

# ABVP Must Apologize to the Students from Northeast in JNU

Agency  
New Delhi, Aug 29.

On August 28, 2018 Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad (ABVP) organised an event called Ishan Uday: Bridging the Heart in Jawaharlal Nehru University. The Chief Ministers of Arunachal Pradesh, Assam and Manipur were invited to speak. But ironically, instead of bridging his hearts, the event ended up exposing the revolting prejudice, chauvinism and bigotry inherent within ABVP against people from India's north-east.

The event was organised in Koyana Hostel of JNU. The students from north-east in the campus expected a productive dialogue with the Chief Ministers of their home states. They wished to convey their concerns regarding the relevant issues of their respective states. But at the last moment, the students were informed that there will be no interactive sessions with the Chief Ministers. So, the students from north-east went to the venue to peacefully distribute pamphlets containing the questions they wanted to raise. But the hooligans from ABVP threatened and assaulted the female students who were distributing these pamphlets. Despite these unwarranted and vile provocations, all the common students from north-east without any political affiliations gathered near the hostel in a peaceful manner. They stood near the hostel silently holding placards that contained the questions that they were denied to raise.

But when the Chief Ministers arrived, ABVP unnecessarily started

sloganeering against the silently gathering students, and refused to 'allow' any students from north-east to enter the venue, including the Convener of North East Students Forum, JNU. The convoluted reason ABVP gave for this illogical act is that students from north-east pose a 'security threat' to their own Chief Ministers! Instead, they brought shady characters from outside the campus to pose as audiences and disruptors. The ranks and files of ABVP, displaying their blatant prejudice, started provoking these common students from north-east and passed extremely derogatory remarks. They raised bizarre slogans like, "Bangladeshi supporters murdabad" and "naxalbad ho barbad". We, as common students without any political affiliations want to ask ABVP, do they actually consider all the students from north-east as 'naxalites'? How dare they use terms like 'Bangladeshi supporters' to students? Why are they so intent on portraying the people from north-east as second-class citizens? In their usual course of rhetoric, ABVP raises high-decibel slogans like "Gujarat ho ya Guwahati, apna desh apna maati". While we may laugh at their inadequate geographical awareness that is only limited to Guwahati (and not the rest of north-east), it also alludes to their preconception that they are only concerned about the "maati" (land), but not at all about the people who populate that land.

However, soon the brainless trolls and the brainwashed sheep of ABVP started to twist this incident to suit their distorted and excruciating narrative. A BJP ideologue named Rajat

Sethi, in a shameful exhibition of deceit, tried to blame this incident on 'leftist goons' in a twitter post. The truth is that those who gathered there were common students from north-east, not affiliated to any political outfits. Another lacklustre troll named Sumit Najhoon even went to prescribe a barbarous, inhuman Tiananmen-square like approach to deal with those dissenting students. These instances only highlight how the allies and minions of ABVP only believe in genocidal measures to deal with anyone who dares to oppose them. The bigots from ABVP are a threat to our democratic ethos, and we must condemn and confront their brash, buffoonish behaviour.

The very fact that ABVP organised an event with three CMs from north-east and yet did not "allow" students from north-east to attend, speaks in volumes. First of all, it shows how ABVP treats the students from northeast as a 'votebank' that can be swayed easily by merely parading political leaders from their home states. Secondly, it shows how they completely disregard any agency on the part of the people of north-east, and want to appropriate each and every political happening. And finally, it exhibits their patronising hyper-masculine attitude that thrives on bullying and violence. We strongly condemn ABVP for their un-democratic behaviour and demand a public apology from them addressed to all the students from India's northeast in JNU. We also urge all the democratic forces to join us in a protest march at 9:00 p.m. on 29.08.10 from Ganga Dhaba in JNU.

# Best ever show by women boxers in offing at the World Youth Championship; Men finish campaign with two bronze medals

From our Contributor  
New Delhi, Aug 29

Keeping their high expectations intact, eight of the Indian women youth pugilists entered the semifinals of their respective categories in the ongoing AIBA Youth Women's and Men's World Championships at Budapest here on Tuesday. Thus, all of them ensured a bronze medal each at least but there are strong indications of the Indians finishing with better coloured medals.

Anamika, who started the Indian campaign in the morning, began with a fantastic win over her Italian rival Martina La Piano with a 4:1 verdict in 51 kg class and also ensure her a bronze medal at least. She would be next taking on Thai opponent Kitiya Nampai, who won 5-0 against her Korean rival.

It was even better for Jony in 60 kg who outclassed Chinese Chen Yibing with a 5:0 verdict as the Chinese took the pounding without any reply. But the Indian, a National Champions of 2018, slowed down in the second round kept herself out of harm's way to romp home winners. Jony will now meet Russian Nune Asatrian in the next round.

Asian Youth Championship Gold Medalist, Manisha, who drowed her Slovak rival Miroslava Jedinakova, for



Sakshi, the gold medal winner at the India edition of the event last year, defeated Russian opponent to assure India a medal and semi berth at the ongoing Youth World Championship

what had turned out in favour of India with a 4:1 verdict in 64 kg. In the semi-final contest, she will be up against Veronika Villas of Hungary.

But the win by Sakshi, the gold medal winner at the India edition of the event last year, was even more sweeter as she beat the stuffing out of her tall Russian opponent Valeriia Rodionova, the Indian led all through in the 57-kg category, getting unanimous verdicts from all the five judges in her favour. She is slated to clash with American Isamy Aquino.

The 2017 gold medal winner Nitu showed why she is the best in her class (48 kg) when

she knocked out Maxi Koltzer of Germany to have a semifinal showdown against Kazakh's Anel Kudaibergen in the light-fly category later tonight.

Earlier, Astha Pahawa defeated Albania's Selaj Elsidita, 4:1. The Indian had finished with a bronze medal at the last edition of the world meet held at home.

Meanwhile, both Sakshi Umesh in 81 kg (light heavy class) and Neha Yadav, who competes in +81, which is heavy category walked straight into the semifinals and they began their campaign later tonight. Their direct entry had already assured them a bronze medal each in their

weight categories. However, two boys—Bhavesh Kattimani in 52 kg and Ankit in 60 kg—lost their bouts with identical split decisions of 2:3 and settled for the bronze medals.

The Indian girls, who finished with five gold medals in the India edition, would be hoping for repeat performances out of seven medals. They had set a record then and hopefully they would return with even bigger haul.

India has sent a total of 18 players, including 10 girls and 8 boys to the Hungarian capital, registering highest ever qualification in India and second highest in Asia.

# GTV at Tamenlong and Chandel District

DIPR  
Tamenlong, August 29,

As part of the state government's initiative the District administration of Tamenlong today conducted 'Go to village' at community hall of Namkaolong (Keikao) Village in Tamenlong District.

3 (Three) villages namely Namkaolong, Sempang and Sangrunpang are covered in this mission.

Shri. Ravinder Singh, Deputy Commissioner of Tamenlong give a brief introductory speech of 'Khungan chate' to the Villagers who attended the program today.

Addressing the gathering the Chief guest of the function Shri T. Panmei, IAS Nodal officer, Go to village mission of Tamenlong lamented that Go to village is a review meeting dealing directly with the people to give various schemes and benefits to those who were deprived of their rights and benefits. And through this

mission one of the most essential projects demanded by the Villagers will be implemented by the government for each village of Tamenlong District. Medical department also conducted general OPD and distributed free medicines to the people who attended the program today. ST certificates, Domicile, Permanent Residential and Income certificate were also distributed to the Villagers who attended the program today.

Zonal Education Office ZEO, Tamenlong also distributed library books for Namkaolong, Sempang and Sangrunpang school.

Some of the government departments who took part in this program explaining about the various benefits of government schemes and projects to the people are DSWO, MSPDCL, CAF&PD, Forest, CSC, PHED, Biometrics, Aadhar, Labour, CSC, Education, DIC, Handloom and Medical.

Various memorandum and petitions were also submitted to the Nodal Officer of Go to Village Tamenlong District by the chairman and the secretary of the concern village.

The Villagers also express gratitude to the Government officials present today at the program for taking up this initiative as it benefits them with various welfare schemes ensuring timely delivery of the services.

Kachamthai Pheiga Gangmei, SDO, Tamenlong concluded the program by giving vote of thanks.

More than 500 people attended the program.

At Chandel district too the District Administration, under the supervision of Nodal Officer, SDO, Chakpikarong, Shri Rang David Kung, conducted "Go To Village" mission successfully at Sugnu Zoung village under Chakpikarong Sub-Division of Chandel District. Today's "Go To Village" mission covered a total of 20 villages of the sub division, namely 1. Sugnu Lokhijang, 2. Sugnu Lamhang 3. Sugnu Tribal, 4. D. Bethany, 5. Singtom, 6. M. Mumpi, 7. Gangpjang, 8. Boljang Tampak, 9. Sahumphai, 10. Sokom, 11. Uchatampak, 12. Lanching, 13. T. Saronphai, 14. Kotsophai, 15. Utangpokpi, 16. Khonang Phaisabi, 17. Lompi khunou, 18. M. Molnoi, 19. Lhongchin, 20. Khopijang and all the Hamlets of the main villages.

# Asian Games 2018-Day 11



# Sprinter Dutee Chand to run for 200-meter gold

# Asian Games 2018 Medal Tally

S1 Country No.	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1 China	99	65	48	212
2 Japan	47	41	62	150
3 Republic of Korea	33	40	48	121
4 Indonesia	27	22	33	82
5 IR Iran	17	16	16	49
6 Chinese Taipei	13	15	20	48
7 DPR Korea	12	8	7	27
8 India	9	19	22	50
9 Uzbekistan	9	15	14	38
10 Thailand	9	13	34	56
11 Kazakhstan	8	9	30	47
12 Bahrain	8	3	5	16
13 Hong Kong, China	4	12	16	32
14 Malaysia	4	8	9	21
15 Qatar	4	3	3	10
16 Philippines	4	0	13	17
17 UAE	3	6	3	12
18 Singapore	3	4	10	17
19 Mongolia	3	2	5	10
20 Vietnam	2	12	13	27
21 Kyrgyzstan	2	6	9	17
22 Jordan	2	1	8	11
23 Kuwait	2	1	0	3
24 Cambodia	2	0	1	3
25 Saudi Arabia	1	2	1	4
26 Macao, China	1	2	1	4
27 Lebanon	1	1	2	4
28 Iraq	1	1	0	2
29 Korea	1	0	2	3
30 Lao PDR	0	2	2	4
31 Turkmenistan	0	1	2	3
32 Tajikistan	0	1	0	1
33 Pakistan	0	0	3	3
34 Afghanistan	0	0	2	2
34 Myanmar	0	0	2	2
36 Syria	0	0	1	1
- Total	331	331	447	1109

\*\*\*Updated at 12pm on August 27, 2018



Agency  
Jakarta, Aug 29,

At the 18th Asian Games in Indonesia, India's medal hopes will rest in Athletics today as well. Sprinter Dutee Chand will be seen in action in the Women's 200-metres Final. Dutee entered the Final after she finished first in the semis yesterday, while the other Indian in the fray Hima Das failed to make the cut as she was disqualified for a false start.

Dutee in 100 metres and Hima in 400 metres bagged a Silver medal each on Sunday. Manjit Singh and Jinson Johnson will look to qualify to the Men's 1,500 metres Final. In the 800 metres race, Manjit had clinched a Gold yesterday, with Jinson winning the Silver.

The Indian Men's 4X400 metres Relay team will be in action in the Qualification. Rakesh Babu and Arpinder Singh will also be vying for

top honours in Men's Triple Jump Final. In Women's Hockey, India will take on China in the semi-finals. All India Radio will broadcast live commentary on the match from 6:25 PM onwards.

The Indian Women's Volleyball team will face Hong Kong for a place in the Gold medal match. In Boxing, Vikas Krishan, Amit Panghal, Dheeraj Rangi and Sarjubala Devi will play their quarterfinal bouts. Simran Sonia will figure in the Women's Double Final of Pencak Silat, an Indonesian martial arts event.

Kurash, a form of wrestling, which gave India two medals yesterday, will witness the Indian participation today as well. Indian athletes will also figure in Squash, Cycling, Canoe, Bridge and Handball. India is currently 8th in the medals tally with 9 Gold, 19 Silver and 22 Bronze. China continues to lead the table, with Japan second and South Korea third.

# Marksheet, lost

I have lost my original, marksheet, Board of Secondary Education Manipur, bearing Roll. No 17853 of 2015 issued by BOSEM on the way between Nambol to Bazar on 26/08/2018. Finders are requested to handover the same to the undersigned.

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