

Awareness Campaign organised by MASAD



Court hearing of Sanjit fake encounter case postponed

IT News
Imphal, Feb 2: After the startling confessions of having conducted a staged encounter in the heart of Imphal city in 2009 by Head Constable Thounaojam Herojit, the much anticipated hearing of the pending case of the killing of Chungkham Sanjit on BT Road was held in the court of District and Sessions Judge, Imphal West at Uripok Cheirap Court today. During the hearing, eight of the nine accused police personnel were present at the court. Advocate Lakhikanta, Counsel of the accused party drew the attention of the Judge saying that as one of the accused, Head Constable Thounaojam Herojit, which is

on suspension from duty, has made a confession in public that he himself had shot Chungkham Sanjit Meitei in 2009, it would be only logical to hold the hearing in his presence. Drawing the attention of the case, Advocate Lakhikanta urged the Judge to give some time to find out the truth from Thounaojam Herojit. The judge gave his consent on the request and fixed the hearing to be held on February 20. On the other hand, Senior Special Advocate of CBI, P Ibomcha said, Head Constable Thounaojam Herojit is still an accused. As long as the Court has not given its judgment in

connection with the case, no legal action can be taken against him, P Ibomcha said. In connection with the confession by Head Constable Thounaojam Herojit that he killed Chungkham Sanjit Meitei in cold blood on orders from his superior, Akoijam Jhalajit- the then Adl SP, names of high ranking officers have been surfacing fueling the suspicion that many might have been involved in other fake encounter cases apart from the case of Chungkham Sanjit Meitei. Meanwhile, family-members of Rabina who was killed by a stray bullet in the alleged crossfire is still waiting for justice.

MPP to slap defamation case to expelled members

IT News
Imphal Feb 2: N. Sovakiran - newly elected president of the Manipur People's Party (MPP) expressed the intention of the party to register a defamation case against the AK Sanaton for misusing of party name. Addressing media persons at a press conference at the party Head Office today, he further added that AK Sanaton, L Apabi and N Ojhi have been expelled from the party on graft charges and a case is still going on in court and that they don't hold any post in the organisational set up of the

party, stating that the election of AK Sanaton as the party's new president published in the news papers is null and void. He also stated that the party has adopted 7 resolutions which is also going to be the main agenda of the 2017 general elections including repeal of AFSPA 1958 from the state, the bill which was passed in the assembly to protect indigenous people should be converted to an act, establish of national highway protection force, construction of NH-53 Imphal-Jiri road to conform to international standards.

How rich is Prime Minister Modi?

Courtesy- ABP
New Delhi, Feb 2: Prime Minister Narendra Modi does not seem to keep much cash in hand even as his total assets have gone up to Rs 1.41 crore — largely due to a residential property that has appreciated by more than 25 times since purchase over 13 years ago. According to the latest details of his assets disclosed by the Prime Minister's Office, Modi had total 'cash in hand' of just Rs 4,700 at the end of the last fiscal, down from Rs 38,700 disclosed mid-fiscal as on August 18, 2014. However, the total value of Modi's movable and immovable assets during this period has grown from Rs 1,26,12,288 to Rs 1,41,14,893 as on March



31, 2015. As per the disclosure, Modi does not own any 'motor vehicles/aircraft/yachts/ships', while he still retains his bank accounts in Gujarat. He has no bank account in Delhi. While he has no loans, his jewellery holdings include "four pieces of gold rings" weighing approximately 45 grams with a value of about Rs 1.19 lakh as on March 31, 2015. **(More on page 2)**

MSAD organizes Academic Awareness Campaign

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Imphal, Feb 2: The ever increasing culture of studying outside Manipur has greatly affected the state economy. There is high need for both private educational sector and government effort in improvising the education system in the state so as to stop such financial drain. This was said by MLA RK Imo in his speech as Chief Guest at the inaugural function of Academic Awareness Campaign held at DM College of Arts today. Regarding the issue of racial discrimination which is being frequently encountered by the people from North East at Delhi, he said the state government is concerned over

the issue and in cooperation with the Central Government, has initiated various strategies to address the problem. He also highlighted the importance of the inclusion of History of North East states in school syllabus in other parts of India too. Various issues and problems faced by NE people, especially students in the National capital Delhi, prospects of academic facilities available at the Universities in Delhi, Academic atmosphere in Manipur, Importance of learning among others were highlighted and discussed in the campaign program which was organized by Manipur Student's Association Delhi (MSAD).

State observes World Wetlands Day 2016

IT News
Imphal, Feb 2: LDA and Anouba Mangal Foundation organized the World Wetlands Day 2016 at Sendra Public Ground on the theme Wetlands for our Future: Sustainable Livelihoods selected to demonstrate the vital role of wetlands for the future of humanity and specifically their relevance towards achieving the new Sustainable Development Goals. Students from various schools around Moirang scoured the area and cleaned up the polluting litter. A boat rally with around 50 participants also cleaned up the lake. Works Minister Kh Ratan was present at the observation function as

President. T Mangibabu MLA & Chairman- PDA, Ibohlabi- MLA Onam, N Loken- MLA Nambol and S Bira- MLA Kumbi were the Guests of Honour. Resource persons Dr Shamungou and Dr Dhanabir Laishram- Social Scientist also expressed their views on the deteriorating environmental conditions in the state and suggestions to address them. In his presidential speech, Works Minister Kh Ratan elaborated on the three types of crisis we are facing at present- food, fuel & Environment, stressing on the importance of conservation of our environment. He also points out the increasing pollution along Nambal river causing health hazards to people residing along the areas and the public.

National Digital Literacy Mission certificates distributed

IT News
Imphal, Feb 2: Certificates of National Digital Literacy Mission were distributed to students of various colleges of the state today. The program, jointly organized by National Institute of Electronics & Information Technology (NIELIT) and Career Clinic was held today at Manipur Press Club. Chief Guest of the function MLA Ibomcha said that digital literacy is more advanced in other states compared to Manipur; this is due to the neglect of the state

government in the field of digital technology. He further added that digital literacy would promote more convenience for the people in many fields as most of the work can be done online. Director of NIELIT Th. Prameshwar Singh and Director in-charge of NIELIT T.Guendara Singh were also present at the function as President and Guest of Honor respectively. Around 41 students were provided certified during the function.

Prenatal sex tests

Zee Media Bureau
New Delhi, Feb 2: In an attempt to curb female foeticide, Union Women and Child Development Minister Maneka Gandhi said the Central government was mulling to lift the ban on sex determination of the fetus. While addressing All India Regional Editors Conference in Jaipur on Monday, the Minister said, a proposal is with the Cabinet which is contemplating on setting up a system that can track people, who try to kill the girl child before birth. The government is deliberating to formulate a policy, under which the pregnant woman and her unborn child would be registered.

Northeast's first medical e-retail platform Dawailo.com launched

Guwahati, Feb 2: Guwahati's very first e-pharmacy startup, Dawailo.com formally announced their operations across the region on Tuesday. The e-pharmacy, with a product list of more than 1 lakh products, completed three months of operations in Guwahati on Tuesday and announced their expansion across Northeast India. Commenting on the launch, Dawailo.com founders Pankaj Maheshwari and Abhimanyu Modi expressed their satisfaction that the beta phase of testing since last three

months boosted them to start operations across the region. The Dawailo.com pointers for quality and service includes, proper filing of client details, telephonic reminder system, strict prescription based orders, website with 264bit SSL certified (highest security level) HTTPS connection, proper invoicing which leads to tax exemption, availability of maximum number of products, use of latest technology, being user friendly, home delivery and discounts. The startup also showcased their best-in-class packaging

of products. Ice-box packaging is done for medicines which require storage below room temperature. Commenting on the future plans, the startup said that under the Dawailo.com banner they will soon start facilities like doctor consultancy and appointments, lab testing and diagnostic centre appointments. "These best-in-class facilities to top-up with home delivery of medicines will definitely lead to health care reform," commented team Dawailo.com

Will participate & support Mass Rally- FCY

IT News
Thoubal, Feb 02: Federation Of Clubs Yairipok (FCY) the apex body of clubs in Yairipok area announced that it will be supporting and participating in the 'Mass Rally For The Common Future Of Manipur' scheduled for 6 February through a press release today signed by Anom Jenil- Convenor FCY.

Awareness Program on Handloom and Textile products held

IT News
Imphal, Feb 2: A One Day Awareness Program on Handloom and Textile products cum Opening of Thamlakhuren Area Handloom Clusters was held under the North East Region Textile Promotion Scheme (NERTPS) at Thamlakhuren Village in Chandel District today. District Handloom & Textiles Chandel's Project Manager M. Saratchandra, Cluster Development Executive Nani Kohushi and Master Trainer Th. Roshni Devi graced the program as the presidium members. Apart from interaction with the

participants, M. Saratchandra, Project Manager District Handloom & Textiles Chandel and other dignitaries delivered speeches for promoting Handloom & Textiles products by using modern techniques in order to generate more income during the program. Beside large number of women from nearby villages, Sk. Mosindai, Pastor Lamrinshuk Baptist Church; Sk. Shering Lamkang, Consortium Chairman of Thamlakhuren Area Handloom Cluster and Dk. Modang Maring, Consortium Chairman of Salempah Area Handloom Cluster also took part in the awareness program.

Condolence

IT News
Imphal, Feb 2: Mukharjit Elangbam, more popularly known as Drummer Wangamba of Chumthang Musical Organisation passed away on February 1. A press release signed by Naorem Tamphasana Meetei - Vice President of the organisation stated that members of Chumthang observed a 2 minute silence as a mark of tribute and prayed for the departed soul.

Of Yoga, culture and domination

Last week, on my way back to home from work, over the loudspeaker I heard a familiar voice, voice of a renowned Manipuri director, ardently publicizing the news of Baba Ramdev's five-day-visit to the state capital (from Feb.13 to 17, 2016) during which he will impart yoga to the people of Kangleipak at Hapta Kangjeibung. He also said that the said yoga training camp would be organized under the joint aegis of Bharat Swabiman Trust and Yoga Samiti, Haridwar. Like any other general publicity it seemed entirely normal until I

heard the man speaking into the microphone addressed Baba Ramdev as "Malemgi tomtthin nanglaba yawolloi" knocking me for six. I am still unprepared to make myself clear to the question "why did he used the word 'yawolloi' to address baba Ramdev?" I exclaimed myself, what!! Baba Ramdev and 'a yawolloi'!!!!???? To me, it seems like it was only yesterday, not far away, that a boy less than 18 years old was murdered by state police while playing his part in a rally demanding implementation of inner line permit system or an

Act akin to it to protect indigenous people of Kangleipak from being swamped by unbridled influx of migrant from mainland India. Shame on us! How can we forget everything so soon like an anterograde amnesia—the soulless body that remained laying unclaimed for almost 60 days in the morgue, the tears, cries and pains, mock bombs, rubber bullets. "For whom the boy died" and "how come we forget him so soon", I asked myself over and over again, but no answer. Instead, the more I pondered on it the more clueless I became.

A yogi from mainland India is coming next month and he is going to inject alien values to the minds of our young boys and girls in the name of some sort of physical exercise called yoga loaded with Vedic ideals, yet we are calling him "a yawolloi". This has sparked a lot of debate and deliberations among my circle of close friends. Many of our friends and even cultural vigilantes have expressed their deep concern for what they call the trend of "Meiteina Mayang Onba". Many of them have taken the trend as a grave threat on the conscious minds

-By: Kh.Ibomcha

of Kangleichas who are deeply rooted in Kanglei socio-cultural life and trying untrillingly to retain values constituting 'who we are'. Some arguments pushed forward by some of them seem to be quite convincing in their rationale where they have viewed the trend as a phenomenal offshoot of decade's long importation of alien values through Indian cultural industries established in the state leading to a fast-track collapse of socio-cultural life in Kangleipak as have witnessed these days. **(Contd. at Page 2)**

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- Manipurgi apunbagi saktam thugaiba yaro
- India Governmenta Manipurgi puwari khangu
- India Governmentki divide and rule policy lappu
- Phurupki oiba wakhallon thadoknaduna apunbagi saktam chekshihanshi
- Chingmi tammi eikhoi ema amatagi machani

February 06, 2016 (Saturday)
Miyamongi Khongchat houpham : Thao lampak, Thangmeiband
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Miyamongi Khongchat thungpham:-
Khumam lampak
Singja lanjariba:-
Organising comity mass rally for the common future of Manipur AMUCO, CCSK and UCM