



# University of Kashmir

## Department of Students Welfare

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To All Heads / Directors of University Teaching Departments / Satellite Campuses, Registrars / DSWs of all Sister Universities, and Principals of all Colleges of Kashmir Division Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir

### **Subject: Postponement of Shahar u Ramadan Festival 2024**

Dear Sir/Madam,

We regret to inform you that due to unforeseen circumstances, the Shahar u Ramadan Festival 2024, which was originally scheduled to be held from March 25th to 27th, 2024, at Gandhi Bhawan, University of Kashmir, has been postponed. The festival will now take place from April 2nd to 4th, 2024, in the Gandhi Bhawan as per the following schedule:

**Husn-e-Naat** Competition on April 2nd, 2024

**Calligraphy** (Traditional and Contemporary) Competition on April 3rd, 2024

**Husn-e-Qirat** Competition on April 4th, 2024

Furthermore, we would like to inform you that the best five positions in each category will be awarded with cash prizes as follows:

**1st Position: Rs. 5000/-**

**2nd Position: Rs. 4000/-**

**3rd Position: Rs. 3000/-**

**4th Position: Rs. 1000/-**

**5th Position: Rs. 1000/-**

The nominations of the selected students must be forwarded by March 28th, 2024.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

**Sd**

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# Shahar u Ramadan Festival 2024

## Islamic Traditional and Contemporary Calligraphy Competition

- This is an on-the-spot competition open to currently enrolled students of colleges/universities in the Kashmir Division.
- Participants must bring their own necessary materials such as ink, pens, brushes, and colors. The organizers will provide the drawing board and half imperial drawing sheet measuring 22x15 inches.
- Participants must create their calligraphy artwork within a time limit of 2 hours.
- The artwork must be original and created solely by the participant during the competition. Entries must adhere to Islamic traditional **Contemporary** calligraphy styles.
- The theme of the artwork should reflect Ramadan or Islamic values. It can be any verse from the Quran or any Islamic prayer (dua).

## Rules and Regulations for Naat Competition:

- This is an on-the-spot competition open to currently enrolled students of colleges/universities in the Kashmir Division
- Participants will perform Naat live on stage.
- Each participant will be given a maximum time limit of 4 to 5 minutes for their performance.
- Performances should demonstrate skill in rhythm, enunciation, and expression.
- Musical accompaniment is not permitted; performances should be acapella. Filmi/Bollywood copied compositions will not be entertained.
- All performances must be completed within the allocated time.
- Failure to adhere to these rules and regulations may result in disqualification from the competition.

## Rules and Regulations for Qirat Competition

- This is an on-the-spot competition open to currently enrolled students of colleges/universities in the Kashmir Division.
- Participants will recite verses from the Holy Quran live on stage.
- Each participant will be given a maximum time limit for their recitation.
- Memorization of the selected verses is encouraged but not mandatory.
- Participants will be judged on fluency, accuracy, and melodiousness of recitation.
- The use of any additional materials or aids during the recitation is not permitted.
- All recitations must be performed live during the competition.
- Failure to adhere to these rules and regulations may result in disqualification from the competition.

**Sd/ Cultural Officer**