacate the verandas by January 15. Vested interest in shelling out the

Vested interest in shelling out the verandas, colloquially termed as "shuttering business major reason behind e in the market areas. T ers allegedly, rent out to front of their shops to closing their shops. T

earns the sho extra ₹10,00 month. The makeshift ca ing less than

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interestingly, the ver rented out on 'pagadi'

IN A BID TO ADMIT THEIR CHILDREN IN THE BEST SCHOOL OF THE CITY, PARENTS MAKE THEM UNDERGO EXT

Parents queue up outside coaching i



To admit their wards to the best school, parents are sending them to coaching institutes

VeerSain

Even before stepping into a sol tending regular classes, score children in the city undergo training to crack admission tes interviews.

Adamant to make their ward city's most famous schools, so force their children to attend coaching classes. Preparing a child to secure a seat in a particular 'grade-A' school has itself become a big money-making business.

Experts, however, claim that tices are more of a status symbtion of the parents' will on thei which unnecessarily burdens yo for meaningless gains.

Ranjana Sain, a teacher Mansarovar, who provides con school admissions, said the nepare" to get into a particular s the parents' choice. "There