Jawaharlal Nehru University

Circular

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This is to inform the JNU community that a rumour is going around that Parthasarthy Rock has been permanently closed. No such decision has been taken and a lock was temporarily put up at the time of some repair work at the gate. Some miscreants broke open the lock and uprooted the iron gate in the night of 19-20 October, 2019. This tantamounts to criminal offence of damaging public/University property and investigations are on to find the culprits.

This is to bring to the notice of JNU community that Parthasarthy Rock area has been found to be misused and that includes alcohol abuse, sometimes physical scuffles, and more recently, outsiders have unauthorisedly entered the premise.

In order to maintain safety and security for JNU community, the Parthasarthy Rock area will remain open only from 5:30 AM to 7:30 PM. All members of JNU community, as has been the practice, will be allowed into this area during opening hours by producing their identity card.

The current arrangements will remain in inforce until further notice.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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Chief Security Officer