

48 hours Chandel bandh begins: Naga/ Kuki Chiefs Association ask if Chandel is excluded from Govt. Go to Hill initiative

IT News
Chandel, Sept. 26: 48 hours bandh called in Chandel district by the Naga and Kuki Chiefs Association of Chandel district has severely affected normal life in the district. The bandh was called by both the Kuki and Naga Chiefs Association and the job cards holders of the district over none-clearance of the wage under MG-NREGS for the year 2015-17.

Traffic movement along the Imphal Moreh route has been put to complete halt and the MST service which become very popular among the people of the Moreh town has also been suspended due to the bandh which began today. As per report reaching here large number of people came out in the street and block all sort of vehicular movement at Chandel block, Machi Bloc, Tengnoupal Block, Moreh Block and Chakpikarong block. Bandh supporters force all shops in business centers at Chandel districts. Due to the bandh government offices and private establishment witness



deserted looks. President of Naga Chief Association, Chandel Ta.Rungwar question if the slogan of the Manipur Government Go to Hill does not include Chandel district. "Is Chandel not a hill district", Rungwar said. He further said that a memorandum demanding immediate clearance of the wages for the job cards holder has been submitted to the Chief Minister through the DC Chandel on 14 September. As the chief minister has fail to address the grievances the

ciations of both the Kuki and Naga of Chandel was left with no choice but to call the 48 hours bandh. He also threaten severe form of agitation if the government continue to remain silent over the issue. Chairman of the Maha Area Chief Association KL Stephen while speaking to media persons decried the government attitude of hijacking the labourer wage. He demanded immediate punishment of those who had misappropriated the fund released as wages for the labourer. He further appealed

the government not to treat the Chiefs as a mere fool. Under the MG-NREGS job card holders of the five blocks of the district were allowed to work for 17 days as first phase in 2016-17. As per the order of the concern SDO SDC the job cards holders were engage in the works and all relevant document were submitted on time, he said. However, the wages for the job cards holders who were engaged for the 17 days has not been cleared till today.

Fitting tribute paid to Hijam Irabot on 66th Death Anniversary

IT News
Imphal, Sept. 26: Fitting tribute was paid today to the pioneer leader Hijam Irabot on his 66th death Anniversary observed at THAU Ground Thangmeiband here in Imphal. On the occasion the 2nd state level mass past competition also held and paid salute to the portrait of the pioneer leader.

the death anniversary observance organised jointly by Manipur Proletariat Peoples Democratic Union, Socialist Students Union of Manipur and Struggled Committee Manipur was attended by Comrade Varavara Rao, President, revolutionary Democratic Front of India, Comrade Hukum Bahadur Singh, National Revolutionary Intellectuals Forum, Nepal, President of DESAM Moirangthem Angamba, Former President of AMUCO, KT Rahman and President of the Manipur Proletariat Peoples' Democratic Union, Nameirakpam Meghachandra



as presidium member. Earlier before the mass past competition begins floral tribute were paid to the pioneer leader and people from many parts of the state pay honour by presenting aethplot. President of the Socialist Students Union Manipur Tonarjan in his key note speech deliberated on why the day is needed to be remembered by each and every one of us, he appealed the people of the state to jointly struggle for the cause of the people unitedly irrespective of the differences in ideology. Cultural troupes also

performed pung cholloom and other cultural activities as a part of the observance function.

121 st Irabot Day held

IT News
Imphal, Sept 26: Irabot celebration committee kakching today organised 121st Irabot day celebration at kakching.

Aribam Chaoba Sharma (A C Sharma), ret'd scientist ICAR was presented with 9th Neta Irabot Ningshing khudol for his outstanding contribution in the field of research (rice research) and as well for his contribution in the filed of human rights movement. Aribam Chaoba Sharma is also a founder member of Civil Liberties and Human Rights Organisation (CLHRO). Dr. M Nara and Dhanabir Laishram also attended the celebration as important dignitaries.

Road accident

IT News
Imphal, Sept 26: Driver of a passenger Marshal jeep got serious injury today after his vehicle met an accident near Irang Village today afternoon. The driver of the vehicle is identified as Lungthuiyang Riamei s/o Meikin of Tml bazar(originally from Saramba).

SWM donates to cancer patient

IT News
Imphal, Sept 26: Social Warriors Manipur(SWM) donates two unit of Blood (one unit on 24th and 26th September 2017) to Chongtham Chandra Singh of Yarpok Bishnunaha who is cancer patient undergoing treatment at RIMS Imphal. SWM'S Treasurer Soram Premchand and 911 Secretary Asem Kiran handed over the letter to patients Party.

Liquor seized

IT News
Kakching, Sept 26: A team of Kakching district police under the supervision of the district SP today seized 761 Dlc Liquors from Pallel area yesterday. The owner of the liquor vendors were also fined Rs. 63,000/- by the excise Kakching district. The seized liquors were burnt in public in the presence of local media today.

ISRO's Mars Orbiter Mission completes 3 years in orbit

New Delhi, Sept 26: The Indian Space Research Organisation, ISRO has said that its Mars Orbiter Mission, MOM which has completed three years in its Martian orbit is in good health and continues to work as expected. On the occasion of completion of three years in its Martian orbit yesterday, the space body today released MOM second year science data from

September 24, 2014 to September 23, 2016. ISRO Spokesman Devisrpad Karnik said, the scientific analysis of the data received from the spacecraft is in progress. The 450-crore rupees MOM mission aims at studying the Martian surface and mineral composition as well as scan its atmosphere for methane which is an indicator of life

on Mars. ISRO had launched the spacecraft on its nine-month-long odyssey on a homegrown PSLV rocket from Sriharikota in Andhra Pradesh on November 5, 2013. The space agency has said that it was seeking scientific proposals for Mars Orbiter Mission-2 to expand inter-planetary research.

IT News

Imphal, Sept 25: Manipur Chief Minister N. Biren Singh and Deputy Chief Minister Yumnam Joykumar Singh among others today wishes the people on occasion of the Durga Puja and Panthoibi Puja.

Durga Puja is a festival of the Vaishnavites and the Panthoibi puja is the festival of the indigenous Manipur deity Panthoibi. In his message Chief Minister said that Durga Puja epitomise the external

message of victory og good over evil. May this festival provide an inspiration for us to follow the path of righteousness and reinforce the bond of brotherhood and amity among all sections of the society in the state for a more peaceful and prosperous Manipur, CM said in his message. Deputy CM Yumnam Joykumar also wishes the people to restore peace and harmony in the state with the coming of the festival

Nagaland Tribes Council welcomes centers moves in solving vex Naga issue

Kohima, Sept 26:The Nagaland Tribes Council has welcomed the Central government's move to extend an official invitation to the Working Committee of the six Naga National Political Groups to join the ongoing negotiation for finding solution to the Naga political issue. The Council expressed gratitude to Prime Minister Narendra

Modi for acknowledging the indispensability of the rest of Naga National Political Groups outside the ongoing dialogue. The Council had submitted a representation urging the Centre to include all Naga National Political Groups in the talks when it called on Prime Minister on May 19 last at his official residence in New Delhi.

Combing operation

IT News
Imphal, Sept 26: A team of Imphal West police today conducted house to house search operation to flush out anti social activities at Keishampat Laishom leirak early today morning. The police team verified one after another by entering the houses. There were no report of any arrest.

Legal meet at Shillong

Shillong, Sept 26: A regional meet of the State Legal Services Authorities of the North Eastern Region will be held at the State Convention Centre in Shillong tomorrow. The meet is being organised by the National Legal Services Authority and the Meghalaya State Legal Services Authority, Supreme Court Judge, Justice Ranjan Gogoi, who is an Executive

Chairman of the National Legal Services Authority will inaugurate the meet in the presence of Chief Justice of Meghalaya High Court, Dinesh Maheshwari, also patron-in-chief of the Meghalaya State Legal Services Authority, besides Chief Justices and Executive Chairmen of the North Eastern Region and other guests.

Defence Minister Nirmala Sitharaman and US Defence Secretary James Mattis hold talks in New Delhi

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New Delhi, Sept. 26: Defence Minister Nirmala Sitharaman has said defence cooperation between India and the US has gone up significantly. Addressing a joint press conference with visiting US Secretary of Defence James Mattis, Ms. Sitharaman said, there is a need to expand the defence cooperation further. She said, security situation in

Afghanistan and maritime security in Indian ocean were discussed. She said, Mattis has assured that he will raise the issue of terrorism with Pakistan when he visits that country. US Secretary of Defence Mattis said, India and the US have suffered due to the menace of terrorism and they have recognised the global threat of terrorism. He said,

high degree of team work is needed to wipe out the menace. Mr Mattis appreciated India's efforts to put pressure of North Korea. He said his country will continue to maintain diplomatic and economic pressure on North Korea. He also appreciated India's leadership in Indian ocean. US Defence Secretary had arrived in New Delhi yesterday.

NSCN-IM Condoles

IT News
Imphal, Sept. 26: NSCN-IM today condoles the demise of Thripongse, Office Assistant-I of Tatar Hoho Secretariat yesterday. Thripongse serves the office of the NSCN-IM with utmost sincerity and dedication till his death. A statement of the MIP NSCN-IM said. It further added that the NSCN-IM will always cherish his sacrificial service and said that the outfit share the pain of the family.

Army recruitment rally at Leimakhong

IT News
Kangpokpi, Sept. 26: An Army recruitment rally for enrolment of eligible candidates into Indian Army from all districts of Manipur for various posts will be conducted at Football Ground, Kendriya Vidyalaya, Leimakhong, Kangpokpi District from 3rd October to 10th October, 2017. October 3 is the date of recruitment rally for Imphal East, Imphal West and Jiribam, October 4 for Thoubal and Kakching, October 5 for Bishnupur, Tamenglong, Noney, Chandel and Tengnoupal, October 6 for Churachandpur, Pherzawl, Ukhrul and Kamjong, and October 7 for Senapati and Kangpokpi districts.

N. Biren singh meets UP CM

DIPR
Imphal, Sept 26: Chief Minister N. Biren Singh met UP Chief Minister Shri Yogi Adityanath regarding the suspicious death of Pravish Chanam at UP Bhawan, New Delhi yesterday. The two leaders studied the information gathered by Manipur ADGP (Intelligence) Pramod Asthana, who has been camping at Noida to take

first hand account of the case. N. Biren later handed over the report to Yogi Adityanath for further investigation by UP Police. Adityanath assured Shri N. Biren to deliver justice by finding out the truth at the earliest. On the other hand, Shri N. Biren urged the UP Chief Minister to handover the case to an independent investigating agency if necessary.