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## **Contaminated water in ancient step-well of Uttamnagar, Ahmedabad**

Due to lack of maintenance, the ancient well located near Uttamnagar garden of Maninagar is in mucky condition. The step-well is stinky as drainage water mixed with the water logged during monsoon. *Divya Bhaskar, November 14, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/MGUJ-AHM-MAT-latest-ahmedabad-news-023503-846051-NOR.html>

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## **Heritage walk will lead to cleaning of ancient monuments of Saurashtra**

World Heritage Week is being celebrated during 19 to 25 November. Heritage walk would be held during the event, which will lead to cleaning of ancient monuments of Saurashtra. *Gujarat Samachar, November 14, 2014*

[http://www.gujaratsamachar.com/index.php/articles/display\\_article/rajkot-gujarat-saurashtra-world-heritage-cleaning](http://www.gujaratsamachar.com/index.php/articles/display_article/rajkot-gujarat-saurashtra-world-heritage-cleaning)

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## **Renovation of ancient Sudama temple at 38 lakh, Porbandar**

*Divya Bhaskar, November 13, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/SAU-POR-MAT-latest-porbandar-news-040005-841963-NOR.html>

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## **Historic step wells turned dump yard**

Two historical step wells in Himmatnagar town are examples of utter negligence towards historical sites. They have been rendered to garbage dump yard. While the entire nation is busy with Swachhata Abhiyan, MLAs and MPs are adopting villages, corporate honchos are seen cleaning the streets, historical places are still under utter negligence. Darabari and Old step wells were built centuries ago and need immediate attention to protect their heritage. Palika chief officer said it is on the priority list of Swachhata Abhiyan and will be cleaned at the earliest. *Times of India, November 12, 2014*

[http://epaper.dnaindia.com/story.aspx?id=56547&boxid=101274&ed\\_date=2014-11-12&ed\\_code=1310005&ed\\_page=7](http://epaper.dnaindia.com/story.aspx?id=56547&boxid=101274&ed_date=2014-11-12&ed_code=1310005&ed_page=7)

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## **Heritage week exhibition to be held from 19<sup>th</sup>, Surat**

Special exhibition will be held to celebrate 'Heritage Week' during 19-25 November in Surat. Interacting and historical facts till the 16<sup>th</sup> century will be displayed at the Science Centre. *Divya Bhaskar, November 12, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/DGUJ-SUR-19-dateheritage-week-to-be-held-in-exhibition-latest-news-4803965-NOR.html>

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## **A piece of cities history go down, Ahmedabad**

*Times of India, November 11, 2014*

[http://epaperbeta.timesofindia.com/Gallery.aspx?id=11\\_11\\_2014\\_005\\_003\\_002&type=P&artUrl=A-PIECE-OF-CITYS-HISTORY-GOES-DOWN-11112014005003&eid=31805](http://epaperbeta.timesofindia.com/Gallery.aspx?id=11_11_2014_005_003_002&type=P&artUrl=A-PIECE-OF-CITYS-HISTORY-GOES-DOWN-11112014005003&eid=31805)

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## **Ancient and mythological step-wells risky, Himmatnagar**

Due to lack of maintenance, three ancient step-wells in Himmatnagar are in dilapidated condition. *Divya Bhaskar, November 11, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/UGUJ-SBK-mythical-step-well-dengerious-oi-city-4802673-NOR.html>

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## **Ancient Bhadra for, one of the biggest forts in the state**

*Divya Bhaskar, November 09, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/MGUJ-AHM-bhadra-fort-as-one-of-the-largest-forts-in-the-state-4800708-NOR.html>

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## **Interactive history: MSU plans gazetteer of Harappan sites, Vadodara**

An illustrated gazetteer of all Harappan and Chalcolithic sites of Gujarat will be published by MS University's (MSU) department of archaeology and ancient history in association with Kyoto-based Research Institute for Humanity and Nature (RIHN) in Japan. It was in 2009 that MSU had signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with RIHN after which archaeologists from both the institutions had started a research programme to map all the Harappan sites of Gujarat. *Times of India, November 08, 2014*

<http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/vadodara/Interactive-history-MSU-plans-gazetteer-of-Harappan-sites/articleshow/45077862.cms>

*Divya Bhaskar, November 08, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/MGUJ-VAD-MAT-latest-vadodara-news-042005-814775-NOR.html>

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## **Gujarat's 1000 year old monument, a challenge for engineers**

*Divya Bhaskar, November 08, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news-hf/HNL-TRA-rani-ki-vav-patan-gujarat-tourism-4799471-PHO.html>

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## **Heritage festival at Bhadra fort, Ahmedabad**

Heritage festival shall be celebrated during heritage week in the city. Heritage week will be celebrated at three places in the city namely 'Adalaj step-well', 'Sarkhej Roza' and 'Bhadra Plaza'. *Divya Bhaskar, November 07, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/MGUJ-AHM-MAT-latest-ahmedabad-news-044005-809790-NOR.html>

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## **Repairing of 200 year old mansion, Bhavnagar**

The ancient mansion of MadanMohan Lalji located in Ghogha Bandar was damaged during the 2001 earthquake. *Divya Bhaskar, November 06, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/SAU-BVN-bhavnagar-200-year-old-mansion-repairs-4797581-NOR.html>

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## **Ancient Bhadra court demolished**

*Navgujarat Samay, November 04, 2014*

<http://epaper.navgujaratsamay.com/details/3369-5961-1.html>

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## **Memorial of Gaikwad foundation in Savli dilapidated**

*Gujarat Samachar, November 04, 2014*

[http://www.gujaratsamachar.com/index.php/articles/display\\_article/savli-baroda-gujarat-gayakavadi-founder](http://www.gujaratsamachar.com/index.php/articles/display_article/savli-baroda-gujarat-gayakavadi-founder)

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## **Heritage tour organized in Vadodara**

Retired assistant commissioner of Vadodara organized heritage tour, wherein more than 150 Barodain visited Savali. *Divya Bhaskar, November 03, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/MGUJ-VAD-MAT-latest-vadodara-news-034505-787920-NOR.html>

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## **Will Bhadra plaza be picture perfect?, Ahmedabad**

The space between Bhadra Fort, built by Ahmad Shah, the founder of the city in 1411, and Teen Darwaja was earlier the Maidan-e-Shahi or the royal square where the sultan held court. Over the years, it turned into the bustling town centre - with monuments such as Bhadra Kali Temple and Azam Khan Sarai. The fort itself was used for multiple purposes by rulers of the city over time. In 2012, Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC) rolled out an ambitious Bhadra Plaza project, intending to clear up the space for the public at the cost of Rs.115 crore. The ambitious project wanted to put the scattered hawkers at the area in a proper space, clear the ground so visitors can enjoy the charm of the Walled City while the area is vehicle-free. *Times of India, November 02, 2014*

<http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/ahmedabad/Will-Bhadra-plaza-be-picture-perfect/articleshow/45009156.cms>

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## **‘Tran Darwaja’ is royal entrance to Ahmedabad city**

The heritage gate has given a different identity to Ahmedabad city. The ‘tran darwaja’ was established in 1450, which are 17.5 feet wide and 25 feet tall. *Divya Bhaskar, November 02, 2014*

<http://www.divyabhaskar.co.in/news/MGUJ-AHM-ahmedabad-entrance-main-gate-tran-darwaja-4793188-PHO.html>

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