

## CRPF lends a helping hand to Pony handlers as Amarnath Yatra gets cancelled

The Srinagar Sector of CRPF set up ration distribution camps at several places near Baltal, J&K today to reach out to the Pony handlers who are staring at a bleak future after cancellation of this year's Shri Amarnath Ji Yatra. 118 Battalion set up these camps assisted by Shri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation, to help the people from Domel, Baltal, Gagangir, and Gund who have their livelihood at stake. More than 150 families were provided ration for a month. The distributed ration contained rice, flour, salt, oil, sugar etc. Dr. Satyaveer Singh Verma, Commandant-118 Bn, CRPF distributed food items to local families, in the presence of Sarpanch of respective villages and officials of Amarnath Shrine Board. CRPF is actively working toward social and humane causes in the valley and in less than a week, this was the third such camp after ration distribution was set up at Hydro Project Ganderball and Chadoora, Srinagar to help the needy families and migrant workers.

