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**“Gandhi ji’s teachings are a source of inspiration for the world”: Governor  
Governor gives away prizes to winners of the letter writing contest of Postal Department**

**Raj Bhawan, Dehradun, 2nd October, 2017**

Governor Dr.K.K.Paul gave away prizes at Raj Bhawan today to winners of the letter writing competition organized by the Uttarakhand circle of the Postal department. He also released a special cover of the postal department .

He congratulated the winners of the contest and said that Gandhi ji’s teachings will always show us the right way in life. He was a great source of inspiration not only for India but the entire world.

The most number of stamps had been issued on Mahatma Gandhi, he said. More than 90 countries had issued stamps on him.

The Governor said that Gandhi ji equated cleanliness to godliness and the mission that was started in 2014 to fulfill his dream of a clean India had ensured that in the last three years, more than 25 crore people had become open defecation free.

Chief Post Master General Udai Krishna said that the letter writing contest had been organized on a national level to encourage philately .The title of the contest was “Dhhai Aakhar” and the theme was “Priye Babu ,aap mujhe prerna dete hain”.

The Uttarakhand circle received 833 letters and 162 inland letters in the upto 18 years category and 235 letters and 55 inland letters in the over 18 years category. In each category, the first, second and third prizes were given.

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