

## Water Shakti Abhiyan

Under the special campaign of 'Water Shakti Abhiyan' launched by the Government of India for 255 districts of the country, including the Kapurthala District , large district-level seminar was organized. 'Water Shakti Abhiyan' Scheme launched by the government is to raise ground water levels, prevent misuse of water, provide potable water as needed and improve water quality.

On the occasion, Deputy Commissioner Eng D P S Kharbanda said that it is time to save the every drop of water. He said that, we have to start this campaign from our own homes by use of water with restraint. He said that this campaign focuses on water conservation and rainwater harvesting, upgrading of traditional ponds and other ponds, construction of watersheds, developing recharge well systems and increasing area under forest cover.

In his address, Sant Balbir Singh Sechewal called for the protection of the environment by making good use of natural resources. He said that the future generations will not forgive us if we still do not protect our natural resources.