Press Release

Sashastra Seema Bal Mountaineers Hoist Tri – colour On Mt. Saifee

New Delhi (07 October 2017): It was indeed a moment of great joy and elation for Sashastra Seema Bal on 06 October 17 when Bhojbasa base camp received radio communication from 20213 ft. Mt Saifee peak that “all climbers have reached the top and they all are hale and hearty”.

Mt. Safie is situated in the Gangotri National Park, Gangotri region, Dist – Uttar Kashi, Uttarakhand. The altitude of the peak is 6161 mtrs (20213 ft).

The 24 member, 34th High Altitude Training Course cum Mt. Saifee Expedition 2017 team was flagged off from CI & JW School SSB Gwaldam on 20/09/2017 in the gracious presence of Smt. Archana Ramasundaram, IPS, (the then DG SSB).

The team Led by Lalit Sah, Deputy Commandant after an arduous trek had reached summit camp (18200 ft.) on 05 October 17 at around 1335 hrs.

SSB mountaineers after an extremely challenging climb successfully summited the peak and hoisted the Indian tri – colour and SSB flag on the summit of Mt Saifee on 06 October 2017 at 0800 hrs.


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Public Relation Officer